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By Representatives Hurst, Kelley, Sells, Dunshee, Kenney, Lovick, McCoy, O'Brien and Simpson; by request of Indeterminate Sentence Review Board

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1 AN ACT Relating to the appointment of indeterminate sentence review  
2 board members; and amending RCW 9.95.003.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 9.95.003 and 1997 c 350 s 2 are each amended to read  
5 as follows:

6 The board shall consist of a chairman and (~~two~~) four other  
7 members, each of whom shall be appointed by the governor with the  
8 consent of the senate. Each member shall hold office for a term of  
9 five years, and until his or her successor is appointed and qualified.  
10 The terms shall expire on April 15th of the expiration year. Vacancies  
11 in the membership of the board shall be filled by appointment by the  
12 governor with the consent of the senate. In the event of the inability  
13 of any member to act, the governor shall appoint some competent person  
14 to act in his stead during the continuance of such inability. The  
15 members shall not be removable during their respective terms except for  
16 cause determined by the superior court of Thurston county. The  
17 governor in appointing the members shall designate one of them to serve  
18 as chairman at the governor's pleasure. The appointed chairman shall

1 serve as a fully participating board member and as the director of the  
2 agency.

3 The members of the board and its officers and employees shall not  
4 engage in any other business or profession or hold any other public  
5 office without the prior approval of the executive ethics board  
6 indicating compliance with RCW 42.52.020, 42.52.030, 42.52.040 and  
7 42.52.120; nor shall they, at the time of appointment or employment or  
8 during their incumbency, serve as the representative of any political  
9 party on an executive committee or other governing body thereof, or as  
10 an executive officer or employee of any political committee or  
11 association. The members of the board shall each severally receive  
12 salaries fixed by the governor in accordance with the provisions of RCW  
13 43.03.040, and in addition shall receive travel expenses incurred in  
14 the discharge of their official duties in accordance with RCW 43.03.050  
15 and 43.03.060.

16 The board may employ, and fix, with the approval of the governor,  
17 the compensation of and prescribe the duties of ((~~a secretary~~)) an  
18 executive director and such officers, employees, and assistants as may  
19 be necessary, and provide necessary quarters, supplies, and equipment.

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