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Introduced by Sen. LANZA -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT to amend the judiciary law, in relation to the number of justices of the supreme court in the second and thirteenth judicial districts

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Subdivisions 2 and 13 of section 140-a of the judiciary law, subdivision 2 as amended and subdivision 13 as added by chapter 690 of the laws of 2007, are amended to read as follows:

2. Second district, [forty-nine] FIFTY-TWO;

13. Thirteenth district, [three] TEN.

S 2. Five of the additional justices of the supreme court in the thirteenth judicial district and the 3 additional justices of the supreme court in the second judicial district provided for by section one of this act shall first be elected at the general election to be held in November 2009 and shall first take office January 1, 2010. The other 2 additional justices of the supreme court in the thirteenth judicial district provided for by section one of this act shall first be elected at the general election to be held in November 2010 and shall first take office January 1, 2011.

S 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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