



CS HB 71 Explanation of Changes

Section 1: Modified from original bill. This section maintains that the Governor may waive a portion of his annual salary but no longer restricts the waiver during the period of July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2019.

Section 2: New section. Removes language that temporary salary schedules do not affect salaries of employees in a bargaining unit represented by a labor union established under the Public Employment Relations Act and adds the term “pay period” to the title. Language that was removed is now found in section 3 of the bill.

Section 3: New section. Allows the Director of the Division of Personnel to establish a two-week pay period for biweekly payment of a monthly salary. It sets forth the manner in which the Director shall determine the amount paid biweekly. Recognizes that this section does not apply to employees in a bargaining unit represented by a labor union established under the Public Employment Relations Act.

Section 4: New section. Clarifies this legislation expressly modifies pay provisions applicable to the Governor.

Sections 5-7: Modified from original bill. Sets effective dates for the Act. The Governor’s ability to waive his/her salary is retroactive to January 1, 2018. Sections 1, 4 and 5 are effective immediately. Sections 2 and 3 are effective July 1, 2018.

All sections related to the temporary elimination of salary increases for employees in the Executive branch, Legislative branch and University have been removed in the CS, as well as transition language.