

**S.B. 232**

**JUDICIAL ADMINISTRATION AMENDMENTS**

Representative **Kay L. McIff** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 2, Lines 32 through 43*

*Senate 2nd Reading Amendments*

*3-1-2010:*

32 (2) During a General Fund budget deficit, the Judicial Council may implement a hiring freeze for  
33 judicial vacancies only upon approval of the governor, president of the Senate, and the

33a speaker of the House { ~~, and chief justice of the Supreme Court, may, by \$→ [majority] unanimous ←\$~~  
vote;

34 implement a judicial hiring freeze for judicial vacancies for ~~\$→ [the entire] ←\$~~ ;

35 ~~—— (a) \$→ a ←\$ juvenile court \$→ district with three or more juvenile court judges ←\$ ;~~

36 ~~—— (b) \$→ a ←\$ district court \$→ district with three or more district court judges ←\$ ;~~

37 ~~—— (c) \$→ all ←\$ appellate court \$→ judges ←\$ ; or~~

38 ~~—— (d) any combination of Subsections (2)(a) through (c) } .~~

39 (3) In implementing a judicial hiring freeze, the governor, president of the Senate,

40 speaker of the House, and { ~~chief justice of the Supreme Court~~} chair of the Judicial Council shall:

41 (a) establish the length of { ~~that~~} the hiring freeze; and

42 (b) ensure that the hiring freeze lasts at least 90 days, but not longer than the last day of

43 the annual general session of the Legislature.