

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By

1 AMEND Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 921, Page 1, in the Title, Line 3, by
2 deleting the words "domestic violence" and inserting in lieu thereof "court procedures"; and

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4 Further amend said bill, Page 3, Section 455.545, Line 4, by inserting after all of said line the
5 following:

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7 "476.083. 1. In addition to any appointments made pursuant to section 485.010, the
8 presiding judge of each circuit containing one or more facilities operated by the department of
9 corrections with an average total inmate population in all such facilities in the circuit over the
10 previous two years of more than two thousand five hundred inmates or containing, as of January 1,
11 2016, a diagnostic and reception center operated by the department of corrections and a mental
12 health facility operated by the department of mental health which houses persons found not guilty of
13 a crime by reason of mental disease or defect under chapter 552 and provides sex offender
14 rehabilitation and treatment services (SORTS) may appoint a circuit court marshal to aid the
15 presiding judge in the administration of the judicial business of the circuit by overseeing the
16 physical security of the courthouse, serving court-generated papers and orders, and assisting the
17 judges of the circuit as the presiding judge determines appropriate. Such circuit court marshal
18 appointed pursuant to the provisions of this section shall serve at the pleasure of the presiding judge.
19 The circuit court marshal authorized by this section is in addition to staff support from the circuit
20 clerks, deputy circuit clerks, division clerks, municipal clerks, and any other staff personnel which
21 may otherwise be provided by law.

22 2. The salary of a circuit court marshal shall be established by the presiding judge of the
23 circuit within funds made available for that purpose, but such salary shall not exceed ninety percent
24 of the salary of the highest paid sheriff serving a county wholly or partially within that circuit.
25 Personnel authorized by this section shall be paid from state funds or federal grant moneys which
26 are available for that purpose and not from county funds.

27 3. Any person appointed as a circuit court marshal pursuant to this section shall have at least
28 five years' prior experience as a law enforcement officer. In addition, any such person shall within
29 one year after appointment, or as soon as practicable, attend a court security school or training
30 program operated by the United States Marshal Service. In addition to all other powers and duties
31 prescribed in this section, a circuit court marshal may:

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- 1 (1) Serve process;
- 2 (2) Wear a concealable firearm; and
- 3 (3) Make an arrest based upon local court rules and state law, and as directed by the
- 4 presiding judge of the circuit."; and
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- 6 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
- 7 accordingly.