

2A:2-1

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LEGISLATIVE HISTORY CHECKLIST

NJSA: 2A:2-1

(Judges-- Atlantic County-- 2 additional)

LAWS OF: 1987

CHAPTER: 219

Bill No: S2926

Sponsor(s): Gormley

Date Introduced: January 22, 1987

Committee: Assembly: Judiciary

Senate: Judiciary

Amended during passage: Yes

Amendments during passage denoted by asterisks.

Date of Passage:

Assembly: May 28, 1987

Senate: March 9, 1987

Date of Approval: July 29, 1987

Following statements are attached if available:

Sponsor statement:

Yes (Below)

Committee statement:

Assembly

Yes

Senate

Yes

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No

Veto Message:

No

Message on Signing:

No

Following were printed:

Reports:

No

Hearings:

No

Sponsor's statement:

This bill authorizes the appointment of two additional judges in Atlantic County.

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SENATE, No. 2926

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED JANUARY 22, 1987

By Senator GORMLEY

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT concerning judges of the Superior Court in certain counties and amending N. J. S. 2A:2-1.

1 BE IT ENACTED by the Senate and General Assembly of the State
2 of New Jersey:

1 1. N. J. S. 2A:2-1 is amended to read as follows:

2 2A:2-1. a. The Superior Court shall consist of not less than
3 [345] \* [347] \* \*349\* judges. Each judge shall receive such annual
4 salary as shall be fixed by law.

5 b. (1) The Superior Court shall at all times consist of the fol-
6 lowing number of judges of each county who at the time of their
7 appointment and reappointment were residents of that county:

Table with 2 columns: County Name and Number of Judges. Rows include Atlantic (8), Bergen (24), Burlington (5), Camden (14), Cape May (3), Cumberland (5), Essex (28), Gloucester (8), Hudson (18), Hunterdon (2), Mercer (8), Middlesex (18), Monmouth (16), Morris (13), and Ocean (12).

EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law. Matter printed in italics thus is new matter.

Matter enclosed in asterisks or stars has been adopted as follows: \*—Senate committee amendments adopted February 19, 1987.

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ASSEMBLY JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

STATEMENT TO:

**SENATE, No. 2926**

**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

DATED: MAY 7, 1987

The Assembly Judiciary Committee reports favorably Senate Bill No. 2926 which authorizes the appointment of two additional judges in Atlantic county. Presently there are eight judges. This bill raises the number to 10.

SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE  
STATEMENT TO  
**SENATE, No. 2926**  

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**STATE OF NEW JERSEY**  

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DATED: FEBRUARY 19, 1987

The Senate Judiciary Committee reports favorably and with committee amendments Senate Bill No. 2926.

Senate Bill No. 2926 would authorize the appointment of two additional judges for Atlantic County. Atlantic County presently has eight authorized judgeships.

The amendments adopted by the committee conform Senate Bill No. 2926 with the provisions of recently enacted P. L. 1986, c. 207 which authorized two additional judgeships for Hudson County.