

1264-S

Sponsor(s): House Committee on Judiciary (originally sponsored by Representatives Lantz, Esser, Carrell, Van Luven and Lambert; by request of Administrator for the Courts)

Brief Description: Changing provisions relating to termination of municipal courts and service contracts.

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(DIGEST OF PROPOSED 1ST SUBSTITUTE)

Provides that any city having entered into an agreement for court services with the county must provide written notice of the intent to terminate such agreement to the county legislative authority not less than one year prior to February 1st of the year in which all district court judges are subject to election.

Provides that any city that terminates an agreement for court services to be provided by a district court may only terminate such agreement at the end of a four-year district court judicial term.

Declares that a county that wishes to terminate an agreement with a city for the provision of court services must provide written notice of the intent to terminate the agreement to the city legislative authority not less than one year prior to the expiration of the agreement.