

BY: House Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 135

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

In line 3, strike “sitting or retired”; strike beginning with the second “or” in line 3 down through “States” in line 4; and in line 4, after “ceremony;” insert “defining a certain term:”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

In line 15, after “(a)” insert “(1) IN THIS SUBSECTION, “JUDGE” MEANS A SITTING OR RETIRED JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT, A CIRCUIT COURT, THE COURT OF SPECIAL APPEALS, THE COURT OF APPEALS, THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND, OR THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT, OR A SITTING OR RETIRED JUDGE OF ANOTHER STATE OR FEDERAL COURT THAT HAS SUBSTANTIALLY EQUIVALENT JURISDICTION.”

(2)”;

in lines 16, 18, 19, and 21, strike “(1)”, “(2)”, “(3)”, and “(4)”, respectively, and substitute “(I)”, “(II)”, “(III)”, and “(IV)”, respectively; and strike beginning with the first “ANY” in line 21 down through “STATES” in line 22 and substitute “A JUDGE”.