
ARCHITECTS BOARD

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Architects Board membership

(R.C. 4703.01; Section 747.10)

The bill amends the structure of the Architects Board to include a public member and reduces the required years of architect licensure experience required for service on the Board. The bill specifies that the Board must be composed of four architects and one member of the general public who is not an architect. The bill also reduces from ten to five the number of years of active architect practice required for service on the Board. Under current law, the Board is composed of five architects who have been in active practice in Ohio for at least ten years.

Current Board members may continue to hold office until their terms expire, unless removed under law. The bill requires the Governor to appoint an individual who is a member of the general public upon the next vacancy on the Board.