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HOUSE BILL DRH10213-NDa-86

Short Title: Add'l District Court Judge District 18. (Public)

Sponsors: Representatives Faircloth and Hardister (Primary Sponsors).

Referred to:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT TO ADD ONE DISTRICT COURT JUDGE TO DISTRICT 18 AND TO
APPROPRIATE FUNDS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 7A-133(a) reads as rewritten:

"(a) Each district court district shall have the numbers of judges as set forth in the
following table:

<u>District</u>	<u>Judges</u>	<u>County</u>
1	5	Camden
		Chowan
		Currituck
		Dare
		Gates
		Pasquotank
		Perquimans
2	4	Martin
		Beaufort
		Tyrrell
		Hyde
		Washington
3A	5	Pitt
3B	6	Craven
		Pamlico
		Carteret
4	8	Sampson
		Duplin
		Jones
		Onslow
5	9	New Hanover
		Pender
6	4	Northampton
		Bertie
		Hertford
		Halifax
7	7	Nash
		Edgecombe



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1			Wilson
2	8	6	Wayne
3			Greene
4			Lenoir
5	9	5	Granville
6			(part of Vance
7			see subsection
8			(b))
9			Franklin
10			Person
11	9B	2	Warren
12			(part of Vance
13			see subsection (b))
14	10A	3	(part of Wake
15			see subsection (b))
16	10B	3	(part of Wake
17			see subsection (b))
18	10C	3	(part of Wake
19			see subsection (b))
20	10D	6	(part of Wake
21			see subsection (b))
22	10E	3	(part of Wake
23			see subsection (b))
24	10F	3	(part of Wake
25			see subsection (b))
26	11	11	Harnett
27			Johnston
28			Lee
29	12	10	Cumberland
30	13	6	Bladen
31			Brunswick
32			Columbus
33	14	7	Durham
34	15A	4	Alamance
35	15B	5	Orange
36			Chatham
37	16A	4	Scotland
38			Anson
39			Richmond
40	16B	5	Robeson
41	17A	4	Caswell
42			Rockingham
43	17B	4	Stokes
44			Surry
45	18	14 <u>15</u>	Guilford
46	19A	5	Cabarrus
47	19B	5	Randolph
48	19C	5	Rowan
49	19D	4	Hoke, Moore
50	20A	3	Montgomery, Stanly
51	20B	1	(part of Union

1			see subsection
2			(b))
3	20C	2	(part of Union
4			see subsection
5			(b))
6	20D	1	Union
7	21	11	Forsyth
8	22A	5	Alexander
9			Iredell
10	22B	6	Davidson
11			Davie
12	23	4	Alleghany
13			Ashe
14			Wilkes
15			Yadkin
16	24	4	Avery
17			Madison
18			Mitchell
19			Watauga
20			Yancey
21	25	9	Burke
22			Caldwell
23			Catawba
24	26A	3	(part of
25			Mecklenburg
26			see subsection (b))
27	26B	3	(part of
28			Mecklenburg
29			see subsection (b))
30	26C	2	(part of
31			Mecklenburg
32			see subsection (b))
33	26D	2	(part of
34			Mecklenburg
35			see subsection (b))
36	26E	3	(part of
37			Mecklenburg
38			see subsection (b))
39	26F	3	(part of
40			Mecklenburg
41			see subsection (b))
42	26G	2	(part of
43			Mecklenburg
44			see subsection (b))
45	26H	3	(part of
46			Mecklenburg
47			see subsection (b))
48	27A	7	Gaston
49	27B	6	Cleveland
50			Lincoln
51	28	7	Buncombe

1	29A	3	McDowell
2			Rutherford
3	29B	4	Henderson
4			Polk
5			Transylvania
6	30	6	Cherokee
7			Clay
8			Graham
9			Haywood
10			Jackson
11			Macon
12			Swain."

13 **SECTION 2.** There is appropriated from the General Fund to the Administrative
14 Office of the Courts the sum of one hundred nine thousand two hundred twenty-three dollars
15 (\$109,223) in fiscal year 2020-2021 and one hundred ninety-eight thousand five hundred
16 eighty-eight dollars (\$198,588) in fiscal year 2021-2022.

17 **SECTION 3.** Section 1 of this act becomes effective January 1, 2021, and elections
18 conducted in 2020 shall be conducted in accordance with the judgeship created in Section 1. The
19 remainder of this act is effective July 1, 2020.