

Amendment No.

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Senate

House

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Representative Moskowitz offered the following:

Amendment (with schedule, ballot and title amendments)

Remove lines 75-87 and insert:

(c) The name of a justice of the supreme court or judge of a district court of appeal may not appear on the ballot for retention if, by the end of his or her current term of office, the justice or district court of appeal judge will have served in that office for twelve consecutive years. A justice who is ineligible for retention under this subsection or who resigns from office may not be appointed to fill a vacancy on the supreme court for at least one year following the last date the justice served on the supreme court. A district court judge who

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14 is ineligible for retention under this subsection or who resigns
15 from office may not be appointed to fill a vacancy on any
16 district court of appeal for at least one year following the
17 last date the judge served on the district court.

18 (d) The name of a circuit court judge may not appear on
19 the ballot for reelection if, by the end of his or her current
20 term of office, the circuit court judge will have served in that
21 office for twelve consecutive years. A circuit court judge who
22 is ineligible for reelection under this subsection or who
23 resigns from office may not be appointed or seek to fill a
24 vacancy in the jurisdiction of that circuit for at least one
25 year following the last date the judge served in that circuit.

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28 **S C H E D U L E A M E N D M E N T**

29 Remove lines 90-97 and insert:

30 Applicability of limitations on the terms of justices and
31 judges.-The amendment to Section 10 of Article V takes effect on
32 January 9, 2019, and applies to each justice, district court
33 judge, and circuit court judge in office on that date and to
34 each justice, district court judge, and circuit court judge who
35 assumes office thereafter. When determining whether a justice,
36 district court judge, or circuit court judge in office on
37 January 9, 2019, may appear on the ballot for retention or

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38 reelection, as appropriate, time served by the justice, district
39 court judge, or circuit court judge in that office

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42 **B A L L O T A M E N D M E N T**

43 Remove lines 107-113 and insert:

44 TERM LIMITS FOR JUSTICES AND JUDGES.—Amending the State
45 Constitution prohibiting the name of a supreme court justice,
46 district court judge, or circuit court judge from appearing on a
47 ballot for retention or reelection, as appropriate, if he or she
48 has served more than 12 consecutive years in office and
49 prohibiting reappointment of such justice or judge for one year
50 after leaving office. The term limit applies to justices and
51 judges in office on January

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54 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

55 Remove lines 5-6 and insert:

56 limits for Supreme Court justices, district court of appeal
57 judges, and circuit court judges; providing an effective

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