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Abstract: Allows the legislature to change the number of judges in any judicial district and number of districts and judges in any appellate circuit and supreme court district by majority vote.

<u>Present law</u> provides that the legislature may change the number of judges in any judicial district and number of districts and judges in any appellate circuit and supreme court district by a vote of 2/3rds of the elected members of each house.

<u>Proposed law</u> changes <u>present law</u> from a vote of 2/3rds of the elected members of each house to a majority of the elected members of each house.

Provides for submission of the proposed amendment to the voters at the statewide election to be held Nov. 8, 2022.

(Amends Const. Art. V, §§4, 9, and 15(D))