

Hall of the House of Representatives

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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 2506

"AN ACT TO PROHIBIT LEGISTORS, THEIR SPOUSES AND RELATIVES FROM MEMBERSHIP ON ANY STATE BOARD, COMMISSION, OR OTHER ENTITY DURING THEIR TERMS OF OFFICE OR WITHIN FIVE YEARS AFTER THE EXPIRATION OF THOSE TERMS."

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2506.

Amend House Bill No. 2506 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 13 and substitute:

"AN ACT TO INCLUDE PARENTS AND CHILDREN UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF § 21-1-402; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. "

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 21 and substitute:

"TO INCLUDE PARENTS AND CHILDREN UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF § 21-1-402. "

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 21-1-402 is amended to read as follows:
21-1-402. Restrictions on other employment.

(a)(1) Subject to any restrictions or conditions prescribed by the Arkansas Constitution, no person elected to a constitutional office may, after being elected to the constitutional office and during the term for which elected, enter into employment:

(A) With any state agency;

(B) In any noncertified position with any public school district of this state;

(C) With any vocational education school funded by the state;

(D) With any education service cooperative; or

(E) With the Cooperative Education Services Coordinating Council, unless the constitutional officer resigns prior to entering into the employment.

(2) Subject to any restrictions or conditions prescribed by the Arkansas Constitution, any constitutional officer who was employed by a state agency prior to being elected a constitutional officer may continue such

employment, but the employment shall not thereafter be reclassified unless it is the result of a general reclassification affecting all positions of the class and grade equally, nor shall the constitutional officer receive any pay increase for that employment other than the cost-of-living increases authorized by the General Assembly without the prior approval of the Joint Budget Committee during legislative sessions, the Legislative Council between legislative sessions, and the Governor.

(b) No person whose spouse, parent, or child is elected to a constitutional office may, after the spouse, parent or child is elected to the constitutional office and during the term for which the spouse, parent, or child is elected, enter into employment with any state agency without the prior approval of the Joint Budget Committee during legislative sessions, the Legislative Council between legislative sessions, and the Governor.

(c) This subchapter does not prohibit the spouse, parent or child of any constitutional officer from being elected and serving in an elected office or from being appointed to fill the vacancy in any elected office.

(d) Any person who was employed by a state agency prior to the person's spouse, parent, or child being elected a constitutional officer and any person who entered into employment with a state agency during the spouse's, parent's, or child's service as a constitutional officer is subject to the following:

(1) That position shall not thereafter be reclassified unless it is the result of a general reclassification affecting all positions of the class and grade equally nor shall that person, while the spouse, parent or child serves as a constitutional officer or within two (2) years after the spouse, parent or child leaves office, be promoted or transferred without the prior approval of the Joint Budget Committee during legislative sessions, the Legislative Council between legislative sessions, and the Governor; and

(2) That person shall not receive any pay increase in excess of fifteen percent (15%) without the prior approval of the Joint Budget Committee during legislative sessions, the Legislative Council between legislative sessions, and the Governor.

(e) Former members of the General Assembly and their spouses, parents or children shall not be eligible to be employed by any state agency within twenty-four (24) months after the legislator leaves office in any job or position which:

(1) Was newly created by legislative action within the twenty-four (24) months prior to the legislator's leaving office; or

(2) Had a maximum salary level increase of more than fifteen percent (15%) authorized by legislative action within the twenty-four (24) months prior to the legislator's leaving office. "

The Amendment was read _____

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