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AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 11-531, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO COUNTY ATTORNEYS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Section 11-531, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 11-531. Qualifications

5 A. ~~No~~ A person ~~shall be~~ IS NOT eligible for the office of county
6 attorney unless ~~he~~ THE PERSON MEETS ALL OF THE FOLLOWING QUALIFICATIONS:

7 1. Is an attorney at law. ~~;~~

8 2. IS licensed AS AN ATTORNEY AT LAW and in good standing in this
9 state.

10 3. HAS BEEN ADMITTED TO THE PRACTICE OF LAW IN THIS STATE FOR AT
11 LEAST FIVE YEARS NEXT PRECEDING TAKING OFFICE.

12 B. The board of supervisors shall not pay a salary to any person as
13 county attorney who is not ~~so~~ eligible for the office AS PRESCRIBED IN
14 SUBSECTION A OF THIS SECTION.

15 Sec. 2. Terms of county attorneys

16 Notwithstanding section 11-531, Arizona Revised Statutes, as amended
17 by this act, a person who is serving as a county attorney on the effective
18 date of this act is eligible to continue to serve until expiration of the
19 current term of office.