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<u>Present law</u> provides for budget controls on personnel, including establishing the number of authorized positions for each budget unit, program, and subprogram; tracking personnel transactions against authorized positions; procedures for requesting personnel transactions; approvals required by the director of state civil service; other procedures to be approved by the Department of State Civil Service; and the authority of the governor, the civil service commission, the commissioner of administration, as provided by law to regulate, control, or prohibit personnel transactions.

<u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and also authorizes the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget to regulate, control, or prohibit any personnel transactions as provided by law.

<u>Proposed law</u> also provides that in the last ninety (90) days of the last year of a gubernatorial term, no cost-of-living increases, performance adjustments, or other general salary increases for unclassified employees in any budget unit, agency, or department of the executive branch shall become effective unless first approved by the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget.

<u>Proposed law</u> further provides that other relevant provisions of <u>present law</u> shall be satisfied before such an increase shall take effect.

Effective July 1, 2016.

(Amends R.S. 39:84(D) and adds R.S. 39:84(H))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by <u>House Committee on Appropriations</u> to the <u>engrossed</u> bill:

1. Remove classified employees from the provisions of proposed law.