

By the Committee on Judicial Oversight and Representative
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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to retired judges; amending s.
3 25.073, F.S.; redefining the term "retired
4 justice" or "retired judge" with respect to
5 certain justices or judges assigned to
6 temporary duty; providing an effective date.

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8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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10 Section 1. Subsection (1) of section 25.073, Florida
11 Statutes, is amended to read:

12 25.073 Retired justices or judges assigned to
13 temporary duty; additional compensation; appropriation.--

14 (1) For purposes of this section, the term "retired
15 justice" or "retired judge" means any former justice or judge
16 ~~who~~:

17 (a) Who has served in a judicial office for a minimum
18 of 10 years and meets the criteria of the Florida Supreme
19 Court to be approved for temporary duty as a judge or justice,
20 except that an individual who has been approved for temporary
21 duty as a judge or justice prior to July 1, 2002, and who
22 otherwise meets the criteria of the Florida Supreme Court need
23 not have served in a judicial office for a minimum of 10
24 years; and

25 (b) Whose practice of law is limited as provided by
26 the Florida Supreme Court for retired judges or justices.~~Has~~
27 ~~not been defeated in seeking reelection to, or has not failed~~
28 ~~to be retained in seeking retention in, his or her last~~
29 ~~judicial office; and~~

30 ~~(b) Is not engaged in the practice of law.~~

31 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2002.