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Senator Martin,

An election commissioner would have to recuse him/herself if a conflict of interest were to arise in the course of their service on the county election commission (e.g. if an election issue related to her husband's public service). However, it would typically not prevent her from being recommended for appointment.

Let me know if you have further questions.

Swati

From: Shane Martin [mailto:ShaneMartin@scsenate.gov]
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Can you please tell me if this would be a conflict of interest as her husband is an elected official.

Thanks,

Shane

From: Crowe, Carol [mailto:ccrowe@spartanburgcounty.org]
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I have had questions posed to me regarding the Election Commission application received from Jessie Ruth Littlejohn. She has applied to be considered to serve on the Election Commission, her husband has just been elected to the City (Spartanburg) Water District. Would you be able to find out if that would be a conflict for her if she were chosen to serve?

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