

HOUSE BILL No. 2539

By Representative Carpenter

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1 AN ACT concerning certain statewide elected officials; amending K.S.A.
2 25-101a and repealing the existing section.

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4 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

5 Section 1. K.S.A. 25-101a is hereby amended to read as follows: 25-
6 101a. (a) On the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday in November in
7 1978, and each four years thereafter, there shall be elected a governor and
8 lieutenant governor running together, a secretary of state, an attorney
9 general, a state treasurer and a state commissioner of insurance.

10 (b) *Every candidate for the office of secretary of state, attorney*
11 *general, state treasurer and state commissioner of insurance shall be a*
12 *qualified elector of the state of Kansas.*

13 (c) *Every candidate for the office of governor and lieutenant*
14 *governor shall be a qualified elector*~~*and shall have been a Kansas-*~~
15 ~~*resident for at least four consecutive years prior to becoming such a*~~
16 ~~*candidate.*~~

17 **{(d) Every candidate for the office of attorney general must be**
18 **licensed to practice law within the state of Kansas.}**

19 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 25-101a is hereby repealed.

20 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force on and after January
21 1, 2019, and its publication in the statute book.