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HOUSE BILL NO. 92

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BY REPRESENTATIVE JENKINS

POLITICAL PARTIES: Provides relative to the composition of a parish executive committee of a recognized political party in Caddo Parish

AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 18:444(G)(2)(d), relative to the parish executive committee of a recognized 3 political party in Caddo Parish; to provide relative to membership on the committee; 4 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. 18:444(G)(2)(d) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows: 10 §444. Parish executive committees 11 12 G. Composition. 13 14 **(2)** 15 16 (d) In Caddo Parish, the parish executive committee of a recognized political 17 party shall be composed of one member elected from each parish commission district 18 and twelve members elected at large from the parish. 19

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DIGEST

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Abstract: Increases the number of members of a parish executive committee of a recognized political party in Caddo Parish.

<u>Present law</u> provides that in each parish, the parish executive committee of a recognized political party shall be composed of five members-at-large and as many members as there are members of the parish governing authority. The members-at-large shall be elected from the entire parish, while the additional members shall be elected, one each, from the districts or wards from which the members of the parish governing authority are elected.

<u>Present law</u> provides exceptions for Orleans, Jefferson, and Lafayette parishes.

<u>Proposed law</u> adds an exception for Caddo Parish and provides that in Caddo Parish, the parish executive committee of a recognized political party shall be composed of one member elected from each parish commission district and twelve members elected at large from the parish.

(Enacts R.S. 18:444(G)(2)(d))