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HOUSE BILL 1159

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By Representatives Goodman, Rodne, Pedersen, White, and Upthegrove; by request of Board For Judicial Administration

Read first time 01/14/09. Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to increasing the number of district court judges
- 2 in King county; and amending RCW 3.34.010.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 Sec. 1. RCW 3.34.010 and 2008 c 63 s 1 are each amended to read as 5 follows:
- The number of district judges to be elected in each county shall 6
- 7 be: Adams, two; Asotin, one; Benton, three; Chelan, two; Clallam, two;
- Clark, six; Columbia, one; Cowlitz, three; Douglas, one; Ferry, one; 8
- 9 Franklin, one; Garfield, one; Grant, two; Grays Harbor, two; Island,
- 10 one; Jefferson, one; King, ((twenty one)) twenty-three in 2009, twenty-
- five in 2010, and twenty-six in 2011; Kitsap, four; Kittitas, two; 11
- Klickitat, two; Lewis, two; Lincoln, one; Mason, one; Okanogan, two; 12
- 13 Pacific, two; Pend Oreille, one; Pierce, eleven; San Juan, one; Skagit,
- two; Skamania, one; Snohomish, eight; Spokane, ten; Stevens,
- 15 Thurston, three; Wahkiakum, one; Walla Walla, two; Whatcom,
- 16 Whitman, one; Yakima, four. This number may be increased only as
- provided in RCW 3.34.020. 17

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