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## 90TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

## AN ACT

To amend chapter 99, RSMo, relating to municipal housing by adding thereto one new section relating to additional housing commissioners in certain political subdivisions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Chapter 99, RSMo, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 99.053, to read as follows:

- 99.053. 1. Notwithstanding any provision of section 99.050 to the contrary regarding the number of housing commissioners, in any political subdivision except those described in subsection 2 of this section, a sixth housing commissioner may be appointed. Such a commissioner may be appointed, in the same manner as other appointees pursuant to section 99.050, if the housing authority determines that such a commissioner is needed to fulfill any federal requirement stating that at least one person who receives direct assistance from the housing authority shall serve as a commissioner. Any commissioner appointed pursuant to this subsection shall forfeit such appointment if that person:
- (1) Ceases to meet the requirements of housing commissioners pursuant to section 99.050; or
- (2) Ceases receiving direct assistance from the housing authority for which he or she is a commissioner.
  - 2. The provisions of this section shall not apply to those housing authorities:
  - (1) With jurisdiction over a city not within a county;
- (2) With jurisdiction over a city with a population of over four hundred thousand inhabitants;
  - (3) Which are exempted, pursuant to federal law or regulation, from any federal

requirement stating that at least one person who receives direct assistance from the housing authority shall serve as a commissioner.

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