

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
DIGEST FOR SB 348**

Citations Affected: IC 35-44-2-4.

Synopsis: Ghost employment. Conference committee report for ESB 348. Specifies that, for purposes of the law concerning ghost employment, an employee of a governmental entity who voluntarily performs services: (1) that do not promote religion, attempt to influence legislation or governmental policy, or attempt to influence elections to public office; (2) for the benefit of another governmental entity or an organization that is exempt from federal income taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code; (3) with the approval of the employee's supervisor; and (4) in compliance with a written policy or regulation that is issued by the executive officer of the governmental entity and that contains limitations on the total time that may be spent performing the services, is considered to be performing duties related to the operation of the governmental entity. (This Conference Committee Report deletes and replaces language added in the House of Representatives.)

Effective: July 1, 1998.

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MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Conference Committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the House upon Engrossed House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 348 respectfully reports that said two committees have conferred and agreed as follows to wit:

that the Senate recede from its dissent from all House amendments and that the Senate now concur in all House amendments to the bill and that the bill be further amended as follows:

- 1 Page 2, delete lines 13 through 25, begin a new line block indented
2 and insert:
3 **"(1) that do not:**
4 **(A) promote religion;**
5 **(B) attempt to influence legislation or governmental**
6 **policy; or**
7 **(C) attempt to influence elections to public office;**
8 **(2) for the benefit of:**
9 **(A) another governmental entity; or**
10 **(B) an organization that is exempt from federal income**
11 **taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue**
12 **Code;"**
13 Page 2, line 26, delete "(2)" and insert "(3)".
14 Page 2, line 27, delete "(3)" and insert "(4)".
 (Reference is to ESB 348 as reprinted February 19, 1998.)

Conference Committee Report
on
Senate Bill 348

Signed by:

Senator Johnson

Representative Klinker

Senator Rogers

Representative Burkhardt

Senate Conferees

House Conferees