

February 28, 2007

H 432. WAKE SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS. Filed 2/28/07. *TO REQUIRE MEMBERS OF THE WAKE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION TO RESIDE IN THE DISTRICTS THEY REPRESENT, BUT TO PROVIDE THAT THE VOTERS OF THE ENTIRE COUNTY SHALL ELECT ALL MEMBERS, AND TO MOVE THOSE ELECTIONS TO THE EVEN-NUMBERED YEAR, TO BE ELECTED IN NOVEMBER ON A PLURALITY BASIS.*

Amends Section 7 of SL 1975-717, as amended, to provide that members of the Wake County Board of Education (members) are to be elected by using the nonpartisan plurality method instead of the current election and runoff method. Requires that members are to reside in the districts that they represent but will be elected by the voters of the entire county. Amends Section 6 of SL 1975-717, as amended, to require that districts 1, 2, 7, and 9 are to elect members in 2010 and that districts 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8 are to elect members in 2008. Extends terms of office expiring in 2007 until the first Monday in December of 2008, and terms of office expiring in 2009 until the first Monday in December 2010.

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