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# HOUSE BILL NO. 251

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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## AN ACT

To repeal section 54.040, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the qualifications of county treasurer.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Section 54.040, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 54.040, to read as follows:

54.040. 1. Except in a county with a charter form of government, a candidate for county treasurer shall be at least twenty-one years of age and a resident of the state of Missouri and the county in which he or she is a candidate for at least one year prior to the date of the general election for such office. The candidate shall also be a registered voter and shall be current in the payment of all personal and real estate taxes. Upon election to such office, the person shall continue to reside in that county during his or her tenure in office. Each candidate for county treasurer shall also provide to the election authority a copy of a signed affidavit from a surety company authorized to do business in this state indicating that the candidate meets the bond requirements for the office of county treasurer under this chapter.

2. No sheriff, marshal, clerk or collector, or the deputy of any such officer, shall [be eligible to] **hold** the office of treasurer of any county.

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.