1 State of Arkansas A Bill 2 83rd General Assembly HOUSE BILL 2572 3 Regular Session, 2001 4 5 By: Representative Hathorn 6 7 For An Act To Be Entitled 8 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 14-42-201 TO REMOVE 9 PERSONS SERVING AS CITY ATTORNEY FROM THE RESIDENCY 10 11 REQUIREMENT FOR MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS; AND FOR OTHER 12 PURPOSES. 13 **Subtitle** 14 TO REMOVE CITY ATTORNEYS FROM THE 15 16 RESIDENCY REQUIREMENT FOR MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS. 17 18 19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS: 20 21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 14-42-201(d), concerning the election of 22 23 municipal officers generally, is amended to read as follows: (d) In addition to other residency requirements imposed by state law 24 25 for municipal office holders, candidates for the positions of mayor, clerk, city attorney, recorder, or treasurer must reside within the corporate 26 municipal limits at the time they file as candidates and must continue to 27 reside within the corporate limits to retain elective office. In cities of 28 the first class and cities of the second class, candidates for the position 29 of alderman shall reside within the corporate limits and their respective 30 31 wards at the time they file as candidates for alderman and when holding that 32 office. 33 34 35 36

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