**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND ACT 844 OF 1952, RELATING TO THE COMPOSITION, RESIDENCY, AND TERMS OF THE SCHOOL TRUSTEES OF CERTAIN SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN CHARLESTON COUNTY, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ST. JOHN’S CONSTITUENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9 BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL INCLUDE TWO RESIDENTS OF THE AREA INCLUDED IN FORMER WADMALAW SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 12.

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

SECTION 1. Section 2 of Act 844 of 1952 is amended to read:

“Section 2. St. John’s Constituent School District No. 9 in Charleston County, ~~(~~which was created by the consolidation of John’s Island School District No. 11, John’s Island School District No. 21, and Wadmalaw School District No. 12, in the county, by action of the County Board of Education of Charleston County under Section 7, ~~of~~ Article III, ~~of~~ Act No. 379, Acts of 1951~~)~~ , ~~shall~~ hereafter shall have seven school trustees, at least two of whom ~~shall~~ must be residents of the area included in former John’s Island School District No. 11, at least two of whom ~~shall~~ must be ~~a resident~~ residents of the area included in former John’s Island School District No. 21, and at least ~~one~~ two of whom ~~shall~~ must be ~~a resident~~ residents of the area included in former Wadmalaw School District No. 12. The original ~~two~~ one additional school ~~trustees~~ trustee provided for by this section ~~shall~~ must be appointed by the County Board of Education of Charleston County ~~in the manner provided by~~ pursuant to Section 7, ~~of~~ Article III, ~~of~~ Act No. 379, Acts of 1951, for terms of office expiring December 31, 1952, and December 31, 1954, and the successors in office of all of the seven school trustees ~~shall~~ must be elected by the qualified electors residing in St. John’s Constituent School District No. 9 ~~in the manner provided by~~ pursuant to the law for the election of school trustees in Charleston County.”

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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