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HOUSE BILL 912

43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1997

INTRODUCED BY

EDWARD C. SANDOVAL

AN ACT

RELATING TO PROPERTY TAXES; PROVIDING FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF
ALTERNATES ON COUNTY VALUATION PROTESTS BOARDS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. Section 7-38-25 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1973,
Chapter 258, Section 65, as amended) is amended to read:

"7-38-25. COUNTY VALUATION PROTESTS BOARDS-- CREATION--
DUTIES-- FUNDING. --

A. There is created in each county a "county
valuation protests board". Each board shall consist of three
voting members. Three alternates shall also be appointed to
serve as voting members in the absence of a voting member.

Voting members and alternates shall be appointed as follows:

(1) one member and one alternate shall be a
qualified elector of the county and shall be appointed by the

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1 board of county commissioners for a term of two years;

2 (2) one member and one alternate shall be a
3 qualified elector of the county, shall have demonstrated
4 experience in the field of valuation of property and shall be
5 appointed by the board of county commissioners for a term of two
6 years; and

7 (3) one member and one alternate shall be a
8 property appraisal officer employed by the department, assigned
9 by the director and shall be the chairman of the board.

10 B. [~~No member~~] Members of the board and alternates
11 appointed under Paragraph (1) or (2) of Subsection A of this
12 section shall not hold any elective public office during the
13 term of [~~his~~] their appointment nor shall any such member or
14 alternate be employed by the state, a political subdivision or a
15 school district during the term of his appointment.

16 C. Vacancies occurring on the board shall be filled
17 by the authority making the original appointment and shall be
18 for the unexpired term of the vacated membership.

19 D. The county valuation protests board shall hear
20 and decide protests of determinations made by county assessors
21 and protested under Section 7-38-24 NMSA 1978.

22 E. Members of the board and alternates when serving
23 as voting members appointed under Paragraphs (1) and (2) of
24 Subsection A of this section shall be paid as independent con-
25 tractors at the rate of eighty dollars (\$80.00) a day for each

1 day of actual service. The payment of board members and
2 alternates and all other actual and direct expenses incurred in
3 connection with protest hearings shall be paid by the ~~[division]~~
4 department. "

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FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION, 1997

February 24, 1997

Mr. Speaker:

Your TAXATION AND REVENUE COMMITTEE, to whom has
been referred

HOUSE BILL 912

has had it under consideration and reports same with
recommendation that it DO PASS.

Respectfully submitted,

Jerry W. Sandel, Chairman

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Date _____

The roll call vote was 12 For 0 Against

Yes: 12

Excused: Russell

Absent: None

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FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION, 1997

March 19, 1997

Mr. President:

Your WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE, to whom has been
referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with
recommendation that it DO PASS.

Respectfully submitted,

Carlos R. Cisneros, Chairman

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10 The roll call vote was 7 For 0 Against

11 Yes: 7

12 No: 0

13 Excused: Duran, McSorley

14 Absent: None

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