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SENATE BILL NO. 53

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR LUETKEMEYER.

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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary

AN ACT

To amend chapter 84, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to law enforcement officer residency requirements.

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

Section A. Chapter 84, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto
2 one new section, to be known as section 84.575, to read as
3 follows:

84.575. 1. The board of police commissioners
2 established by section 84.350 shall not require, as a
3 condition of employment, that any currently employed or
4 prospective law enforcement officer or other employee reside
5 within any jurisdictional limit. If the board of police
6 commissioners has a residency rule or requirement for law
7 enforcement officers or other employees that is in effect on
8 or before August 28, 2021, the residency rule or requirement
9 shall not apply and shall not be enforced.

10 2. The board of police commissioners may impose a
11 residency rule or requirement on law enforcement officers or
12 other employees, but the rule or requirement shall be no
13 more restrictive than requiring such personnel to reside
14 within a one-hour response time.

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