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1 Senator Dean moved the following **amendment:**

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3   **Senate Amendment (with directory and title amendments)**

4   Delete lines 14-33

5 and insert:

6   (2) Notwithstanding subsection (1), a former justice or

7 judge who has failed to win reelection or be retained after more

8 than 12 years of service as a justice or judge, or has served at

9 least one complete term as a justice or judge and has chosen not

10 to stand for retention or reelection at the conclusion of the

11 latest term, may be qualified to serve as a retired justice or

12 judge unless:

13   (a) Such former justice or judge has been reprimanded,

14 fined, suspended, or disciplined by the Florida Supreme Court for

15 violations of the Florida Code of Judicial Conduct or the rules

16 regulating The Florida Bar;

17   (b) The Judicial Qualifications Commission has brought

18   charges against such former justice or judge which were not

19   dismissed, or such former justice or judge was not exonerated of

20   all such charges; or

21   (c) Any party objects to the assignment of such former

22   justice or judge when such former justice or judge is to preside

23   over a civil case, including any appeal of a civil case.

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25   ====== D I R E C T O R Y   C L A U S E   A M E N D M E N T =====

26   And the directory clause is amended as follows:

27   Delete lines 10 and 11

28   and insert:

29   Section 1. Present subsections (2) and (3) of section

30   25.073, Florida Statutes, are renumbered as subsections (3) and

31   (4), respectively, and a new subsection (2) is added to that

32   section, to read:

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34   =============== T I T L E   A M E N D M E N T ===============

35   And the title is amended as follows:

36   Delete lines 3-5

37   and insert:

38   s. 25.073, F.S.; providing that a former justice or

39   judge may be qualified to serve as a retired justice or

40   judge under certain conditions; providing circumstances

41   under which such justice or judge is excluded from

42   serving as a retired justice or judge; providing