

# SENATE BILL NO. 1384

## 102ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR THOMPSON REHDER.

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KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

### AN ACT

To repeal section 478.710, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to circuit judges in the thirty-second judicial circuit.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Section 478.710, RSMo, is repealed and one new  
2 section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 478.710,  
3 to read as follows:

478.710. 1. There shall be **[two] three** circuit judges  
2 in the thirty-second judicial circuit consisting of the  
3 counties of Perry, Bollinger, and Cape Girardeau. These  
4 judges shall sit in **[two] three** divisions numbered one  
5 **[and]**, two, **and three**.

6 2. The circuit judge in division two shall be elected  
7 in 1982. The circuit judge in division one shall be elected  
8 in 1984. **The governor shall appoint a circuit judge for**  
9 **division three and that circuit judge shall serve until**  
10 **January 1, 2029. A circuit judge for division three shall**  
11 **be elected in 2028.**

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**EXPLANATION-Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.**