# STATE OF NEW YORK

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2023-2024 Regular Sessions

# IN ASSEMBLY

May 8, 2023

Introduced by M. of A. MILLER, SMULLEN -- read once and referred to the Committee on Governmental Operations

AN ACT to amend the public officers law, in relation to waiving the residency requirement for the Herkimer county commissioner of social services

**The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:**

Section 1. Section 3 of the public officers law is amended by adding a new subdivision 73 to read as follows:

**73. In the county of Herkimer, the provisions of this section requiring a person to be a resident of the political subdivision or municipal corporation of the state for which he or she shall be chosen or within which his or her official functions are required to be exercised, shall not prevent a person from holding the office of Herkimer county commissioner of social services, provided that such person resides in a county adjoining Herkimer county within the state of New York; provided, however that any person performing such functions or holding the office of county commissioner of social services in any other county shall be a resident of such county unless otherwise provided by law.**

§ 2. 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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