

AS MAY BE PROVIDED IN THE BUDGET FOR CARROLL COUNTY.

(D) THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF CARROLL COUNTY SHALL PERFORM THE FUNCTIONS OF COUNTY BOARDS OF EDUCATION AS PROVIDED BY STATE LAW AND SHALL HAVE THE POWER TO ADOPT BYLAWS FOR REGULATION AND ADMINISTRATION OF SCHOOLS WITHIN THE COUNTY NOT INCONSISTENT WITH STATE LAW; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT ALL ACTION SHALL BE ACCOMPLISHED AFTER A PUBLIC MEETING, THE FORMAL RECORD OF WHICH SHALL LIKEWISE BE PUBLIC. NOTHING IN THIS SECTION SHALL BE DEEMED TO DENY THE POWER OF THE BOARD TO MEET AND DELIBERATE IN EXECUTIVE SESSION PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT ALL ACTION SHALL BE ACCOMPLISHED AFTER A PUBLIC MEETING, THE FORMAL RECORD OF WHICH SHALL LIKEWISE BE PUBLIC.

(E) THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION MAY REMOVE ANY MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION ELECTED OR SERVING UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION FOR IMMORALITY, MISCONDUCT IN OFFICE, INCOMPETENCY, OR WILFUL NEGLECT OF DUTY, GIVING TO HIM A COPY OF THE CHARGES AGAINST HIM, AND AN OPPORTUNITY OF BEING PUBLICLY HEARD IN PERSON OR BY COUNSEL IN HIS OWN DEFENSE, UPON NOT LESS THAN TEN DAYS' NOTICE. ANY PERSON REMOVED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION HAS THE RIGHT TO A REVIEW OF THE REMOVAL BY THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR CARROLL COUNTY IN A PROCEEDING DE NOVO.

(F) THE GOVERNOR SHALL FILL ANY VACANCY ON THE BOARD OF EDUCATION RESULTING FROM DEATH, RESIGNATION, FAILURE TO QUALIFY OR ANY OTHER REASON BY APPOINTING A QUALIFIED PERSON WHO SHALL SERVE FOR THE UNEXPIRED PORTION OF THE TERM OF THE VACANCY.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That before this Act becomes effective it shall first be submitted to a referendum of the legally qualified voters of Carroll County at the general election to be held in November of 1974. There shall be printed on the ballots or ballot labels to be used at this election the title of the Act and underneath the title on separate line, a square or box to the right of and opposite the words: "For Elected School Board" and a corresponding square box to the right of and opposite the words: "Against Elected School Board" so that each voter of the county may designate his or her decision for or