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DIGEST

SB 467 Original 2020 Regular Session Ward

Present law provides that parish tax assessors shall receive annual compensation based upon the following compensation schedule depending on the population of the parish in which they serve:

Population	Compensation
(a) Greater than 250,000	$108,290
(b) 50,001 to 249,999	$ 98,290
(c) 50,000 or less	$ 88,290

Present law provides a one-time increase in compensation of 7% of the assessor's annual salary upon his certification as a certified Louisiana assessor (CLA).

Present law provides that, beginning on July 1, 1999, the annual compensation of each assessor shall be increased by $10,000.

Present law, beginning on July 1, 2003, authorized each assessor to increase his annual compensation by up to $7,000.

Present law authorized each assessor's office to increase the assessor's annual compensation by up to 4% each calendar year for four calendar years, beginning calendar year 2013 and ending calendar year 2016.

Proposed law authorizes each assessor's office to increase the assessor's annual compensation by up to 5% each calendar year for four calendar years, beginning calendar year 2021 and ending calendar year 2024.

Effective August 1, 2020.

(Amends R.S. 47:1907(A)(1); adds R.S. 47:1907(L))