CHAPTER 2017-208

House Bill No. 1147

An act relating to the Central Broward Water Control District, Broward County; amending ch. 98-501, Laws of Florida, as amended; revising the manner in which the commission must act; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Section 7 of section 2 of chapter 98-501, Laws of Florida, as amended by chapter 2009-257, Laws of Florida, is amended to read:

Section 7. Organization of board of commissioners.—At the first regularly scheduled meeting following the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November each year, the board of commissioners shall assemble and organize by choosing one of their members chair of the board, and choosing another one of their members vice chair. In the event of a deadlock in selecting a new chair or vice chair, the existing chair and vice chair shall remain in office until a new chair or vice chair is selected. The chair shall preside at all meetings. In the chair’s absence, the vice chair shall preside and have the same powers and be subject to the same limitations as the chair. Four members of the board shall constitute a quorum for all purposes. In the absence of both the chair and vice chair, if a quorum is otherwise present, the commissioner with the most seniority shall be chair of such meeting and shall preside over the meeting and have the same powers as the chair. The board shall establish its own rules of procedure. In all matters, the board shall act by resolution and the affirmative votes of a majority, but not less than three of the members of the board that are present at district meetings shall be required to make any determination or effect any action.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.

Approved by the Governor June 6, 2017.

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