

# H.B. 325

## JUDICIAL PERFORMANCE EVALUATION COMMISSION AMENDMENTS

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 1

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Representative **Eric K. Hutchings** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 3, Lines 59 through 68:*

- 59 (4) A basic evaluation justice court judge shall be governed by the Judicial Performance  
Evaluation Commission Act, except as provided below:
- (a) basic evaluation justice court judges shall comply with {the following} minimum  
performance  
60 standards {:
- 61 ~~— (a) no fewer than 30 hours of continuing judicial education for each year of the justice~~  
62 ~~court judge's current term;~~
- 63 ~~— (b) no more than one public reprimand issued by the Judicial Conduct Commission or~~  
64 ~~the Supreme Court during the justice court judge's current term;~~
- 65 ~~— (c) no cases under advisement for more than two months during the justice court~~  
66 ~~judge's current term; and~~
- 67 ~~— (d) other performance standards the commission may promulgate by administrative~~  
68 ~~rule;} for judicial education, judicial conduct, cases under advisement, and any other standards the  
commission may promulgate by administrative rule; and~~
- (b) courtroom observation and surveys may not be conducted for basic evaluation justice court  
judges .