

2017 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 291

BY REPRESENTATIVE DANAHAHAY

DISTRICTS/HOSPITAL SERVC: Provides relative to the per diem paid to members of the board of commissioners of the Calcasieu Cameron Hospital Service District

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 46:1053(C)(2)(d), relative to the Calcasieu Cameron Hospital  
3 Service District; to provide relative to the per diem paid to members of the board of  
4 commissioners of the district; and to provide for related matters.

5 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published  
6 as provided by Article III, Section 13 of the Constitution of  
7 Louisiana.

8 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

9 Section 1. R.S. 46:1053(C)(2)(d) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as  
10 follows:

11 §1053. Commission; qualification of members; appointment; vacancies;  
12 compensation; removal of commissioners; certain powers

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16 (2)

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18 (d) The governing authorities of Calcasieu Parish and Cameron Parish may  
19 permit a per diem to each member of the commission of the Calcasieu Cameron  
20 Hospital Service District in an amount of not less than twenty-five dollars nor more

1           than ~~one~~ three hundred dollars for each day of his attendance at meetings of the  
2           commission, not to exceed twelve meetings per year payable out of the funds of the  
3           hospital service district.

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DIGEST

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**Abstract:** Authorizes the governing authorities of Calcasieu Parish and Cameron Parish to increase the per diem paid to members of the board of commissioners of the Calcasieu Cameron Hospital Service District.

Present law generally provides that hospital service districts are governed by a board of five commissioners. Provides that the governing authority of the parish in which the district is located may permit payment of a per diem to each member of the commission in an amount of not less than \$25 nor more than \$40 for attendance at meetings, not to exceed 12 meetings per year.

Present law provides that the maximum per diem for the Calcasieu Cameron Hospital Service District is \$100. Proposed law increases the maximum per diem for that district to \$300; otherwise retains present law.

(Amends R.S. 46:1053(C)(2)(d))