

District 11—Frederick and Washington Counties.

District 12—Allegany and Garrett Counties.

141. Judges in Each District, Chief Judge.

(a) *There shall be in each of the foregoing districts the following number of district judges:*

District 1—22

District 2—4

District 3—5

District 4—3

District 5—6 7 8

District 6—7

District 7—5 6

District 8—~~10~~ 12

District 9—2

District 10—2

District 11—4

District 12—~~2~~ 3

(b) *In those districts comprising more than one county, there shall be at least one District Court judge resident and holding court in each county.*

(c) *The chief judge of the District Court shall be the chief administrative officer of the court and have the responsibility and authority for the maintenance, administration, and operation of the court at all its locations throughout the State. If a sitting judge is appointed as Chief Judge, the district or county from which the Chief Judge is selected shall be entitled to an additional judge to replace him.*

(d) The Governor shall appoint judges before May 2, 1971 necessary to fill any vacancies that might otherwise exist in a district on that date.

(D) TWO OF THE JUDGES IN DISTRICT 6 SHALL HAVE AS THEIR PRIMARY, AND IF MADE NECESSARY BY THE CASELOAD, THEIR EXCLUSIVE DUTY THE HANDLING OF JUVENILE CAUSES AS DETERMINED BY THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT.

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In order to provide that the services of the District Court are available in all geographic areas of District 8, at least one judge shall sit regularly in each councilmanic district of Baltimore County.

143. Administrative Judges, Rules and Transfer of Judges.

(a) *In each district the Chief Judge of the District Court shall designate with approval of the Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals one of the District Court judges as the administrative judge for that district; who shall have the responsibility and authority for the administration, operation, and maintenance of the court in that district and for the conduct of the court's business. Subject to the approval of the Chief Judge of the District Court, the District Court of any district may be divided into civil, criminal, traffic, or other functional divisions if the work of the court requires.*