2014 SPECIAL SESSION I

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1	HOUSE BILL NO. 5006
2 3	Offered July 11, 2014
3 4	A BILL to amend the Code of Virginia by adding sections numbered 16.1-69.9:5, 17.1-300.1, 17.1-400.1, and 17.1-512.1, relating to limitation on election and appointment of judges.
5	and 17.1-512.1, retaining to inmitation on election and appointment of judges.
5	Patron—Spruill
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7	Committee Referral Pending
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9	Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Virginia:
10	1. That the Code of Virginia is amended by adding sections numbered 16.1-69.9:5, 17.1-300.1,
11	17.1-400.1, and 17.1-512.1 as follows:
12	§ 16.1-69.9:5. Limitation on election and appointment of judges.
13 14	No person elected or appointed to an original term as a judge shall be an immediate family member of $g_i(i)$ member of the Conservable for $g_i(i)$ former member of the Conservable for $g_i(i)$
14 15	of a (i) member of the General Assembly or (ii) former member of the General Assembly for at least 24 months after such member has ceased to be a member of the General Assembly. For the purposes of
16	this section, the spouse, parent, child, brother, or sister of the General Assembly member shall be
17	considered a member of the immediate family.
18	§ 17.1-300.1. Limitation on election and appointment of justice.
19	No person elected or appointed to an original term as a justice shall be an immediate family
20	member of a (i) member of the General Assembly or (ii) former member of the General Assembly for at
21	least 24 months after such member has ceased to be a member of the General Assembly. For the
22	purposes of this section, the spouse, parent, child, brother, or sister of the General Assembly member
23	shall be considered a member of the immediate family.
24 25	§ 17.1-400.1. Limitation on election and appointment of judge. No person elected or appointed to an original term as a judge shall be an immediate family member
23 26	of a (i) member of the General Assembly or (ii) former member of the General Assembly for at least 24
27 27	months after such member has ceased to be a member of the General Assembly. For the purposes of
28	this section, the spouse, parent, child, brother, or sister of the General Assembly member shall be
29	considered a member of the immediate family.
30	§ 17.1-512.1. Limitation on election and appointment of judge.
31	No person elected or appointed to an original term as a judge shall be an immediate family member
32	of a (i) member of the General Assembly or (ii) former member of the General Assembly for at least 24
33	months after such member has ceased to be a member of the General Assembly. For the purposes of
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