

1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to the Lee County Sheriff's Office;
 3 revising qualifications for employment; providing an
 4 effective date.

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 6 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 8 Section 1. Subsections (5) and (6) section 9 of chapter
 9 74-522, Laws of Florida, as amended by chapters 2007-320 and
 10 2008-276, Laws of Florida, are amended to read:

11 Section 9. Qualifications for employment.--The minimum
 12 standards and qualifications for employment or reemployment as a
 13 classified employee of the office of the Sheriff of Lee County,
 14 shall be as follows:

15 (5) All applicants shall not have been convicted of a
 16 felony of any kind, a crime involving moral turpitude, or a
 17 misdemeanor for which the penalty is greater than a \$5,000 ~~\$300~~
 18 fine and/or 90 days confinement.

19 (6) All applicants having military service must submit a
 20 DD 214 indicating that their military service and discharge were
 21 ~~not under dishonorable conditions or reasons. Persons they have~~
 22 ~~received no less than an honorable discharge from any of the~~
 23 ~~Armed Forces of the United States. Applicants honorably~~
 24 ~~discharged from military service~~ for medical conditions or
 25 reasons must be able to perform all functions ~~and essential~~
 26 ~~tasks~~ of the position for which they are applying ~~have applied~~.

27 Section 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law.