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Abstract: Modifies the requirements for the selection of commissioners to serve on the Vermilion and Iberia Railroad Development District board.

Present law requires two members to be appointed by the governing authority of the parish of Vermilion and at least one of those members must have a bachelor's degree in agricultural science.

Proposed law removes the requirement that at least one member have a bachelor's degree in agricultural science and instead requires the member to have a desire to serve on the board and be a member of the Vermilion Parish Police Jury.

Present law requires that the member appointed by the Twin Parish Port Commission and the University of La. at Lafayette have a bachelor's degree in engineering and a minimum of five years experience at the management and operational level of a railroad company.

Proposed law removes the requirement that the member have a minimum of five years experience at the management and operational level of a railroad company, thus proposed law solely requires the member to have a bachelor's degree in engineering.

(Amends R.S. 33:140.112(A)(1) and (3))