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HOUSE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1759

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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## AN ACT

To repeal section 478.705, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to circuit judges in the twenty-sixth judicial circuit.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Section 478.705, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu  
2 thereof, to be known as section 478.705, to read as follows:

478.705. 1. There shall be [two] **three** circuit judges in the twenty-sixth judicial circuit  
2 consisting of the counties of Camden, Laclede, Miller, Moniteau and Morgan. These judges  
3 shall sit in divisions numbered one [and] , two, **and three**.

4 2. The circuit judge in division two shall be elected in 1980. The circuit judge in  
5 division one shall be elected in 1982. **The governor shall appoint a judge for division three**  
6 **and notwithstanding the provisions of section 105.030, that judge shall serve until January**  
7 **1, 2021. A judge for division three shall be elected in 2020.**

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EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.