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**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 4‑11‑25 SO AS TO PROVIDE QUALIFICATIONS FOR A COUNTY CLERK OF COURT, AUDITOR, AND TREASURER.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Chapter 11, Title 4 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 4‑11‑25. A person is not eligible to hold the office of county clerk of court, auditor, or treasurer unless the person has:

(1) obtained a four‑year bachelor’s degree from an accredited post‑secondary institution; or

(2) ten years experience in the areas in which the county clerk of court, auditor, or treasurer has responsibilities.”

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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