

### **FILLING BOARD VACANCIES**

The Board of Education has the power to fill any vacancy, by a majority vote, which may occur on the Board by reason of death, incapacity, resignation, removal from office or from the school district, or refusal to serve, of any member or officer of the Board. The person so appointed in the place of any such member of the Board shall hold his/her office until the next annual election of Board members. The unexpired term of the office will then be filled by election.

The Board shall have the power to call a special school district election to fill such a vacancy within 90 days after its occurrence. If a vacancy is filled by special district election, the elected board member serves for the remainder of the unexpired term.

Ref: Education Law §§1709(17); 1804; 2113

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