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Mr. President:

The Judiciary, Law Enforcement, and Criminal Justice Committee recommends **2nd Sub. H.B. 160**, JUSTICE COURT JUDGE QUALIFICATIONS AMENDMENTS, by Representative C. Hall, be replaced and favorably recommends **3rd Sub. H.B. 160**, JUSTICE COURT AMENDMENTS with the following amendments:

1. *Page 1, Line 15:*

15 ▶ allows current justice court judges ~~{until}~~ to remain ~~{on the bench}~~ in office until they leave; and

2. *Page 2, Line 45:*

45 (4) [Justice] A justice court [judges] judge shall retire upon attaining the age of 75 years.

3. *Page 2, Line 56:*

56 (7) A justice court judge ~~{sitting on the bench}~~ holding office on May 10, 2016 who does not meet the

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1. *Page 4, Lines 88 through 89:*

- 88 by the Administrative Office of the Courts may, at the political subdivision's
discretion **and at the end of a judge's term of office** , initiate
89 a reduction in force and reduce, lay off, terminate, or eliminate a judge's position pursuant
to

Respectfully,

Mark B. Madsen
Committee Chair

Voting: 3-1-3

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