

SENATE AMENDMENTS

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By: Gonzalez Toureilles

H.B. No. 2502

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the composition of the Jim Wells County Juvenile Board.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 152.0032, Human Resources Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 152.0032. COMPOSITION OF JUVENILE BOARD. (a) The juvenile board is composed of the county judge, the district judges in the county, and the judges of any statutory courts designated as a juvenile court in the county.

(b) Notwithstanding Subsection (a), the juvenile board of Jim Wells County is composed of the judges of the county and district courts in the county. The board must have not fewer than three nor more than five members. The judges of the county and district courts in the county may appoint an appropriate number of public members to serve on the board if necessary to satisfy this requirement. Notwithstanding Section 152.0034(b), a public member serves without compensation. The chairman of the board shall determine the number of public members to be appointed to the board.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2007.

ADOPTED

FLOOR AMENDMENT NO. 1

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Atty. Gen.
Secretary of the Senate

1 Amend H.B. No. 2502 by adding the following appropriately
2 numbered SECTION to the bill and renumbering subsequent SECTIONS
3 of the bill accordingly:

4 SECTION __. Sections 152.2561(e) through (j), Human
5 Resources Code, are amended to read as follows:

6 (e) Service on a juvenile board by a judge is an
7 additional duty of office. The commissioners court shall pay
8 each ~~[the]~~ juvenile board member ~~[members]~~ an annual salary of
9 not less than \$4,800 ~~[\$1,200]~~, payable in equal monthly
10 installments from any funds available to the county or to the
11 juvenile board.

12 (f) The commissioners court shall reimburse a juvenile
13 board member for the member's actual and necessary expenses
14 incurred in performing the member's ~~[his]~~ duties. The
15 commissioners court shall set the rate of reimbursement and
16 shall pay the expenses from funds allocated or received from any
17 source.

18 (g) The juvenile board shall appoint necessary juvenile
19 probation department personnel ~~[with the advice and consent of~~
20 ~~the commissioners court]~~. The juvenile board may discharge the
21 employees of the juvenile probation department ~~[with the advice~~
22 ~~and consent of the commissioners court]~~.

23 (h) The juvenile board shall provide each juvenile
24 probation officer or juvenile probation department employee with
25 an automobile or an automobile allowance for use of a personal
26 automobile on official business.

27 (i) The juvenile board shall ~~[use the juvenile probation~~
28 ~~fund to]~~ pay ~~[as much of]~~ the salaries, allowances, and other

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1 necessary expenses from the juvenile probation budget to the
2 extent of the state aid received [~~as possible~~]. The
3 commissioners court shall pay the remaining salaries,
4 allowances, and other necessary expenses from the general fund
5 or other available funds of the county.

6 (j) The juvenile board [~~commissioners court~~] shall set the
7 annual rate of increase in the salaries of juvenile probation
8 department personnel [~~at the rate of increase given to other~~
9 ~~Wood County employees or to state employees~~]. If any portion of
10 an employee's salary is to be paid from the general fund, [~~the~~
11 ~~rates are different,~~] the commissioners court shall approve the
12 salary as presented to the commissioners court by the chairman
13 of the juvenile board. For purposes of this subsection,
14 "salary" means only the fixed compensation paid to an employee
15 and does not include health insurance, allowances, or any other
16 benefit [~~may choose one of the rates or choose a rate that is~~
17 ~~between the two rates. In choosing the rate, the commissioners~~
18 ~~court may consider any relevant factor, including the source of~~
19 ~~the funds, the duties and work load of the employees, and the~~
20 ~~effect on other county employees~~].

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LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD
Austin, Texas

FISCAL NOTE, 80TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

May 10, 2007

TO: Honorable Jeff Wentworth, Chair, Senate Committee on Jurisprudence

FROM: John S. O'Brien, Director, Legislative Budget Board

IN RE: HB2502 by Gonzalez Toureilles (Relating to the composition of the Jim Wells County Juvenile Board.), **As Engrossed**

No fiscal implication to the State is anticipated.

Local Government Impact

Because the bill would not have statewide impact on units of local government of the same type or class, no comment from this office is required by the rules of the House/Senate as to its probable fiscal implication on units of local government.

Source Agencies:

LBB Staff: JOB, MN, DB

LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD
Austin, Texas

FISCAL NOTE, 80TH LEGISLATIVE REGULAR SESSION

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TO: Honorable Harold V. Dutton, Jr., Chair, House Committee on Juvenile Justice & Family Issues

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