

The fiscal impact on county clerks of HB 179 SCS is indeterminable but is expected to be minimal.

Part III: Differences to Local Government Mandate Statement from Prior Versions

HB 179 SCS keeps the provisions of HB 179 GA with the addition that any candidate seeking election to the Supreme Court in the Fourth Supreme Court District shall have their filing deadline extended to January 25, 2022.

HB 179 GA keeps the provisions of HB 179 as introduced with the following amendments. HFA 1 makes changes to the redistribution of counties in the First and Second Districts. Additionally, and for only the 2022 primary election, HFA 2 changes the filing deadline for Supreme Court candidates in the First, Second, or Sixth Supreme Court Districts to January 25, 2022. It also provides that any other necessary deadline for the 2022 primary including the drawing for ballot positions and the certification of candidates shall be held at a time provided by the Secretary of State of the county clerk following the January 25 deadline.

Data Source(s): Administrative Office of the Courts; Fayette County Clerk's Office; LRC staff

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