AMENDMENT NO. 2

I. Section 8.208 of Article 8, Chapter 2 of the Charter of the Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County shall be amended by deleting the provision in its entirety and substituting in lieu thereof the following new provision:

Sec. 8.208. Qualifications of personnel.

After the effective date of this Charter, no person shall be eligible to appointment to any position in the department except as a regular salaried employee in the classified service. Every appointee shall be a citizen of the United States of America unless otherwise allowed under Tennessee state law; shall meet such physical requirements as shall be prescribed by the civil service commission; and shall comply with all applicable rules and regulations of the civil service commission.

To determine whether applicants for positions in the department possess the required physical qualifications, the chief medical director may provide for conducting physical examinations and report his or her findings to the civil service commission.

FOR THE BALLOT

Amendment No. ____

This amendment would require that police department employees meet physical qualifications set by the civil service commission instead of requirements for admission to the United States Army or Navy.

This amendment would further update U.S. citizenship requirements to reflect Tennessee state law.

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