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HOUSE BILL NO. 1858

91ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE BRAY.

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AN ACT

To repeal sections 162.291 and 162.459, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections relating to qualifications for school board members of certain school districts.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Sections 162.291 and 162.459, RSMo, are repealed and two new sections 2 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 162.291 and 162.459, to read as follows:

162.291. The voters of each seven-director district other than urban districts shall, at municipal elections, elect two **or three** directors **according to the schedule set out in section**

- 3 **162.459** who are citizens of the United States and resident taxpayers of the district, who have
- 4 resided in [this state] and been registered voters of the district for one year next preceding
- 5 their election or appointment, and who are at least twenty-four years of age.
 - 162.459. 1. Notwithstanding other provisions of law to the contrary, the school board
- 2 of each seven-director school district [designated in the statutes as a seven-director,
- 3 seven-director] or urban school district, except an urban district containing the greater part of a
- 4 city of more than three hundred thousand inhabitants, shall consist of seven members. At the
- 5 first election for members of the school board in each of such districts after January 1, 1993, and
- 6 each three years thereafter, three members of the school board shall be elected and two
- 7 **members in other years**; except, no school district composed of seven members as of January
- 8 1, 1993, shall be required to modify its schedule of electing board members.
- 9 2. Provisions of law applicable to seven-director[, seven-director] and urban school 0 districts, except those which conflict with the provisions of this section, shall apply to and
- 11 govern the school districts designated in subsection 1 of this section.

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.