AMENDMENTS TO LB 716

Introduced by Government, Military and Veterans Affairs.

1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following 2 new sections: Section 1. Section 32-604, Reissue Revised Statutes of 3 Nebraska, is amended to read: 4 5 32-604 (1) Except as provided in subsection (2) or (4) of 6 this section, no person shall be precluded from being elected or 7 appointed to or holding an elective office for the reason that he 8 or she has been elected or appointed to or holds another elective 9 office. 10 (2) No person serving as a member of the Legislature or 11 in an elective office described in Article IV, section 1 or 20, 12 or Article VII, section 3 or 10, of the Constitution of Nebraska 13 shall simultaneously serve in any other elective office, except that such a person may simultaneously serve in another elective 14

15 office which is filled at an election held in conjunction with the 16 annual meeting of a public body.

17 (3) Whenever an incumbent serving as a member of the 18 Legislature or in an elective office described in Article IV, 19 section 1 or 20, or Article VII, section 3 or 10, of the 20 Constitution of Nebraska assumes another elective office, except 21 an elective office filled at an election held in conjunction with 22 the annual meeting of a public body, the office first held by the 23 incumbent shall be deemed vacant.

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(4) No person serving in a high elective office shall 1 2 simultaneously serve in any other high elective office, except that 3 a county attorney may serve as the county attorney for more than 4 one county if appointed under subsection (2) of section 23-1201.01. 5 (5) Notwithstanding subsections (2) through subsection (4) of this section, any person holding more than one high elective 6 7 office upon September 13_7 1997_7 the effective date of this act, 8 shall be entitled to serve the remainder of all terms for which he 9 or she was elected or appointed.

10 (6) For purposes of this section, (a) elective office has 11 the meaning found in section 32-109 and includes an office which is 12 filled at an election held in conjunction with the annual meeting of a public body created by an act of the Legislature but does 13 14 not include a member of a learning community coordinating council 15 appointed pursuant to subsection (5) or (7) of section 32-546.01 16 and (b) high elective office means a member of the Legislature, 17 an elective office described in Article IV, section 1 or 20, or 18 Article VII, section 3 or 10, of the Constitution of Nebraska, or a 19 county, city, community college area, learning community, or school 20 district elective office.

Sec. 2. Section 85-1512, Reissue Revised Statutes of
Nebraska, is amended to read:

23 85-1512 Each board shall divide the community college
24 area into five election districts as nearly equal in population as
25 may be practicable and shall transmit the appropriate information
26 pertaining to such election districts to the Secretary of State
27 and to the appropriate election officials within the area. Board

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members shall be nominated and elected as provided in section 1 32-514. To be eligible for membership on the board, a person 2 shall be a registered voter and shall have been a resident of 3 the area for six months and, for members representing a district, 4 5 a resident of the district for six months. No person shall be 6 eligible to membership on a community college board of governors 7 who is an elected or appointed member of any other board relating to education. Each member elected to represent a district shall be 8 a resident of the district. 9

Sec. 3. Original sections 32-604 and 85-1512, Reissue
 Revised Statutes of Nebraska, are repealed.