



HOUSE BILL 729: Charter Schools Omnibus.

2021-2022 General Assembly

Committee:		Date:	January 28, 2022
Introduced by:	Reps. Yarborough, Hardister, Bradford, Brody	Prepared by:	Drupti Chauhan
Analysis of:	Ratified		Staff Attorney

OVERVIEW: *The ratified version of House Bill 729 makes the following changes:*

- *Authorizes all governing boards of public school units to request residency licenses rather than just local boards of education.*
- *Modifies the North Carolina Charter Schools Advisory Board to add the State Superintendent of Public Instruction, or designee, as a voting member of the Board, eliminate one of the State Board of Education's appointees to the Board, and staggers the terms of office for those members appointed by the General Assembly.*

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PART I: RESIDENCY LICENSURE REQUESTS

BILL ANALYSIS: Any governing board of a public school unit may request a residency license for an individual. All other licensure requirements must still be met.

PART II: NORTH CAROLINA CHARTER SCHOOLS ADVISORY BOARD APPOINTMENTS

BILL ANALYSIS: The following changes are made to the North Carolina Charter Schools Advisory Board (Board):

- Addition of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, of designee, as a voting member of the Board.
- Elimination of one of the State Board of Education's appointments to the voting membership of the Board.
- Requiring one of the appointments to the Board by the General Assembly upon the recommendation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives in 2021 to be appointed to a two-year term of office.
- Requiring two of the appointments to the Board by the General Assembly upon the recommendation of the President Pre Tempore of the Senate in 2021 to be appointed to a two-year term of office.

EFFECTIVE DATE: House Bill 729 was ratified by the General Assembly on August 12, 2021, and vetoed by the Governor on August 23, 2021.

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