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CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE—2011–12 REGULAR SESSION

ASSEMBLY BILL

No. 2115

Introduced by Assembly Member Alejo

February 23, 2012

An act to amend Section 32121.5 of the Health and Safety Code, relating to local ~~hospital~~ *health care* districts.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 2115, as amended, Alejo. Local ~~hospital~~ *health care* districts: employment contracts.

Existing law, the Local Health Care District Law, regulates local ~~hospital~~ *health care* districts and authorizes the ~~hospital~~ *health care* districts to exercise specified powers. Existing law authorizes a local ~~hospital~~ *health care* district to enter into an employment contract with a hospital administrator.

This bill would require a local ~~hospital~~ *health care* district ~~that, if it employs or contracts for a hospital administrator or chief executive officer,~~ to enter into a written employment contract with the hospital administrator *or chief executive officer*, thereby imposing a state-mandated local program.

The California Constitution requires the state to reimburse local agencies and school districts for certain costs mandated by the state. Statutory provisions establish procedures for making that reimbursement.

This bill would provide that, if the Commission on State Mandates determines that the bill contains costs mandated by the state,

reimbursement for those costs shall be made pursuant to these statutory provisions.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: yes.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 32121.5 of the Health and Safety Code
2 is amended to read:

3 32121.5. (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this
4 division, a local ~~hospital~~ health care district may enter into a
5 contract of employment with a hospital administrator or chief
6 executive officer, ~~the duration of which shall not exceed four years,~~
7 ~~but which may periodically be renewed upon expiration for not~~
8 ~~more than four years.~~

9 (b) If a local health care district employs or contracts for a
10 hospital administrator or chief executive officer pursuant to
11 subdivision (a), the district shall enter into a written employment
12 agreement with the hospital administrator or chief executive
13 officer, not to exceed four years, but which may periodically be
14 renewed for not more than four years.

15 SECTION 1. ~~Section 32121.5 of the Health and Safety Code~~
16 ~~is amended to read:~~

17 ~~32121.5. Notwithstanding any other provision of this division,~~
18 ~~a local hospital district shall, if employing a hospital administrator,~~
19 ~~enter into a written contract of employment with the hospital~~
20 ~~administrator. The duration of the employment contract shall not~~
21 ~~exceed four years, but may periodically be renewed upon expiration~~
22 ~~for not more than four years.~~

23 SEC. 2. If the Commission on State Mandates determines that
24 this act contains costs mandated by the state, reimbursement to
25 local agencies and school districts for those costs shall be made
26 pursuant to Part 7 (commencing with Section 17500) of Division
27 4 of Title 2 of the Government Code.