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35A-13-603 Board.

- (1) There is created to assist the director of the office the Interpreters Certification Board consisting of the following 11 members:
 - (a) a designee of the assistant director;
 - (b) a designee of the State Board of Regents;
 - (c) a designee of the State Board of Education;
 - (d) four professional interpreters, recommended by the assistant director; and
 - (e) four individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing, recommended by the assistant director.
- (2)
 - (a) The director shall make all appointments to the board.
 - (b) In making appointments under Subsections (1)(d) and (e), the director shall give consideration to recommendations by certified interpreters and members of the deaf and hard of hearing community.
- (3)
 - (a) Board members shall serve three-year terms, except that for the initial terms of board members, three shall serve one-year terms, four shall serve two-year terms, and four shall serve three-year terms.
 - (b) An individual may not serve more than two three-year consecutive terms.
 - (c) If a vacancy occurs on the board for a reason other than the expiration of a term, the director shall appoint a replacement for the remainder of the term in accordance with Subsections (1) and (2).
- (4) The director may remove a board member for cause, which may include misconduct, incompetence, or neglect of duty.
- (5) The board shall annually elect a chair and vice chair from among its members.
- (6) The board shall meet as often as necessary to accomplish the purposes of this part, but not less than quarterly.
- (7) A member of the board may not receive compensation or benefits for the member's service, but may receive travel expenses in accordance with:
 - (a) Section 63A-3-107; and
 - (b) rules made by the Division of Finance in accordance with Section 63A-3-107.

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