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Fiscal Note On: **HB 187** HLS 16RS 851

Bill Text Version: **ENGROSSED**

Opp. Chamb. Action:

Proposed Amd.:

Sub. Bill For.:

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Subject: Automobile Expense Allowance	

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Authorizes an automobile expense allowance for the assessor in Lafayette Parish

Purpose of Bill: The bill authorizes the Assessor of Lafayette Parish to receive an automobile expense allowance. This allowance is not to exceed 15% of the Assessor's annual salary, provided that the Assessor maintains automobile insurance in the amount of \$300,000 per accident for bodily injury and \$100,000 per accident for property damage.

This allowance is to be paid from the Assessor's existing funds with no additional cost to the state or local governing authority.

EXPENDITURES	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	5 -YEAR TOTAL
State Gen. Fd.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Agy. Self-Gen.	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Ded./Other	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Local Funds	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	SEE BELOW	
Annual Total						

REVENUES	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	5 -YEAR TOTAL
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Local Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Annual Total	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

EXPENDITURE EXPLANATION

The bill may increase expenditures related to this new automobile allowance. However, the increase will depend upon the monetary amount the 15% will be applied to.

The assessor's salary including certification pay totals \$156,832. In addition, the assessor receives a 10% personal expense allowance of \$15,683, for total annual compensation of \$172,515.

If the 15% maximum is applied to \$156,832, the resulting automobile expense allowance would be \$23,525. If the 15% maximum is applied to the grand total of \$172,515, the resulting automobile expense allowance would be \$25,877.

REVENUE EXPLANATION

There is no anticipated direct material effect on governmental revenues as a result of this measure.

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13.5.1 >= \$100,000 Annual Fiscal Cost {S&H}

6.8(F)(1) >= \$100,000 SGF Fiscal Cost {H & S}

13.5.2 >= \$500,000 Annual Tax or Fee Change {S&H}

6.8(G) >= \$500,000 Tax or Fee Increase or a Net Fee Decrease {S}

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