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§2–203.

- (a) The Governor may remove a member of the State Board for:
 - (1) Immorality;
 - (2) Misconduct in office;
 - (3) Incompetency; or
 - (4) Willful neglect of duty.

- (b)
 - (1) Before removing a member, the Governor shall send the member a copy of the charges against him and give him an opportunity within 10 days to request a hearing.
 - (2) If the member requests a hearing within the 10-day period:
 - (i) The Governor promptly shall hold a hearing, but a hearing may not be set within 10 days after the Governor sends the member a notice of the hearing; and
 - (ii) The member shall have an opportunity to be heard publicly before the Governor in his own defense, in person or by counsel.

- (c) If a member is removed, the Governor shall file in the office of the Secretary of State:
 - (1) A complete statement of all charges made against the member;
 - (2) The findings of the Governor as to the charges; and
 - (3) A complete record of the proceedings.

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