

BILL ANALYSIS

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C.S.S.B. 1498
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Committee Report (Substituted)

AUTHOR'S / SPONSOR'S STATEMENT OF INTENT

C.S.S.B. 1498 authorizes Webb County to create a county civil service system for its employees. The county requested this legislation.

RULEMAKING AUTHORITY

This bill does not expressly grant any additional rulemaking authority to a state officer, institution, or agency.

SECTION BY SECTION ANALYSIS

SECTION 1. Amends Section 158.001(3), Local Government Code, to redefine "department."

SECTION 2 Amends Section 158.002, Local Government Code, to decrease to 190,000 or more, rather than 200,000 or more, the required population of a county that is authorized to create a county civil service system to include certain employees of the county.

SECTION 3. Amends Section 158.0025(a), Local Government Code, to make a conforming change.

SECTION 4. Effective date: upon passage or September 1, 2007.