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The membership of a Board of Education member shall terminate immediately upon:

1. The cessation of the member's bona fide residency in the school district the member represents; or
2. The member's election or appointment to the office of mayor or member of the governing body of East Windsor Township or the Borough of Hightstown; or
3. The member's disqualification from voting pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:4-1; or
4. The member's conviction for false swearing for having falsely affirmed or declared that he/she is qualified to vote;
5. The removal of the member by the Commissioner of Education; or
6. Recall of a Board member pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:27A-1 et seq.

### Election/Appointment

1. Filling vacancies - Upon acceptance by the Board of a resignation of one of its members, the vacancy will be announced in the official newspapers for at least two weeks. The advertisement will include an invitation to all eligible residents in the community to apply in writing to the Board President by a fixed date which will be at least one week after the second announcement. All applicants will be interviewed by the Board and the Board will elect a replacement subsequent to the completion of the interviews.
2. Resignation - resignation by a member will be in writing, and signed, to the Board President. The Board President will report the resignation to the Board for appropriate action, at the next regular or special meeting of the Board. If the vacancy is not filled by the Board within sixty-five days after the date of the resignation, the vacancy will be filled by the County Superintendent of Schools as required by Statute.

A member who fails to attend three consecutive regular meetings of the Board without good cause may be removed from office on



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the affirmative votes of a majority of the remaining Board members, provided that:

1. The member's removal was proposed at the immediately previous Board meeting; and

2. Notice of the proposed removal was given to the affected member at least seventy-two hours in advance of the meeting at which the vote will be taken.

N.J.S.A. 18A:12-2; 18A:12-3; 18A:12-29

N.J.S.A. 19:27A-1 et seq.

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