

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Local Government & Housing.

SB23-068 be amended as follows:

1 Amend printed bill, page 2, after line 3 insert:

2 "SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, 25-3-302, **amend**  
3 (3) as follows:

4 **25-3-302. Board of trustees.** (3) (a) EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE  
5 PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (3)(b) OF THIS SECTION, ~~in those counties having~~  
6 WITH a population of less than three thousand, the board of public hospital  
7 trustees shall consist of five citizens at large ~~having~~ THAT HAVE the same  
8 requirements with reference to their fitness for such office as all other  
9 counties. One of ~~said~~ THE trustees, so designated in such original  
10 appointment, shall hold office until the second Tuesday of January  
11 following ~~his~~ THEIR appointment, one until the second Tuesday of the  
12 second January following ~~his~~ THEIR appointment, one until the second  
13 Tuesday of the third January following ~~his~~ THEIR appointment, one until  
14 the second Tuesday of the fourth January following ~~his~~ THEIR  
15 appointment, and one until the second Tuesday of the fifth January  
16 following ~~his~~ THEIR appointment. The term of office and the method of  
17 filling vacancies shall be the same as for all other counties.

18 (b) THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF A COUNTY WITH A  
19 POPULATION OF LESS THAN THREE THOUSAND THAT CREATES A PUBLIC  
20 HOSPITAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES MAY DETERMINE, BY A RESOLUTION OF THE  
21 BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, THAT THE PUBLIC HOSPITAL BOARD  
22 OF TRUSTEES SHALL CONSIST OF SEVEN, RATHER THAN FIVE, CITIZENS AT  
23 LARGE THAT HAVE THE SAME REQUIREMENTS WITH REFERENCE TO THEIR  
24 FITNESS FOR SUCH OFFICE AS ALL OTHER COUNTIES. FOR A PUBLIC  
25 HOSPITAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES THAT IS CREATED AFTER THE EFFECTIVE  
26 DATE OF THIS SUBSECTION (3)(b) AND THAT CONSISTS OF SEVEN MEMBERS  
27 PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (3)(b), THE TRUSTEES SHALL HOLD OFFICE  
28 AS IS SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION. FOR A PUBLIC  
29 HOSPITAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES THAT IS IN EXISTENCE WHEN THE BOARD OF  
30 COUNTY COMMISSIONERS DETERMINES THAT THE PUBLIC HOSPITAL BOARD  
31 OF TRUSTEES WILL CONSIST OF SEVEN MEMBERS, ONE OF THE ADDITIONAL  
32 TRUSTEES SHALL HOLD OFFICE UNTIL THE SECOND TUESDAY OF THE THIRD  
33 JANUARY FOLLOWING THEIR APPOINTMENT, AND THE OTHER ADDITIONAL  
34 TRUSTEE SHALL HOLD OFFICE UNTIL THE SECOND TUESDAY OF THE FIFTH  
35 JANUARY FROM THEIR APPOINTMENT. THE TERM OF OFFICE AND THE  
36 METHOD OF FILLING VACANCIES SHALL BE THE SAME AS FOR ALL OTHER  
37 COUNTIES."

38 Renumber succeeding sections accordingly.

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