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OPINION NO. 85-31

Honorable Billy Joe Purdom
State Representative
House of Representatives - State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Representative Purdom:

This is in response to your inquiry whereby you submitted the following:

Can a deputy tax collector also serve on the County
Board of Education?

Ark. Stat. Ann. §80-201 provides in part that, "The members of
said board shall be qualified electors . . . , who do not hold
any salaried or fee office of the State or any political subdivision."

This statute would preclude the simultaneous holding of the two
positions.

The foregoing opinion, which I hereby approve, was prepared by
Chief Deputy Attorney General Rodney Parham.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Steve Clark".

STEVE CLARK
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