LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1005

Introduced by DeBoer, 10.

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Committee: Revenue

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to treasurer's tax deeds; to amend section
- 2 77-1835, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2020; to change
- 3 provisions relating to notice; to harmonize provisions; and to
- 4 repeal the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

- 1 Section 1. Section 77-1835, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
- 2 2020, is amended to read:
- 3 77-1835 <u>(1)</u> The notice provided by section 77-1834 shall be
- 4 published three consecutive weeks, the last time not less than three
- 5 months before applying for the tax deed. The purchaser or assignee shall,
- 6 within five days after the first publication of the notice, send by
- 7 United States mail a copy of such published notice to the person in whose
- 8 <u>name the title to the real property appears of record.</u> Proof of
- 9 publication shall be made by filing in the county treasurer's office the
- 10 affidavit of the publisher, manager, or other employee of such newspaper,
- 11 affirming that to his or her personal knowledge, the notice was published
- 12 for the time and in the manner provided in this section, setting out a
- 13 copy of the notice and the date upon which the same was published.
- 14 (2) The purchaser or assignee shall also file in the county
- 15 treasurer's office <u>(a)</u>an affidavit affirming that a title search was
- 16 conducted by a registered abstracter to determine those persons entitled
- 17 to notice pursuant to section 77-1832 and affirming that a copy of the
- 18 published notice was sent to the person in whose name the title to the
- 19 real property appears of record in accordance with subsection (1) of this
- 20 <u>section</u> and <u>(b)</u> a copy of such title search.
- 21 (3) The affidavits, the copy of the notice, and the copy of the
- 22 title search shall be filed with the application for the tax deed
- 23 pursuant to section 77-1837. Such documents shall be preserved as a part
- 24 of the files of the office.
- 25 (4) Any publisher, manager, or employee of a newspaper knowingly or
- 26 negligently making a false affidavit regarding any such matters shall be
- 27 guilty of perjury and shall be punished accordingly.
- 28 <u>(5)</u> Section 25-520.01 does not apply to publication of notice
- 29 pursuant to section 77-1834.
- 30 Sec. 2. Original section 77-1835, Revised Statutes Cumulative
- 31 Supplement, 2020, is repealed.