UNEXPIRED TERM FULFILLMENT

A vacancy on the Board may be caused by:

1. death;
2. non-residence;
3. resignation;
4. removal from office
5. failure of a person elected or appointed to qualify within 10 days after the organization of the Board or of his appointment or election;
6. relocation beyond District boundaries or
7. absence from Board meetings for a period of 90 days, if the reasons for the absence are declared insufficient by a two-thirds vote of the remaining Board members, except that the Board may not declare as an insufficient reason the absence of a person who is an active or reserve member of the U.S. armed forces or the Ohio national guard and is deployed outside the territory of the district. (The vote must be taken within 45 days after the 90-day period of absence.)

Any such vacancy will be filled by the Board at any regular or special meeting within 45 days after the vacancy occurs. A majority vote of all the remaining members of the Board may fill the vacancy.

Each person selected to fill a vacancy will hold office for the shorter of the following periods:

1. until the completion of the unexpired term; or
2. until the first day of January immediately following the next regular Board of Education election taking place more than 90 days after a person is selected to fill the vacancy. At that election, a special election to fill the vacancy will be held; however, no such special election will be held if the unexpired term ends on or before the first day of January immediately following that regular Board election.

The term of a person elected in this manner will begin on the first day of January following the election and will be for the remainder of the unexpired term.

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