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SENATE BILL NO. 557

95TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR MAYER.

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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

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AN ACT

To repeal section 48.050, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to county officers.

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

Section A. Section 48.050, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted
2 in lieu thereof, to be known as section 48.050, to read as follows:

48.050. 1. Any elected county official whose office may be abolished or
2 consolidated with another office as a result of the change of the county from one
3 class to another shall continue to hold the office to which [he] **the official** was
4 elected for the term for which [he] **the official** was elected. Any office which
5 may be established as a result of the change of the county from one class to
6 another shall be filled in accordance with the provisions of the law relating to the
7 filling of vacancies for such office.

8 **2. When any county changes classification, the salary established**
9 **for each county official at the time of the change shall not be reduced**
10 **until such person holding the office at the time of the change leaves**
11 **office.**

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EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.