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Representative Scott H. Chew proposes the following substitute bill:

LEGAL NOTICE AMENDMENTS

2017 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Scott H. Chew

Senate Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill amends a provision related to legal notice by publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ modifies the criteria for a publication to be considered a newspaper of general circulation for the purpose of legal notice.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

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AMENDS:

45-1-201, as renumbered and amended by Laws of Utah 2009, Chapter 388

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section 45-1-201 is amended to read:

45-1-201. Newspapers "of general circulation" -- Requirements.

[No newspaper shall be deemed a newspaper having general circulation for the purpose of publishing any notice, advertisement or publication of any kind required by law, unless it has]

For the purpose of publishing notice required by Utah law, a "newspaper of general circulation" means a newspaper that:

(1) has a bona fide subscription list of not less than 200 subscribers in this state[, and shall have];

~~{ (2) has been published for [not less than] 18 months[, and shall have been admitted in the] or longer; and~~

~~{ (3)2) has been {eligible for mailing under United States {}} published for [not less than 18 months, and shall have been admitted in the United States~~ mails as second-class matter ~~{ Postal Service rules and regulations} for { at least} 12 months {}}; provided, that nothing in this chapter shall invalidate the publication in a newspaper which has simply changed its name or ownership, or has simply moved its place of publication from one part of the state to another, or suspended publication on account of fire, flood or unavoidable accident not to exceed 10 weeks; provided further, that nothing in this chapter shall apply to any county wherein no newspaper has been published the requisite length of time {}~~

Legislative Review Note

~~Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel~~; 18 months or longer; and

(3) (a) has been eligible for mailing under United States Postal rules and regulations for at least 12 months; or

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(b) (i) publishes at least 12 issues in each year; and

(ii) is composed of, as a percentage of each issue's total content, at least 25% content

that:

(A) the newspaper receives no compensation to publish; and

(B) is of local or general interest.