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1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the
2 following:

3 "Sec. 1. RCW 26.04.050 and 2012 c 3 s 4 are each amended to read
4 as follows:

5 The following named officers and persons, active or retired, are
6 hereby authorized to solemnize marriages, to wit: Justices of the
7 supreme court, judges of the court of appeals, judges of the superior
8 courts, supreme court commissioners, court of appeals commissioners,
9 superior court commissioners, judges of courts of limited jurisdiction
10 as defined in RCW 3.02.010, judges of tribal courts, and any regularly
11 licensed or ordained minister or any priest, imam, rabbi, or similar
12 official of any religious organization(~~(, and judges of courts of~~
13 limited jurisdiction as defined in RCW 3.02.010)). That a marriage is
14 solemnized by a dully appointed tribal court judge from a federally
15 recognized tribe pursuant to authority under this section does not
16 create tribal court jurisdiction and does not affect state court
17 authority as otherwise provided by law to enter a judgment for purposes
18 of any dissolution, legal separation, or other proceedings related to
19 the marriage that is binding on the parties and entitled to full faith
20 and credit."

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21 On page 1, line 1 of the title, after "marriages;" strike the
22 remainder of the title and insert "and amending RCW 26.04.050."

EFFECT: Removes administrative law judges from the list of officers and persons authorized to solemnize marriages.

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