

Assembly Bill No. 215—Assemblymen Gorelow; Orentlicher and Thomas

Joint Sponsor: Senator Ohrenscha

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AN ACT relating to the Nevada Silver Haired Legislative Forum; revising the residency requirements to be eligible for appointment as a member of the Forum; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

Existing law establishes the Nevada Silver Haired Legislative Forum and authorizes the Forum to make recommendations for legislative action concerning issues relating to senior citizens. (NRS 427A.320, 427A.390) To be eligible for appointment as a member of the Forum, a person must: (1) have been a resident of this State for 5 years immediately preceding his or her appointment; (2) have been a registered voter in the senatorial district of the Senator who nominated the member for 3 years immediately preceding his or her appointment; and (3) be at least 60 years of age on the day that he or she is appointed. (NRS 427A.340) This bill decreases the time a person is required to have been a registered voter in the senatorial district of the Senator who nominated the member from 3 years to 1 year immediately preceding his or her appointment for the person to be eligible for appointment as a member of the Forum.

EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. NRS 427A.340 is hereby amended to read as follows:

427A.340 To be eligible for appointment as a member of the Forum pursuant to NRS 427A.330, a person must:

1. Have been a resident of this state for 5 years immediately preceding his or her appointment;
2. Have been a registered voter in the senatorial district of the Senator who nominated the member for ~~{3—years}~~ *1 year* immediately preceding his or her appointment; and
3. Be at least 60 years of age on the day that he or she is appointed.

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

