

HB4755



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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

70 ILCS 3305/3

from Ch. 121, par. 357

Amends the Street Light District Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning the board of trustees of a street lighting district.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning local government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Street Light District Act is amended by
5 changing Section 3 as follows:

6 (70 ILCS 3305/3) (from Ch. 121, par. 357)

7 Sec. 3. A board of ~~of~~ trustees consisting of 3 members for
8 the government and control of the affairs and business of the
9 street lighting district incorporated under this Act shall be
10 created in the following manner:

11 (1) If the district is located wholly within a single
12 county, trustees for the district shall be appointed by the
13 presiding officer of the county board with the advice and
14 consent of the county board;

15 (2) If the district is located in more than one county, the
16 number of trustees who are residents of a county shall be in
17 proportion, as nearly as practicable, to the number of
18 residents of the district who reside in that county in relation
19 to the total population of the district.

20 Upon the expiration of the term of a trustee who is in
21 office on the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1975,
22 the successor shall be a resident of whichever county is
23 entitled to such representation in order to bring about the

1 proportional representation required herein, and he shall be
2 appointed by the county board of that county, or in the case of
3 a home rule county as defined by Article VII, Section 6 of the
4 Constitution of 1970, the chief executive officer of that
5 county, with the advice and consent of the county board.

6 Thereafter, each trustee shall be succeeded by a resident
7 of the same county who shall be appointed by the same
8 appointing authority; however, the provisions of the preceding
9 paragraph shall apply to the appointment of the successor to
10 each trustee who is in office at the time of the publication of
11 each decennial Federal census of population.

12 Within 60 days after the creation of a street lighting
13 district as provided in Section 1 hereof, the appropriate
14 appointing authority shall appoint 3 trustees. The trustees
15 shall hold their offices for one, 2 and 3 years from the first
16 Monday of May next after their appointment and until their
17 successors have been appointed and qualified. Thereafter on or
18 before the second Monday in April of each year the appointing
19 authority shall appoint one trustee whose term shall be for 3
20 years commencing on the first Monday in May next after they are
21 respectively appointed. The length of term of the first
22 trustees shall be determined by lot at their first meeting.

23 The appointing authority shall require each of the trustees
24 to enter into bond with security to be approved by the
25 appointing authority in such sum as the appointing authority
26 may determine.

1 A majority of the board of trustees shall constitute a
2 quorum. No trustee or employee of the district shall be
3 directly or indirectly interested financially in any contract,
4 work or business or the sale of any article, the expense, price
5 or consideration of which is paid by the district. The trustees
6 shall provide and adopt a corporate seal for the district.
7 (Source: P.A. 79-319; 79-855; 79-1454.)