

Proposed amendment HB 2005, Judicial branch budget.

Amend SB 15, Relating to dispositive motions;
SB 44, Docket fees; electronic filing and management fund;
SB 51, Relating to court fees and costs; judicial branch surcharge fund; into HB 2005.

Further amend the bill to include a reenactment of the 2014 amendments in 2014 HB 2338 creating the electronic filing and management fund and the judicial branch docket fee fund; abolishing the judicial branch surcharge fund; allowing the allocation of a budget for each judicial district court administration; authority and power of the chief judge of each judicial district; relating to district courts and the court of appeals; selection of chief judge; relating to vacancies in the office of judge of the district court and the office of district magistrate judge; longevity bonuses for judicial branch employees.

Include a non-severability clause.

New Sec. . The provisions of this act are not severable. If any provision of this act is stayed or is held to be invalid or unconstitutional, it shall be presumed conclusively that the legislature would not have enacted the remainder of such act without such stayed, invalid or unconstitutional provision.