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Abstract: Requires the Judicial Council to conduct an annual review of judicial and appellate court judgeships.

Present law provides for the Judicial Council of the supreme court. Provides that the Judicial Council shall adopt standards to determine whether to approve new judgeships and courts.

Present law provides that the Judicial Council is authorized to review the district court judgeships within each district and provide information and recommendations to the legislature by March 1, 2007.

Proposed law changes present law by removing the March 1, 2007, deadline and by requiring the Judicial Council to provide information and recommendations to the legislature regarding the appropriate number of district and appellate court judgeships.

(Amends R.S. 13:61(E))