
ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL 5122

State of Washington

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By Senate Committee on Law & Justice (originally sponsored by Senators Smith, Hale, Long and Loveland)

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1 AN ACT Relating to the number of district court judges; amending
2 RCW 3.34.010; and declaring an emergency.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 3.34.010 and 1994 c 111 s 1 are each amended to read
5 as follows:

6 The number of district judges to be elected in each county shall
7 be: Adams, two; Asotin, one; Benton, (~~two~~) three; Chelan, two;
8 Clallam, two; Clark, five; Columbia, one; Cowlitz, two; Douglas,
9 (~~two~~) one; Ferry, one; Franklin, one; Garfield, one; Grant, two;
10 Grays Harbor, two; Island, one; Jefferson, one; King, twenty-six;
11 Kitsap, three; Kittitas, two; Klickitat, two; Lewis, two; Lincoln, one;
12 Mason, one; Okanogan, two; Pacific, two; Pend Oreille, one; Pierce,
13 eleven; San Juan, one; Skagit, two; Skamania, one; Snohomish, seven;
14 Spokane, nine; Stevens, one; Thurston, two; Wahkiakum, one; Walla
15 Walla, two; Whatcom, two; Whitman, one; Yakima, four. This number may
16 be increased only as provided in RCW 3.34.020.

17 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** This act is necessary for the immediate
18 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, or support of the

1 state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take
2 effect immediately.

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