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By Senators Shin, Swecker, Kastama, Hatfield, Delvin, Honeyford, Holmquist Newbry, and Sheldon

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1 AN ACT Relating to retirement of judges; and amending RCW 2.10.100.

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

3 **Sec. 1.** RCW 2.10.100 and 1995 c 305 s 1 are each amended to read
4 as follows:

5 Retirement of a member for service shall be made by the retirement
6 board as follows:

7 (1) Any judge who, on August 9, 1971 or within one year thereafter,
8 shall have completed as a judge the years of actual service required
9 under chapter 2.12 RCW and who shall elect to become a member of this
10 system, shall in all respects be deemed qualified to retire under this
11 retirement system upon the member's written request.

12 (2) Any member who has completed fifteen or more years of service
13 may be retired upon the member's written request but shall not be
14 eligible to receive a retirement allowance until the member attains the
15 age of sixty years.

16 (3) Any member who attains the age of seventy-five years shall be
17 retired at either (a) the end of the calendar year in which the member
18 attains such age; or (b) the expiration of the member's term of office
19 after attaining such age.

1 (4) Any judge who involuntarily leaves service or who is appointed
2 to a position as a federal judge or federal magistrate at any time
3 after having served an aggregate of twelve years shall be eligible to
4 a partial retirement allowance computed according to RCW 2.10.110 and
5 shall receive this allowance upon the attainment of the age of sixty
6 years and fifteen years after the beginning of the member's judicial
7 service.

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