The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by James Benton.

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Present law provides that any hospital service district formed or created under the provisions of present law shall be governed by a board of five commissioners who shall be qualified voters and residents of the district. The commission shall be appointed by the police jury of the parish. Two of the first commissioners so appointed shall serve for two years, two for four years and one for six years.

Proposed law retains present law.

Proposed law provides that no person who has been convicted of a felony shall be allowed to serve on the board of commissioners of any hospital district formed or created under the provisions of present law.

Proposed law provides that the appointing authority of a hospital service district shall conduct a background check on a person who seeks to serve on the board as required by proposed law.

Proposed law provides that the background check required by proposed law shall be obtained in accordance with federal law and shall come from the NICS located at the F.B.I.'s Criminal Information Services Division.

Effective August 1, 2024.

(Amends R.S. 46:1053(A))