

adoption or rejection.

BY proposing an addition to the Constitution of Maryland

Article IV - Judiciary Department  
Section 3A

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, (Three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses concurring), That the following be and the same is hereby proposed as an addition to the Constitution of Maryland, by adding new Section 3A to Article IV - Judiciary Department, the same, if adopted by the legally qualified voters of the State, as herein provided, to become a part of the Constitution of Maryland:

Article IV - Judiciary Department

3A.

(A) ANY FORMER JUDGE, EXCEPT A FORMER JUDGE OF THE ORPHANS' COURT, MAY BE ASSIGNED BY THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE COURT OF APPEALS, UPON APPROVAL OF A MAJORITY OF THE COURT, TO SIT TEMPORARILY IN ANY COURT OF THIS STATE, EXCEPT AN ORPHANS' COURT, AS PROVIDED BY LAW.

(B) THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION APPLY, NOTWITHSTANDING PROVISIONS APPEARING ELSEWHERE IN THIS ARTICLE PERTAINING TO RETIREMENT OF JUDGES UPON ATTAINING AGE 70.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the foregoing section hereby proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of Maryland, at the next general election to be held in this State in November, 1976, shall be submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection in pursuance of directions contained in Article XIV of the Constitution of this State. At that general election, the vote on this proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot there shall be printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendments" and "Against the Constitutional Amendments," as now provided by law. Immediately after the election, all returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against the proposed amendment, as directed by Article XIV of the Constitution, and further proceedings had in accordance with Article XIV.

Approved May 17, 1976.

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