

## 102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2021 and 2022 HB2820

Introduced 2/19/2021, by Rep. Brad Halbrook

## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

35 ILCS 200/3-65

Amends the Property Tax Code. Provides that deputies and clerks appointed by a county assessor in a county with less than 3,000,000 inhabitants shall be appointed with the advice and consent of the county board. Provides that their compensation is to be fixed by the county board and paid by the county. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

1 AN ACT concerning revenue.

## Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

- Section 5. The Property Tax Code is amended by changing Section 3-65 as follows:
- 6 (35 ILCS 200/3-65)
- 7 Sec. 3-65. Deputy county assessors - Counties of less than 8 3,000,000 with elected assessor. The county assessor in 9 counties with less than 3,000,000 inhabitants which elect a county assessor under Section 3-45 may appoint, with the 10 advice and consent of the county board, as many suitable 11 persons as in his or her judgment are necessary to act as 12 deputies and clerks, their compensation to be fixed by the 13 14 county board and paid by the county, who shall perform the duties assigned to them by the county assessor. They shall 15 hold their office at the will of the county assessor, and shall 16 17 receive compensation determined by the assessor to be paid out of the county treasury. Such deputy assessors shall, before 18 19 entering upon their duties, take the oath or affirmation 20 prescribed for the assessors.
- In counties with less than 3,000,000 inhabitants which elect a county assessor under Section 3-45, in all townships not lying completely within the limits of one city, the

1 township assessor shall be ex-officio the deputy assessor to 2 make the assessments in the township where he or she is 3 elected. If, in any township, the township assessor shall not be able, by himself or herself within the time allowed by law, 5 to make the assessment of the township, any additional deputy 6 assessors required to make the assessment shall be residents and legal voters of that township, and shall be nominated by 7 8 the township's board of trustees and appointed by the county 9 assessor only upon that nomination. Deputy assessors so 10 appointed shall act under the supervision of the ex-officio 11 deputy town assessors.

12 (Source: P.A. 82-783; 88-455.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law.