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2013-2014 Regular Sessions

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Introduced by Sens. LANZA, PARKER -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Judiciary -- recommended to the Committee on Judiciary in accordance with Senate Rule 6, sec. 8 -- committee discharged, bill amended, ordered reprinted as amended and recommitted to said committee

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:

- 1     Section 1. Subdivisions 2 and 13 of section 140-a of the judiciary  
2     law, subdivision 2 as amended and subdivision 13 as added by chapter 690  
3     of the laws of 2007, are amended to read as follows:  
4     2. Second district, [forty-nine] FIFTY-TWO;  
5     13. Thirteenth district, [three] TEN.  
6     S 2. Justice Thomas P. Aliotta, and his successor in office on the  
7     effective date of this act shall for the remainder of the term for which  
8     he or she was elected or appointed be a justice of the supreme court in  
9     and for the thirteenth judicial district.  
10    S 3. Two of the additional justices of the supreme court in the thir-  
11    teenth judicial district and two additional justices of the supreme  
12    court in the second judicial district provided for by section one of  
13    this act shall first be elected at the general election to be held in  
14    November 2015 and shall first take office January 1, 2016. Another three  
15    of the additional justices of the supreme court in the thirteenth judi-  
16    cial district and the other two justices of the supreme court in the  
17    second judicial district provided for by section one of this act shall  
18    first be elected at the general election to be held in November 2016 and  
19    shall first take office January 1, 2017. The remaining additional  
20    justice of the supreme court in the thirteenth judicial district  
21    provided for by section one of this act shall first be elected at the  
22    general election to be held in November 2017 and shall first take office  
23    January 1, 2018.  
24    S 4. 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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