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## 2013-2014 Regular Sessions

## IN ASSEMBLY

April 17, 2013

Introduced by M. of A. GIGLIO -- read once and referred to the Committee on Local Governments

AN ACT to amend the town law and the public officers law, in relation to requirements for individuals serving as town justice

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

- 1 Section 1. Section 23 of the town law is amended by adding a new 2 subdivision 26 to read as follows:
  - 26. NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SUBDIVISION ONE OF THIS SECTION, IN THE TOWN OF LYNDON, IN THE COUNTY OF CATTARAUGUS, THE PERSONS PERFORMING THE FUNCTIONS OF TOWN JUSTICE NEED NOT BE ELECTORS OF SUCH TOWN. PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THE PERSONS PERFORMING THE FUNCTIONS OF TOWN JUSTICE IN ANY OTHER TOWN SHALL BE ELECTORS OF SUCH TOWN UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED BY LAW.
- 9 S 2. Section 3 of the public officers law is amended by adding a new 10 subdivision 60 to read as follows:
- 11 60. IN THE TOWN OF LYNDON, IN THE COUNTY OF CATTARAUGUS, THE 12 PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION REQUIRING A PERSON TO BE A RESIDENT OF THE 13 POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OR MUNICIPAL CORPORATION OF THE STATE FOR WHICH HE 14 OR SHE SHALL BE CHOSEN OR WITHIN WHICH HIS OR HER OFFICIAL FUNCTIONS ARE
- 14 OR SHE SHALL BE CHOSEN OR WITHIN WHICH HIS OR HER OFFICIAL FUNCTIONS ARE 15 REQUIRED TO BE EXERCISED, SHALL NOT PREVENT A PERSON FROM HOLDING THE
- 16 OFFICE OF TOWN JUSTICE OF THE TOWN OF LYNDON, PROVIDED THAT SUCH PERSONS
- 17 RESIDES IN A TOWN WHICH IS IN THE COUNTY OF CATTARAUGUS. PROVIDED,
- 18 HOWEVER, THE PERSON PERFORMING THE FUNCTIONS OF TOWN JUSTICE IN ANY 19 OTHER TOWN SHALL BE A RESIDENT OF SUCH TOWN, UNLESS OTHERWISE PROVIDED
- 20 BY LAW.

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21 S 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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