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LEGISLATIVE BILL 80

FINAL READING

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Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the County Civil Service Act; to amend
2 section 23-2519, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide
3 that certain law clerks and students are in the unclassified
4 service; and to repeal the original section.

5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 23-2519, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
2 amended to read:

3 23-2519 (1) The county service shall be divided into the classified
4 service and the unclassified service.

5 (2) All officers and positions of the county shall be in the
6 classified service unless specifically designated as being in the
7 unclassified service established by the County Civil Service Act. All
8 county employees who have permanent status under any other act prior to
9 the passage of the County Civil Service Act shall have status under the
10 act without further qualification.

11 (3) Positions in the unclassified service shall not be governed by
12 the act and shall include the following:

13 (a) ~~(1)~~ County officers elected by popular vote and persons
14 appointed to fill vacancies in such elective offices;

15 (b) ~~(2)~~ The county personnel officer and the administrative
16 assistant to the board of county commissioners;

17 (c) ~~(3)~~ Bailiffs;

18 (d) ~~(4)~~ Department heads and one principal assistant or chief deputy
19 for each county department. When more than one principal assistant or
20 chief deputy is mandated by law, all such positions shall be in the
21 unclassified service;

22 (e) ~~(5)~~ Members of boards and commissions appointed by the board of
23 county commissioners;

24 (f) ~~(6)~~ Persons employed in a professional or scientific capacity to
25 make or conduct a temporary and special investigation or examination on
26 behalf of the board of county commissioners;

27 (g) ~~(7)~~ Attorneys;

28 (h) ~~(8)~~ Physicians;

29 (i) ~~(9)~~ Employees of an emergency management organization; ~~and~~

30 (j) ~~(10)~~ Deputy sheriffs; and ~~-~~

31 (k) Law clerks and students employed by the county attorney or

1 public defender.

2 (4) Nothing in the act shall be construed as precluding the
3 appointing authority from filling any positions in the unclassified
4 service in the manner in which positions in the classified service are
5 filled.

6 Sec. 2. Original section 23-2519, Reissue Revised Statutes of
7 Nebraska, is repealed.