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**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND ACT 581 OF 1992, RELATING TO BAMBERG‑EHRHARDT SCHOOL DISTRICT ONE, SO AS TO REAPPORTION THE FIVE SINGLE‑MEMBER ELECTION DISTRICTS FROM WHICH MEMBERS OF BAMBERG‑EHRHARDT SCHOOL DISTRICT ONE MUST BE ELECTED, TO DESIGNATE A MAP NUMBER ON WHICH THESE SINGLE‑MEMBER ELECTION DISTRICTS ARE DELINEATED, AND TO PROVIDE DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION PERTAINING TO THE REAPPORTIONED ELECTION DISTRICTS.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Act 581 of 1992 is amended by adding Section 2A to read:

“2A(1) Notwithstanding another provision of law or of this act, beginning with the 2017 school district elections, the single‑member election districts from which the five members of Bamberg‑Ehrhardt School District One in Bamberg County must be elected are as shown on the Bamberg‑Ehrhardt School District One map S‑09‑01‑15 as maintained by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office.

(2) The demographic information shown on this map is as follows:

District Pop Dev. %Dev. NH\_WHT %NH\_WHT NH\_BLK %NH\_BLK

1 1,783 21 1.19% 528 29.61% 1,199 67.25%

2 1,783 21 1.19% 1,129 63.32% 614 34.44%

3 1,755 ‑7 ‑0.40% 664 37.83% 1,058 60.28%

4 1,745 ‑17 ‑0.96% 1,181 67.68% 481 27.56%

5 1,744 ‑18 ‑1.02% 475 27.24% 1,224 70.18%

Total 8,810 3,977 4,576

District VAP NHWVAP %NHWVAP NHBVAP %NHBVAP AllOth AllOthVAP

1 1,401 440 31.41% 921 65.74% 56 40

2 1,393 864 62.02% 502 36.04% 40 27

3 1,354 531 39.22% 800 59.08% 33 23

4 1,366 942 68.96% 367 26.87% 83 57

5 1,298 387 29.82% 882 67.95% 45 29

Total 6,812 3,164 3,472 50.97% 257 176”

SECTION 2. The Bamberg County Board of Voter Registration and Elections shall conduct and supervise the elections for school district trustees in the manner governed by the election laws of this State, mutatis mutandis.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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