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SENATE BILL NO. 69

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Reported from the Committee on Financial and Governmental Organizations and Elections, April 9, 2015, with recommendation that the Senate Committee Substitute do pass.

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ADRIANE D. CROUSE, Secretary.

AN ACT

To repeal section 115.353, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to boards of elections.

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

Section A. Section 115.353, RSMo, is repealed and one new section 2 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 115.353, to read as follows:

115.353. All declarations of candidacy shall be filed as follows:

- 2 (1) For presidential elector, United States senator, representative in
- 3 Congress, statewide office, circuit judge not subject to the provisions of article V,
- 4 section 25 of the Missouri Constitution, state senator and state representative,
- 5 in the office of the secretary of state;
- 6 (2) For all county offices which for the purpose of election procedures shall
- 7 include associate circuit judges not subject to the provisions of article V, section
- 3 25 of the Missouri Constitution, in the office of the county election authority;
- 9 (3) For all county offices, in the office of the county election authority. In
- 10 any county in which there [are two boards] is a board of election commissioners,
- 11 the [county clerk] board of elections shall be deemed to be the election
- 12 authority for purposes of this section;
- 13 (4) For each elected office within a political subdivision, in the
- 14 local election authority.

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