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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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AN ACT

To amend chapter 71, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to municipal employee residency requirements.

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

Section A. Chapter 71, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 71.215, to read as follows:

71.215. 1. This section shall be known as the "Education Freedom Act".

2. The governing body of any municipality shall not require any employee of such municipality to reside within the boundaries of the municipality if the only public school district available to the employee within such municipality is or has been unaccredited or provisionally accredited in the last five years of such employee's employment. No charter school shall be deemed a public school for purposes of this section.

3. No employee of a municipality, who has not resided in such municipality's boundaries or who has changed his or her residency because of conditions described in subsection 2 of this section, shall, as a condition of employment, be required to reside within the boundaries of the municipality if such school district subsequently becomes fully accredited.

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