

96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2009 and 2010 HB3199

Introduced 2/24/2009, by Rep. Tom Cross

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

705 ILCS 40/1.1

from Ch. 37, par. 72.41-1

Amends the Judicial Vacancies Act. Makes a technical change in a Section concerning definitions.

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1 AN ACT concerning courts.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,

- represented in the General Assembly:
- 4 Section 5. The Judicial Vacancies Act is amended by
- 5 changing Section 1.1 as follows:
- 6 (705 ILCS 40/1.1) (from Ch. 37, par. 72.41-1)
- 7 Sec. 1.1. As used in this Act, the term "resident
- 8 circuit judge" or "resident judge" refers to a circuit judge
- 9 who, immediately prior to July 1, 1971, was an associate judge
- and who became a circuit judge on July 1, 1971 by reason of
- 11 paragraph (a) of Section 4 of the Transition Schedule of the
- 12 Constitution of 1970 or a circuit judge who was appointed after
- June 30, 1971 by the Supreme Court to fill the vacancy existing
- 14 prior to July 1, 1971 in the office of a former associate judge
- and whose office was, prior to July 1, 1971, filled by election
- 16 from a single county or, in the case of Cook County, from one
- of the 2 units of the county, and not from the circuit at
- 18 large.
- 19 (Source: P.A. 88-45.)