



102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2021 and 2022

HB5727

Introduced 3/22/2022, by Rep. C.D. Davidsmeyer

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

55 ILCS 5/3-6001.5

Amends the Sheriff Division of the Counties Code. Provides that a person is not eligible to be elected or appointed to the office of sheriff unless the person has a certificate attesting to his or her successful completion of the Minimum Standards Basic Law Enforcement Officers Training Course or the county corrections training (rather than only the Minimum Standards Basic Law Enforcement Officers Training Course) as prescribed by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board or substantially similar training programs of another state or the federal government. Specifies that the training requirement does not apply to a sheriff serving on the effective date of the amendatory Act.

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1 AN ACT concerning local government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Counties Code is amended by changing
5 Section 3-6001.5 as follows:

6 (55 ILCS 5/3-6001.5)

7 Sec. 3-6001.5. Sheriff qualifications. A person is not
8 eligible to be elected or appointed to the office of sheriff,
9 unless that person meets all of the following requirements:

10 (1) Is a United States citizen.

11 (2) Has been a resident of the county for at least one
12 year.

13 (3) Is not a convicted felon.

14 (4) Has a certificate attesting to his or her
15 successful completion of the Minimum Standards Basic Law
16 Enforcement Officers Training Course or the county
17 corrections training as prescribed by the Illinois Law
18 Enforcement Training Standards Board or ~~a~~ substantially
19 similar training programs ~~program~~ of another state or the
20 federal government. This paragraph does not apply to a
21 sheriff ~~currently~~ serving on the effective date of this
22 amendatory Act of the 102nd General Assembly ~~this~~
23 ~~amendatory Act of the 101st General Assembly.~~

1 (Source: P.A. 101-652, eff. 1-1-22.)