

AMENDMENTS TO LB177

Introduced by Haar, 21.

1 1. Strike the original sections and all amendments thereto and
2 insert the following new sections:

3 Section 1. Section 70-619, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
4 2014, is amended to read:

5 70-619 (1) The corporate powers of the district shall be vested in
6 and exercised by the board of directors of the district. No person shall
7 be qualified to hold office as a member of the board of directors unless
8 (a) he or she is a registered voter (i) of such chartered territory, (ii)
9 of the subdivision from which a director is to be elected if such
10 chartered territory is subdivided for election purposes as provided in
11 subsection (1), (2), or (3) of section 70-612, or (iii) of one of the
12 combined subdivisions from which directors are to be elected at large as
13 provided in section 70-612 or (b) he or she is a retail customer duly
14 certified in accordance with subsection (3) of section 70-604.03.

15 (2) No person who is a full-time or part-time employee of the
16 district shall be eligible to serve as a member of the board of directors
17 of that district and no employed officer of any entity that is part of
18 the public power industry may serve as a member of the governing board of
19 any entity that is part of the public power industry unless such person
20 (a) resigns or (b) assumes an unpaid leave of absence for the term as a
21 member. The employing district or entity that is part of the public power
22 industry shall grant such leave of absence when requested by any employee
23 for the purpose of the employee serving as a member of such the board. A
24 of directors. No person shall be qualified to be a member of more than
25 one such district board, except that a director of a rural public power
26 district may serve as a director of another public power district formed
27 or organized for the purpose of generating electric energy or

1 ~~transmitting electric energy exclusively for resale to some other public~~
2 ~~power districts, rural electric cooperatives, and membership associations~~
3 ~~or municipalities.~~ No member of a governing body of any one of the
4 municipalities within the areas of the district may not ~~shall~~ be
5 ~~qualified to~~ serve on the original board of directors under sections
6 70-603 to 70-609.

7 Sec. 2. Original section 70-619, Revised Statutes Cumulative
8 Supplement, 2014, is repealed.