

1 AN ACT relating to the Judicial Branch.

2 ***Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

3 ➔Section 1. KRS 23A.045 is amended to read as follows:

4 The following judicial circuits are entitled to three (3) Circuit Judges and shall have three
5 (3) numbered divisions of the Circuit Court:

6 (1) Second Judicial Circuit.

7 (2) Third Judicial Circuit.

8 (3) Fourteenth Judicial Circuit.

9 (4) Seventeenth Judicial Circuit.

10 (5) Twenty-seventh Judicial Circuit.

11 (6) ~~Twenty-eighth Judicial Circuit.~~

12 ~~(7) Thirty-first Judicial Circuit.~~

13 ~~(7)~~~~(8)~~ Thirty-fifth Judicial Circuit.

14 ~~(8)~~~~(9)~~ Forty-eighth Judicial Circuit.

15 ~~[(10) Fifty-fourth Judicial Circuit.]~~

16 ➔Section 2. KRS 23A.050 is amended to read as follows:

17 The following judicial circuits are entitled to four (4) judges and shall have four (4)
18 numbered divisions of the Circuit Court:

19 (1) Eighth Judicial Circuit.

20 (2) Ninth Judicial Circuit.

21 (3) Twenty-fifth Judicial Circuit.

22 **(4) *Twenty-eighth Judicial Circuit.***

23 **(5) *Fifty-fourth Judicial Circuit.***

24 ➔Section 3. Sections 1 and 2 of this Act shall take effect July 1, 2018, contingent
25 upon the inclusion of an appropriation for new Family Court Judgeships in the Twenty-
26 eighth Judicial Circuit and the Fifty-fourth Judicial Circuit in the enacted 2018-2020
27 Judicial Branch Budget.