



General Assembly

Amendment

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LCO No. 10327



Offered by:
SEN. WINFIELD, 10th Dist.

To: House Bill No. **7041**

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(As Amended)

***"AN ACT CONCERNING THE COMPOSITION OF THE JUDICIAL
SELECTION COMMISSION AND DECISIONS RENDERED BY SAID
COMMISSION."***

1 Strike subsection (f) of section 1 in its entirety and insert the following
2 in lieu thereof:

3 "(f) Except as provided in subsection (e) of this section, the
4 commission shall seek qualified candidates for consideration by the
5 Governor for nomination as judges for the Superior Court, Appellate
6 Court and Supreme Court. The commission shall adopt regulations, in
7 accordance with the provisions of chapter 54, concerning criteria by
8 which to evaluate the qualifications of candidates, including incumbent
9 judges who seek appointment to a different court. The commission shall
10 investigate and interview the candidates, including incumbent judges
11 seeking appointment to a different court. In the event the commission
12 issues a decision informing a candidate that the candidate will not be
13 considered by the Governor for nomination as a judge or informing an

14 incumbent judge that such judge will not be considered by the Governor
15 for appointment to a different court, such candidate or judge may
16 request from the commission a brief summary that informs the
17 candidate or judge of the reasons supporting such decision. The form
18 and manner of such summary shall be determined by the commission.
19 A list of such qualified candidates shall be compiled by the
20 commission."