

### [O.C.G.A. § 15-18-3](#)

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Prosecuting Attorneys (Arts. 1 — 5) > Article 1 General Provisions (§§ 15-18-1 — 15-18-32)***

## **15-18-3. Qualifications.**

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To be eligible to fill the office of district attorney, a person must:

- (1) Have been a resident citizen of this state three years just preceding his election or appointment;
- (2) Permanently reside in the circuit at the time of his election or appointment;
- (3) Have attained the age of 25 years;
- (4) Have been duly admitted and licensed to practice law in the superior courts for at least three years;  
and
- (5) If previously disbarred from the practice of law, have been reinstated as provided by law.

## **History**

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Laws 1841, Cobb's 1851 Digest, p. 1122; Laws 1850, Cobb's 1851 Digest, p. 1036; Code 1863, § 349; Code 1868, § 410; Code 1873, § 375; Ga. L. 1877, p. 13, § 1; Code 1882, § 375; Civil Code 1895, § 4390; Civil Code 1910, § 4924; Code 1933, § 24-2901; Ga. L. 1964, p. 362, § 1.

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