

1 HB26  
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3 By Representative Simpson  
4 RFD: Boards, Agencies and Commissions  
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SYNOPSIS: Under existing law, a public official or public employee who holds more than one public office, position, or employment may only receive the salary of the highest paid office, position, or employment.

This bill would require an occupational licensing board, agency, or commission to notify a newly appointed board member of this restriction.

This bill would also require all members of an occupational licensing board, agency, or commission to sign a statement each year as to their eligibility to receive a salary or compensation for serving on the board, agency, or commission.

A BILL  
TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1           Relating to occupational licensing boards, agencies,  
2           and commissions; to add Section 41-9A-3 to the Code of Alabama  
3           1975; to require occupational licensing boards, agencies, and  
4           commissions to notify newly appointed board members of the  
5           limitation on receiving only the salary of the highest paid  
6           position if the board member holds more than one public  
7           position; and to require each board member to annually certify  
8           eligibility to receive a salary or compensation, if  
9           applicable, for serving on the board, agency, or commission.

10       BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

11           Section 1. Section 41-9A-3, is added to the Code of  
12       Alabama 1975, to read as follows:

13           §41-9A-3.

14           (a) An occupational licensing board shall notify  
15       each newly appointed board member of the restriction on  
16       receiving more than one salary or compensation from the state  
17       under Section 36-6-3.

18           (b) An occupational licensing board that provides a  
19       salary or compensation to its board members for serving on the  
20       board, on an annual basis, shall require each member of the  
21       board to sign a statement stating that the board member is  
22       eligible to receive the salary or compensation under Section  
23       36-6-3.

24           Section 2. This act shall become effective on the  
25       first day of the third month following its passage and  
26       approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.