

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

# HOUSE BILL NO. 307

## 97TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVES RIDDLE (Sponsor), BARNES,  
KELLY (45) AND HINSON (Co-sponsors).

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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### AN ACT

To repeal section 321.015, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to fire protection districts.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Section 321.015, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 321.015, to read as follows:

321.015. **1.** No person holding any lucrative office or employment under this state, or any political subdivision thereof as defined in section 70.120, shall hold the office of fire protection district director under this chapter. When any fire protection district director accepts any office or employment under this state or any political subdivision thereof, his office shall thereby be vacated and he shall thereafter perform no duty and receive no salary or expenses as fire protection district director.

**2.** This section shall not apply to:

**(1)** Members of the organized militia, of the reserve corps, public school employees and notaries public[, or to] ;

**(2)** Fire protection districts located wholly within counties of the second, third or fourth [class or] **classification;**

**(3)** **Fire protection districts in counties of the first classification with less than eighty-five thousand inhabitants;**

**(4)** **Fire protection districts** located within [first class] counties **of the first classification** not adjoining any other [first class] county[, nor shall this section apply to] **of the first classification;**

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

17           **(5) Fire protection districts located within** any county of the first or second [class]  
18 **classification** not having more than nine hundred thousand inhabitants which borders any three  
19 [first class] counties **of the first classification**; [nor shall this section apply to] ;

20           **(6) Fire protection districts located within** any [first class] county **of the first**  
21 **classification** [without a charter form of government] which adjoins both a [first class] **charter**  
22 county [with a charter form of government] **of the first classification** with at least nine hundred  
23 thousand inhabitants, and adjoins at least four other counties;

24           **(7) Fire protection districts located within any county of the first classification with**  
25 **more than one hundred fifty thousand but fewer than two hundred thousand inhabitants.**

26           **3. For the purposes of this section,** the term "lucrative office or employment" does not  
27 include receiving retirement benefits, compensation for expenses, or a stipend or per diem, in  
28 an amount not to exceed seventy-five dollars for each day of service, for service rendered to a  
29 fire protection district, the state or any political subdivision thereof.

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