THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2448 Session of 2000

INTRODUCED BY WOGAN, KENNEY, KELLER, LEDERER, CIVERA, CORRIGAN, FICHTER, FORCIER, LAUGHLIN, RIEGER AND WOJNAROSKI, APRIL 11, 2000

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, APRIL 11, 2000

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the
- 2 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for
- 3 tenure of judicial officers.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Section 3152(a) of Title 42 of the Pennsylvania
- 7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:
- 8 § 3152. Tenure of judicial officers.
- 9 (a) Judges and district justices. -- The regular term of
- 10 office of judges and district justices shall be as follows:
- 11 (1) Judges of the Philadelphia Municipal Court [and
- the]<u>--Ten years.</u>
- 13 (2) Judges of the Philadelphia Traffic Court of
- 14 Philadelphia--Six years.
- 15 [(2)](3) Judges of the Pittsburgh Magistrates Court--
- 16 Four years.
- [(3)](4) All other judges--Ten years.
- 18 [(4)](5) District justices--Six years.

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- 2 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.