

Amendment No.

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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Representative Maney offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Remove everything after the enacting clause and insert:

Section 1. Subsections (2), (4), (5), (7), (8), (9), (12), (14), (15), and (19) of section 26.031, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

26.031 Judicial circuits; number of judges.—The number of circuit judges in each circuit shall be as follows:

JUDICIAL CIRCUIT	TOTAL
(2) Second.....	<u>17</u> 16
(4) Fourth.....	<u>37</u> 35
(5) Fifth.....	<u>34</u> 31

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14	(7) Seventh.....	<u>2927</u>
15	(8) Eighth.....	<u>1413</u>
16	(9) Ninth.....	<u>4846</u>
17	(12) Twelfth.....	<u>2422</u>
18	(14) Fourteenth.....	<u>1413</u>
19	(15) Fifteenth.....	<u>3735</u>
20	(19) Nineteenth.....	<u>2019</u>
21	Section 2. Subsections (3), (10), (26), (34), (40), (41),	
22	(43), (45), (49), (50), and (60) of section 34.022, Florida	
23	Statutes, are amended to read:	
24	34.022 Number of county court judges for each county.—The	
25	number of county court judges in each county shall be as	
26	follows:	
27	COUNTY	TOTAL
28	(3) Bay.....	<u>54</u>
29	(10) Clay.....	<u>32</u>
30	(26) Hernando.....	<u>32</u>
31	(34) Lake.....	<u>54</u>
32	(40) Manatee.....	<u>54</u>
33	(41) Marion.....	<u>54</u>
34	(43) Miami-Dade.....	<u>4543</u>
35	(45) Nassau.....	<u>21</u>
36	(49) Osceola.....	<u>54</u>
37	(50) Palm Beach.....	<u>2019</u>
38	(60) Sumter.....	<u>21</u>

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39 **Section 3.** The Legislature finds and declares that this
40 act fulfills an important state interest.

41 **Section 4.** This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.
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44 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

45 Remove everything before the enacting clause and insert:

46 A bill to be entitled

47 An act relating to judges; amending ss. 26.031 and
48 34.022, F.S.; revising the number of circuit court
49 judges and county court judges, respectively;
50 providing a declaration of important state interest;
51 providing an effective date.

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