



# **Kentucky Office of Lt. Governor Statutory Duties**

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## **Summary**

The Kentucky lieutenant governor has twelve (12) statutory specifications. These include the areas of transportation, agriculture, and natural resources, serving on the Governor's Cabinet, and more.

## **Citations**

Kentucky is a state with its own code, KRS 11.400, devoted to listing duties of the lieutenant governor. Statutory duties of the Lieutenant Governor as prescribed by Kentucky Revised Statutes (KRS):

1. Serves as a member of the Governor's Executive Cabinet (KRS 11.065).
2. Serves as vice chairman of the State Property and Buildings Commission (KRS 56.450).
3. Serves as vice chairman of the Kentucky Turnpike Authority (KRS 175.430).
4. Serves as a member of the Kentucky Council on Agriculture (KRS 247.417).
5. Appoints one (1) member of the Public Officials' Compensation Commission (KRS 64.742).
6. Serves as a member of the Board of the Kentucky Housing Corporation (KRS 198A.030).
7. Serves as a member of Kentucky delegations on the following interstate compact commissions or boards:
  - a. The Southern Growth Policies Board (KRS 147.585),
  - b. The Breaks Interstate Park Commission (KRS 148.225),
  - c. The Falls of the Ohio Interstate Park Commission (KRS 148.242),
  - d. The Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway Development Authority (KRS 182.305),
  - e. The Interstate Water Sanitation Control Commissions (KRS 224.18-710; and
  - f. The Kentucky Mining Advisory Council for the Interstate Mining Compact (KRS 350.310).

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