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ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 659

H. P. 506 House of Representatives, January 27, 1965
Referred to Committee on Legal Affairs. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

JEROME G. PLANTE, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Binnette of Old Town.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SIXTY-FIVE

AN ACT Providing for Election of School Board of City of Old Town.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows :

Sec. 1. P. & S. L., 1945, c. 49, Art. IV, § 3, amended. Section 3 of Article IV of chapter 49 of the private and special laws of 1945 is amended by adding after the 2nd sentence a new sentence to read as follows :

'The petition of a candidate for school board shall be signed by not less than 25 nor more than 200 qualified voters of the city.'

Sec. 2. P. & S. L., 1945, c. 49, Art. VI, § 1, amended. Section 1 of Article VI of chapter 49 of the private and special laws of 1945 is amended to read as follows :

'Sec. 1. Composition, eligibility, election, tenure of office, special provision. The school board shall consist of 5 members ~~appointed by the city council~~ **elected from the registered voters of the entire city**, without reference to ward lines. They shall hold office for a term of 5 years, and until their successors are ~~appointed~~ **elected** and qualified, except that at the first ~~appointment~~ election of members of the school board, one member shall be ~~appointed~~ **elected** for 5 years, one member for 4 years, one member for 3 years, one member for 2 years, and one member for one year, and each shall hold office until his successor is ~~appointed~~ **elected** and qualified. If for any reason a vacancy shall exist in the membership of the school board the vacancy shall be filled forthwith by appointment by the city council for the unexpired term.'