CHAPTER 90

(HB 302)

AN ACT relating to city civil service.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

Section 1. KRS 90.330 is amended to read as follows:

- (1) The civil service commission shall examine all applicants as to their physical and mental qualification for the particular classification wherein they seek employment. To be eligible for examination a person must not be less than eighteen (18) nor have passed his or her forty-sixth birthday, a law-abiding citizen of sobriety and integrity, and must be able to read and write and understand the English language; provided, however, that any present employee who is over forty-five (45) years of age and who is otherwise qualified shall be eligible to take any promotional examinations.
- (2) Except for those members whose qualifications are determined under KRS 95.440, no person shall be appointed to a position under civil service until that person is a resident of the *Commonwealth of Kentucky*[county in which the city is located].
- (3) Any city legislative body that operates under this chapter may by ordinance require persons appointed to civil service positions to be a resident of the county in which the city is located.

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