

March 28, 2001

S 712. DISTRICT JUDGE 8-YEAR TERMS. TO AMEND THE NORTH CAROLINA CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE EIGHT-YEAR TERMS FOR DISTRICT COURT JUDGES.

Amends NC Constitution, if approved by voters at next statewide primary election, as title indicates (district court judges now serve four-year terms). If approved, constitutional amendment will become effective with 2002 general election.

Intro. by Rand.

Ref. to Judiciary I	GS 7A, 163, CONST
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July 10, 2002

S 712. DISTRICT JUDGE 8-YEAR TERMS. Intro. 3/28/02. House committee substitute makes the following changes to 1st edition. Provides for vote on the constitutional amendment to occur at the next statewide general (instead of primary) election, and adds to the ballot wording that an 8-year term would be "the same as for all other judges of the General Court of Justice."