STATE OF NEW YORK

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2025-2026 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

January 16, 2025

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

AN ACT to amend the county law, in relation to the full-time status of the district attorney of Hamilton county

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

Section 1. Subdivision 8 of section 700 of the county law, as amended by chapter 419 of the laws of 1978, is amended to read as follows:

8. The district attorney of a county having a population of more than one hundred thousand according to the last federal census [~~and~~], **the district attorney of Hamilton county,** the district attorney of Essex county and any county having a population of more than forty thousand but less than one hundred thousand according to the last federal census, the board of supervisors of which has designated such office as a full-time position, shall give [~~his~~] whole time **attention** to [~~his~~] **the** duties **of the office** and shall not engage in the practice of law, act as an arbitrator, referee or compensated mediator in any action or proceeding or matter or engage in the conduct of any other profession or business which interferes with the performance of [~~his~~] **such** duties as district attorney.

§ 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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