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Sponsor(s) Gewertz & Gorman

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ASSEMBLY, No. 1423

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED APRIL 1, 1974

By Assemblymen GEWERTZ and GORMAN

Referred to Committee on Municipal Government

AN ACT concerning officers of counties and municipalities under certain circumstances, and amending N. J. S. 40A:9-1.

1 BE IT ENACTED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
2 *of New Jersey:*

1 1. N. J. S. 40A:9-1 is amended to read as follows:

2 40A:9-1. Except in the case of counsel, attorney, engineer, health
3 officer, auditor, **[or]** comptroller, *appointed tax assessor, or mem-*
4 *bers of boards of assessors* or as otherwise provided by law, every
5 person holding an office, the authority and duties of which relate
6 to a county only, to a municipality only, shall reside within said
7 county or municipality, as the case may be.

8 Any person holding or attempting to hold any such office in a
9 county or municipality in violation hereof, may be ousted in a pro-
10 ceeding in lieu of prerogative writ.

1 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

STATEMENT

This bill is designed to open up the pool of qualified persons who may lawfully assume the office of assessor. Many municipalities found themselves unable to fill a vacancy with a qualified person residing therein. This bill will afford municipalities an opportunity to fill a vacancy with a qualified person.

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