

Department of Planning and Budget

2022 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number: SB696

House of Origin	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Introduced	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engrossed
Second House	<input type="checkbox"/>	In Committee	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substitute	<input type="checkbox"/>	Enrolled

2. Patron: Stanley

3. Committee: Senate Committee on the Judiciary

4. Title: Maximum number of judges in each judicial district

5. Summary: The proposed bill increases from two to three the maximum number of authorized general district court judges in the Twenty-second Judicial District.

6. Budget Amendment Necessary: Yes, Item 45

7. Fiscal Impact Estimates: Preliminary (see Item #8)

8. Fiscal Implications: According to the Office of the Executive Secretary of the Supreme Court, the first year cost for a new general district court judgeship is \$265,949. The cost for the second year and thereafter would be \$262,649.

9. Specific Agency or Political Subdivisions Affected: General District Court

10. Technical Amendment Necessary: No

11. Other Comments: None