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Senator Baruth moves that the report of the Committee on Education on House Bill No. 39 entitled “An act relating to the extension of the deadline of school district mergers required by the State Board of Education” be amended, in Sec. 1, by striking out subdivision (2) of subsection (c) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

(2) Default Articles. The Default Articles for each newly formed district that has an operational deadline of July 1, 2020 are amended as follows:

(A) by striking out the date “June 30, 2019” wherever it appears and inserting in lieu thereof the date “June 30, 2020”;

(B) by striking out the date “July 1, 2019” wherever it appears and inserting in lieu thereof the date “July 1, 2020”; provided, however, the date “July 1, 2019” shall not be changed in Article 9 (Transitional Board);

(C) by striking out the date “December 31, 2019” wherever it appears and inserting in lieu thereof the date “December 31, 2020”;

(D) by striking out the date “July 1, 2020” wherever it appears and inserting in lieu thereof the date “July 1, 2021”;

(E) by striking out the academic year “2019–2020” wherever it appears and inserting in lieu thereof the academic year “2020–2021”;

1           (F) by striking out the academic year “2020–2021” wherever it  
2 appears and inserting in lieu thereof the academic year “2021–2022”;

3           (G) by striking out the academic year “2021–2022” wherever it  
4 appears and inserting in lieu thereof the academic year “2022–2023”;

5           (H) by striking out the fiscal year “2020” wherever it appears and  
6 inserting in lieu thereof the fiscal year “2021”, provided, however, the fiscal  
7 year shall not be changed in Article 9(D)(i) (Transitional Board; Specific  
8 Duties; First Draft of Proposed Budget) and Article 10(D)(iii)(b) (New Union  
9 District Board of School Directors-Initial Members; Swearing-in and  
10 Assumption of Duties; Presentation of Proposed Budget);

11           (I) by striking out Article 9(D)(i) (Transitional Board; Specific  
12 Duties; First Draft of Proposed Budget) and Article 10(D)(iii)(b) (New Union  
13 District Board of School Directors-Initial Members; Swearing-in and  
14 Assumption of Duties; Presentation of Proposed Budget) in their entirety; and

15           (J) by making conforming changes to cross-referenced years in  
16 Article 14 (Amendments).