

FOR CONSIDERATION By the Committee on Appropriations

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to judges; amending s. 26.031, F.S.;
3 revising the number of circuit judges in certain
4 judicial circuits; amending s. 34.022, F.S.; revising
5 the number of county court judges in certain counties;
6 providing an effective date.

8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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10 Section 1. Subsections (1) and (20) of section 26.031,
11 Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

12 26.031 Judicial circuits; number of judges.—The number of
13 circuit judges in each circuit shall be as follows:

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15	JUDICIAL CIRCUIT	TOTAL
16	(1) First.....	<u>26</u> 25
17	(20) Twentieth.....	<u>32</u> 31

18 Section 2. Subsections (28), (48), and (57) of section
19 34.022, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

20 34.022 Number of county court judges for each county.—The
21 number of county court judges in each county shall be as
22 follows:

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24	COUNTY	TOTAL
25	(28) Hillsborough.....	<u>25</u> 23
26	(48) Orange.....	<u>22</u> 19
27	(57) Santa Rosa.....	<u>3</u> 2

28 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024.