WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

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Introduced

Senate Bill 565

BY SENATOR BOSO

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to the Committee on Government Organization]

A BILL to amend and reenact §11-2-3 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating
to removing the residency requirements for hiring deputy assessors.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 2. ASSESSORS.

§11-2-3. Selection of deputy assessors.

The deputy assessors, including the transfer and office deputies, shall be residents and
voters in the county: Provided, That a deputy assessor whose primary responsibility is that of
updating the assessor's maps may be a resident and voter of a contiguous county of this state
The deputy assessors shall be appointed by the assessor with the advice and consent of the
county commission, and may be removed at any time in the discretion of the assessor. Vacancies
occurring from any cause in the office of any deputy assessor shall be filled by the assessors.
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NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to remove the residency requirements for hiring deputy assessors.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.