

1 AN ACT relating to deputy jailers.

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

3 ➔Section 1. KRS 71.060 is amended to read as follows:

4 (1) The jailer shall be liable on his official bond for the conduct of his deputies. The
5 deputies shall have all the powers and be subject to the same penalties as the jailer.

6 (2) The jailer shall be responsible for the appointment and removal of jail personnel,
7 and the jailer may dismiss his deputies at any time with cause. **Any law to the**

8 **contrary notwithstanding, a jailer may appoint a deputy who resides outside the**
9 **Commonwealth.** The number of jail personnel shall be set by the fiscal court in the

10 jail budget. The fiscal court shall establish education and training requirements as
11 permitted by regulations adopted pursuant to KRS 441.055.