

LEGISLATIVE BILL 24

Approved by the Acting Governor January 27, 1989

Introduced by Labeledz, 5, Chairperson, Executive Board

AN ACT relating to the register of deeds; to amend sections 23-1501 and 23-1502, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943; to harmonize provisions relating to the election of a register of deeds; and to repeal the original sections.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. That section 23-1501, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, be amended to read as follows:

23-1501. In each county of sixteen thousand inhabitants or more, and where the offices of register of deeds and county clerk are separate that has a register of deeds, the county board shall provide suitable office room, fireproof vaults of sufficient capacity, and necessary books, blanks, stationery, and office furniture for the use of the register of deeds.

A register of deeds elected after November 1986 need not be a resident of the county when he or she files for election as register of deeds, but a register of deeds shall reside in the county in which he or she holds office.

Sec. 2. That section 23-1502, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, be amended to read as follows:

23-1502. In each county having less than sixteen thousand inhabitants, and until such Unless a register of deeds shall be appointed or elected and qualified therein is elected pursuant to section 32-308, the county clerk shall perform all the duties enjoined imposed by law upon such officer, the register of deeds and shall be ex officio register of deeds.

Sec. 3. That original sections 23-1501 and 23-1502, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, 1943, are repealed.