

GREEN SHEET REDIGEST

HB 51

2018 Regular Session

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(KEYWORD, SUMMARY, AND DIGEST as amended by Senate committee amendments)

ETHICS/DUAL OFFICEHOLDG. Provides an exception from dual officeholding laws to allow a certified public accountant to hold an office on a school board and employment with a sheriff to provide financial or accounting services.

DIGEST

Present law (R.S. 42:63–Dual Officeholding and Employment Prohibitions) specifically prohibits a member of a parish governing authority or school board from holding any office or employment with a sheriff, assessor, or clerk of court.

Proposed law provides an exception to allow a certified public accountant who is a member of a school board in a parish having a population of less than 50,000 to hold employment with a sheriff to provide financial or accounting services.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 42:66(E))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Senate and Governmental Affairs to the engrossed bill

1. Limits exception to parishes having populations of less than 50K.