
DIGEST

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HB 201 Engrossed

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Abstract: Prohibits the Caddo-Bossier Parishes Port Commission from using the payment in lieu of taxes program in Caddo Fire District 7 and 8 without the board's authorization.

Present law specifies that the Caddo-Bossier Parishes Port Commission (commission) must exercise the powers conferred upon it, within the port area, consisting of the entire parishes of Caddo and Bossier. Excludes from this authority any docks, landings, or wharves in use on Nov. 8, 1966, and businesses engaged in river operations in the port area on Nov. 8, 1966.

Proposed law prohibits the commission from using the payment in lieu of taxes program in Caddo Fire District 7 and 8 unless the commission receives a written resolution from the board of the district.

(Amends R.S. 34:3160(A) and (C)(1))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Transportation, Highways and Public Works to the original bill:

1. Prohibit the commission from using the payment in lieu of taxes program in Caddo Fire District 7 or 8 unless the commission receives authorization in the form of a written resolution from the board of commissioners of the district.
2. Remove a provision that exempted the commission from the authority, control, or supervision of any local regulatory body or any political subdivision.