

1 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 9

2 **53RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2018**

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10 A JOINT RESOLUTION

11 PROPOSING TO AMEND ARTICLE 10 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF NEW MEXICO  
12 BY ADDING A NEW SECTION TO PROVIDE FOR QUALIFICATIONS FOR  
13 COUNTY SHERIFFS AS PROVIDED BY LAW EXCEPT FOR COUNTIES  
14 INCORPORATED PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 10, SECTION 5 OF THE  
15 CONSTITUTION OF NEW MEXICO.

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17 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

18 SECTION 1. It is proposed to amend Article 10 of the  
19 constitution of New Mexico by adding a new section to read:

20 "Except for counties incorporated under Article 10,  
21 Section 5 of this constitution, in order to be elected or  
22 appointed as a sheriff, a person shall meet the qualifications  
23 provided in law."

24 SECTION 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution  
25 shall be submitted to the people for their approval or

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1 rejection at the next general election or at any special  
2 election prior to that date that may be called for that  
3 purpose.

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