

HOUSE BILL NO. 292

Introduced: 01/18/83

Referred to Committee on Judiciary: 01/18/83

Hearing: 1/27/83

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House BILL NO. 292

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A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR A SECOND  
DISTRICT COURT JUDGE IN THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT;  
AMENDING SECTION 3-5-102, MCA."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

Section 1. Section 3-5-102, MCA, is amended to read:

"3-5-102. Number of judges. In each judicial district  
there must be the following number of judges of the district  
court:

(1) in the 1st, 2nd, 7th, 11th, 16th, and 18th  
districts, two judges each;

(2) in the 8th district, three judges;

(3) in the 4th and 13th districts, four judges each;

(4) in all other districts, one judge each."

NEW SECTION. Section 2. Selection of new judge. The  
judgeship created by this act must be filled initially at  
the 1984 general election, and the individual elected shall  
take office on the first Monday of January, 1985.

NEW SECTION. Section 3. Coordination instruction. If  
Senate Bill No. 26 is passed and approved, this act is void.

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INTRODUCED BILL

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## STATE OF MONTANA

REQUEST NO. 160-83

## FISCAL NOTE

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In compliance with a written request received January 20, 19 83, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for House Bill 292 pursuant to Title 5, Chapter 4, Part 2 of the Montana Code Annotated (MCA).

Background information used in developing this Fiscal Note is available from the Office of Budget and Program Planning, to members of the Legislature upon request.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION:

House Bill 292 is an act to provide for a second District Court Judge in the Seventh Judicial District; amending Section 3-5-102, MCA.

ASSUMPTIONS:

- 1) The additional judge will have a staff consisting of one secretary and one court reporter for one-half fiscal year since the judge would take office January 1, 1985.
- 2) Estimates are based on FY 83 expenditure level.

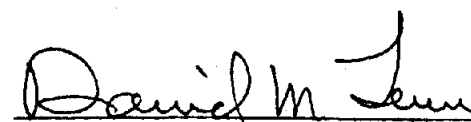
FISCAL IMPACT:

	<u>FY 84</u>	<u>FY 85</u>
Proposed Law:		
Personal Services	\$ -0-	\$ 26,130
Operating Expenses	-0-	1,500
Capital Outlay	-0-	-0-
Additional Expenditures for general fund	<u>\$ -0-</u>	<u>\$ 27,630</u>

LOCAL IMPACT:

Personal Services	\$ -0-	\$ 18,000
Operating Expenses	-0-	1,700
Capital Outlay	-0-	5,700
Additional Expenditures for county	<u>\$ -0-</u>	<u>\$ 25,400</u>

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Office of Budget and Program Planning

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