## [No. 258]

## (HB 4788)

AN ACT to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the statutes relating to the organization and jurisdiction of the courts of this state; the powers and duties of such courts, and of the judges and other officers thereof; the forms and attributes of civil claims and actions; the time within which civil actions and proceedings may be brought in said courts; pleading, evidence, practice and procedure in civil and criminal actions and proceedings in said courts; to provide remedies and penalties for the violation of certain provisions of this act; to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with or contravening any of the provisions of this act; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," by amending section 8121 (MCL 600.8121), as amended by 2000 PA 449.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

## 600.8121 Sixteenth district to thirty-fifth district.

Sec. 8121. (1) The sixteenth district consists of the city of Livonia, is a district of the third class, and has 2 judges.

- (2) The seventeenth district consists of the township of Redford in the county of Wayne, is a district of the third class, and has 2 judges.
- (3) The eighteenth district consists of the city of Westland, is a district of the third class, and has 2 judges.
- (4) The nineteenth district consists of the city of Dearborn, is a district of the third class, and has 3 judges.
- (5) The twentieth district consists of the city of Dearborn Heights, is a district of the third class, and has 2 judges.
- (6) The twenty-first district consists of the city of Garden City, is a district of the third class, and has 1 judge.
- (7) The twenty-second district consists of the city of Inkster, is a district of the third class, and has 1 judge.
- (8) The twenty-third district consists of the city of Taylor, is a district of the third class, and has 2 judges.
- (9) The twenty-fourth district consists of the cities of Allen Park and Melvindale, is a district of the third class, and has 2 judges.
- (10) The twenty-fifth district consists of the city of Lincoln Park, is a district of the third class, and has 2 judges.
- (11) The twenty-sixth district consists of the cities of River Rouge and Ecorse, is a district of the third class, and is divided into the following election divisions:
  - (a) The first division consists of the city of River Rouge and has 1 judge.
  - (b) The second division consists of the city of Ecorse and has 1 judge.
  - (12) The twenty-seventh district consists of the following, as applicable:
- (a) Until January 1, 2003 or until a vacancy occurs in a judgeship in the twenty-seventh district, whichever occurs first, the twenty-seventh district consists of the cities of Wyandotte and Riverview, is a district of the third class, and is divided into the following election divisions:
  - (i) The first division consists of the city of Wyandotte and has 1 judge.

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- (ii) The second division consists of the city of Riverview and has 1 judge.
- (b) Beginning January 1, 2003 or the date on which a vacancy occurs in a judgeship in the twenty-seventh district, whichever occurs first, the twenty-seventh district consists of the cities of Wyandotte and Riverview, is a district of the third class, and has 1 judge. The remaining incumbent judge of the twenty-seventh district shall serve as the judge of the entire twenty-seventh district for the balance of the term to which he or she was elected or appointed.
- (13) The twenty-eighth district consists of the city of Southgate, is a district of the third class, and has 1 judge.
- (14) The twenty-ninth district consists of the city of Wayne, is a district of the third class, and has 1 judge.
- (15) The thirtieth district consists of the city of Highland Park, is a district of the third class, and has the following number of judges:
  - (a) Until subdivision (b) takes effect, this district has 2 judges.
  - (b) This district has 1 judge beginning on the earlier of the following dates:
  - (i) The date on which a vacancy occurs in the office of district judge in this district.
  - (ii) 12 noon, January 1, 2003.
- (16) The thirty-first district consists of the city of Hamtramck, is a district of the third class, and has 1 judge.
- (17) The thirty-second-a district consists of the city of Harper Woods, is a district of the third class, and has 1 judge.
- (18) The thirty-second-b district consists of the cities of Grosse Pointe Woods, Grosse Pointe Park, Grosse Pointe, and Grosse Pointe Farms, and the village of Grosse Pointe Shores, is a district of the third class, and has 1 judge.
- (19) The thirty-third district consists of the cities of Trenton, Gibraltar, Woodhaven, Rockwood, and Flat Rock and the townships of Brownstown and Grosse Ile in the county of Wayne, is a district of the third class, and has 3 judges.
- (20) The thirty-fourth district consists of the townships of Sumpter, Van Buren, and Huron in the county of Wayne and the cities of Romulus and Belleville, is a district of the third class, and has 3 judges.
- (21) The thirty-fifth district consists of the cities of Northville and Plymouth and the townships of Northville, Plymouth, and Canton in the county of Wayne, is a district of the third class, and has 2 judges. Subject to section 8175, this district may have 1 additional judge effective January 1, 2003. If a new office of judge is added to this district to be filled by election in 2002, the term of office of the judge for that election only shall be 8 years.

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