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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate	.	House
Comm: RCS	.	
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The Committee on Judiciary (Simmons) recommended the following:

1           **Senate Amendment to Substitute Amendment (291874) (with**  
2 **ballot and title amendments)**

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4           Delete line 17  
5 and insert:  
6 the age of seventy-five ~~seventy~~ years except upon temporary  
7 assignment or to

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9 ===== B A L L O T   S T A T E M E N T   A M E N D M E N T =====

10 And the ballot statement is amended as follows:

11           Delete lines 298 - 299  
12 and insert:  
13           INCREASING THE AGE AT WHICH JUSTICES AND JUDGES MAY NO



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14 LONGER SERVE IN A JUDICIAL OFFICE AND INCREASING THE  
15 QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE OFFICES OF CIRCUIT COURT AND COUNTY COURT  
16 JUDGES.—The State Constitution currently prohibits a justice or  
17 judge from serving in a judicial office after attaining the age  
18 of seventy years except upon temporary assignment or to complete  
19 a judicial term, if one-half of the term has been served. This  
20 proposed amendment increases the age after which a justice or  
21 judge may no longer serve to seventy-five years of age. However,  
22 a justice or judge who has attained the age of seventy-five  
23 years may continue to serve upon temporary assignment or to  
24 complete a judicial term. In addition, the State Constitution  
25 currently

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

28 And the title is amended as follows:

29 Delete line 323

30 and insert:

31 increase the age after which a justice or judge may no  
32 longer serve in a judicial office and to increase the  
33 period of time that a person must be a