

OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES IN THE UNIT OF THE COUNTY.

(2) THIS ELECTION SHALL BE HELD IN THE SAME MANNER AS PROVIDED IN §6-506 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(3) ALL SIGNATURES ON A PETITION REQUESTING AN ELECTION SHALL BE OBTAINED WITHIN 90 DAYS BEFORE THE ELECTION DATE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 77, §160A(f).

The only changes are in style.

6-508. REPRESENTATIVES AND AGREEMENTS IN EFFECT ON JULY 1, 1978 TO CONTINUE.

(A) PRESENT REPRESENTATIVES CONTINUED.

EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATIONS RECOGNIZED BY THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYER AS THE EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATIVE OF ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES IN A SPECIFIED UNIT ON JULY 1, 1978 SHALL CONTINUE TO BE THE EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATIVE:

(1) FOR THE REST OF THE 2-YEAR INITIAL PERIOD AS PROVIDED BY §6-507 OF THIS SUBTITLE; AND

(2) BEYOND THE 2-YEAR PERIOD UNTIL ANOTHER ELECTION IS HELD AS PROVIDED UNDER §6-507 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(B) PRESENT AGREEMENTS CONTINUED.

ANY COLLECTIVE NEGOTIATION AGREEMENT THAT HAS BEEN ENTERED INTO BY AN EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATIVE AND A PUBLIC EMPLOYER AS OF JULY 1, 1978 SHALL CONTINUE IN EFFECT FOR THE TERM OF THE AGREEMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 77, §160A(p) and (q).

In this section, the date is changed from July 1, 1974 to July 1, 1978 to indicate the appropriate effective date of this article.

The only other changes are in style.

6-509. DESIGNATED ORGANIZATION IS NEGOTIATING AGENT; FAIR REPRESENTATION.

(A) NEGOTIATING AGENT.

AN EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION DESIGNATED AS AN EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATIVE SHALL BE THE NEGOTIATING AGENT OF ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES IN THE UNIT IN THE COUNTY.

(B) FAIR REPRESENTATION.