

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 471 (HB 323)

2024 Regular Session

Freiberg

Existing law requires parish governing authorities organized under the police jury system of government to provide for the method and amount of compensation for police jurors. Provides that police jurors shall not be paid for more than 144 days in any one year and no police juror shall be compensated for more than 12 meetings per month, or, in lieu of such per diem, the police jury may elect to be paid on a salary basis. The maximum salary allowable is \$1,600 per month for each police juror. Authorizes a police jury to allow for an increase in the police jury president's salary in an amount not to exceed \$400 per month in addition to the salary established for police jurors.

Existing law provides that in lieu of the compensation authorized by existing law, each member of the governing authority of East Baton Rouge Parish may receive a travel allowance for in-parish travel which includes payment for a combination of travel and car allowance, subject to approval of the governing authority. Prior law provided that the maximum travel allowance amount was \$800 per month. New law increases the maximum amount from \$800 to \$1,500 per month.

Effective July 1, 2024.

(Amends R.S. 33:1233(B))