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Sponsor(s): Senators Hale, Patterson, Costa, McCaslin, Haugen, Sheahan, Finkbeiner, Carlson, Hochstatter, Oke, Winsley and Rasmussen

Brief Description: Requiring nonpartisan sheriffs.

**SB 5141 - DIGEST**

(AS OF SENATE 2ND READING 3/09/01)

Declares that, except in a county for which the position of sheriff is declared to be a partisan office by the county's home rule charter, the office of county sheriff shall be nonpartisan and the candidates therefor shall be nominated and elected as such.