

## **Department of Planning and Budget**

### **2022 Fiscal Impact Statement**

**1. Bill Number:** HB762

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

**2. Patron:** Adams, L.R.

**3. Committee:** Committee Referral Pending

**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