SB271 L.001

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT Committee on Business, Labor, & Technology.

SB15-271 be amended as follows:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 4, line 8, strike "members" and substitute
- 2 "members,".
- 3 Page 4, strike lines 9 through 25 and substitute "appointed by SEVEN OF
- 4 WHOM the governor SHALL APPOINT. Such members shall be appointed to
- 5 represent residential, small business, and agricultural utility consumers.
- 6 Such members shall, to the extent possible, be persons with expertise or
- 7 experience in consumer related utility matters, utilities management,
- 8 economics, accounting, financing, engineering, planning, or utilities law.
- 9 THE GOVERNOR SHALL APPOINT AT LEAST ONE MEMBER WHO IS ACTIVELY
- 10 ENGAGED IN AGRICULTURE AS A BUSINESS AND AT LEAST TWO MEMBERS
- 11 WHO ARE OWNERS OF SMALL BUSINESSES WITH ONE HUNDRED OR FEWER
- 12 EMPLOYEES. In making appointments to the board, the governor shall
- 13 ensure that the membership of the board represents EACH OF the different
- 14 geographic areas SEVEN CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS of the state AND THAT
- 15 NO MORE THAN FOUR OF THE GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS ARE AFFILIATED
- 16 WITH THE SAME POLITICAL PARTY. Of the members of the board appointed
- 17 for terms beginning July 1, 1993, five of such members shall be appointed
- 18 for terms of two years and six shall be appointed for terms of four years.
- 19 Thereafter, THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE, THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE
- 20 OF REPRESENTATIVES, THE MINORITY LEADER OF THE SENATE, AND THE
- 21 MINORITY LEADER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES SHALL EACH
- 22
- APPOINT ONE MEMBER OF THE BOARD. Members of the board shall be
- 23 appointed for terms of four years. The governor shall not appoint any
- 24 member of the board If such A person has any conflict of interest with
- 25 such person's THE duties as REQUIRED OF a member of the board, THE
- 26 PERSON SHALL NOT BE APPOINTED AS A MEMBER OF THE BOARD. The
- 27 governor OFFICIAL WHO APPOINTED A BOARD MEMBER may remove any
- 28 THAT board member for misconduct, incompetence, or neglect of duty.
- 29 Board".

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