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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT " to H.P. 284, L.D. 362, Bill,
"AN ACT to Increase the Membership of the Gardiner Water District
to Six."

Amend the Bill in section 1 by striking out all of the last underlined sentence and inserting in its place the following:

'Four trustees shall represent the City of Gardiner, one trustee shall represent the Town of Farmingdale and one trustee shall represent the Town of Randolph.'

Further amend the Bill by striking out all of section 2 and inserting in its place the following:

'Sec. 2. P&SL 1903, c. 82, §5, first ¶, 3rd sentence,
is repealed and the following enacted in its place:
The 3 trustees, appointed by the municipal officers immediately
following the effective date of this Act in 1979, shall determine,
by lot, the term of office of each newly appointed trustee so
that one shall serve for one year, one for 2 years and one for
3 years. Thereafter, the trustees shall be appointed for a
3-year term. Trustees presently appointed to the Gardiner Water
District's Board of Trustees shall serve until the expiration of
their terms. Whenever the term of office of a trustee expires,
the municipal officers of the municipality which the trustee
represents shall appoint a successor to serve a term of 3 years.
In the event that any other vacancy occurs, it should be filled
according to the same procedure for the unexpired term.'

Statement of Fact

This amendment increases the number of trustees on the Board of Trustees of the Gardiner Water District from 3 members to 6 members. Four trustees will represent Gardiner, one trustee will represent Farmingdale and one trustee will represent Randolph. The newly appointed trustees will be appointed to serve staggered terms.

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