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House Bill 3262

By Delegates G. Howell, Masters, and Kump

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A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding a new section, designated §7-1-17, relating to providing for the recusal of a county commissioner in certain circumstances.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

[ARTICLE 1. COUNTY COMMISSIONS GENERALLY.](https://code.wvlegislature.gov/7-1/)

§7-1-17. Recusal of county commissioner in certain circumstances.

If an individual is serving as a county commissioner while also serving voluntarily on a non statutory board with an issue to be voted on by both bodies, that county commissioner shall recuse himself or herself from the decision-making process that involves both entities.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to provide for the recusal of a county commissioner in certain circumstances.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.