

1997 ASSEMBLY BILL 42

February 3, 1997 – Introduced by Representatives WARD, SPRINGER, OLSEN, JENSEN, WOOD, NASS, SCHAFER, F. LASEE, SERATTI, KEDZIE, HAHN, MUSSER, ZIEGELBAUER and LINTON, cosponsored by Senators DRZEWIECKI, DECKER, COWLES and FITZGERALD. Referred to Committee on Urban and Local Affairs.

1 AN ACT to amend 60.30 (2) (a) of the statutes; relating to: residency 2 requirements for certain appointed town officers.

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

Under current law, only an elector of the town may hold a town office, other than an appointed town assessor. This bill changes current law by allowing an appointed town clerk, treasurer or combined clerk and treasurer to serve as a town officer even if he or she is not an elector of the town. Under the bill, an elected town clerk, treasurer or combined clerk and treasurer would still be required to be an elector of the town.

For further information see the *local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

- 3 **SECTION 1.** 60.30 (2) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
- 4 60.30 (2) (a) Only an elector of the town may hold a town office, other than an
- 5 assessor appointed under s. 60.307 or a town clerk, town treasurer or combined town
- 6 <u>clerk and town treasurer appointed under sub. (1e)</u>.
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