By:  Bettencourt S.B. No. 1261

(In the Senate - Filed February 28, 2019; March 7, 2019, read first time and referred to Committee on Property Tax; April 15, 2019, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 5, Nays 0; April 15, 2019, sent to printer.)

COMMITTEE VOTE

               Yea Nay Absent  PNV

Bettencourt     X

Paxton          X

Creighton       X

Hancock         X

Hinojosa        X

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the eligibility of a person to serve as the chief appraiser for an appraisal district.

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

SECTION 1.  Subchapter A, Chapter 6, Tax Code, is amended by adding Section 6.054 to read as follows:

Sec. 6.054.  RESTRICTION ON EMPLOYMENT AS CHIEF APPRAISER. A person may not be employed as the chief appraiser for an appraisal district if the person is an elected or appointed officer of a taxing unit located wholly or partly in the appraisal district.

SECTION 2.  This Act takes effect January 1, 2020.

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