

STATE OF NEW YORK

10334

IN SENATE

May 14, 2026

Introduced by Sen. SEPULVEDA -- 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 surrogate's court judges in Bronx County

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

- 1 Section 1. Section 179 of the judiciary law, as amended by chapter 240
2 of the laws of 2005, is amended to read as follows:
3 § 179. Surrogates, New York county, Bronx county and Kings county. The
4 surrogate's courts of New York county, Bronx county and Kings county
5 shall each consist of two surrogates.
6 § 2. 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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