Legislative Analysis



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SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS AS VOLUNTEERS

House Bill 4220

Sponsor: Rep. John Espinoza

Committee: Education

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A SUMMARY OF HOUSE BILL 4220 AS INTRODUCED 2-7-07

The bill would amend Public Act 566 of 1978, which sets standards of duty for public officers and employees, to allow a school board member to be appointed to, or serve as, a volunteer coach or supervisor of a student extracurricular activity, if <u>both</u> of the following conditions were met:

- The school board member received no compensation for service as a volunteer coach or supervisor.
- O During the period he or she served, the school board member abstained from voting on issues before the school board concerning that program.

The bill would add this provision to a list of exceptions to the general statement in Section 2 of Public Act 566 that "a public officer or public employee shall not hold two or more incompatible offices at the same time."

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FISCAL IMPACT:

The bill would have no fiscal impact on state or local government.

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