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Murray

HB No. 86

**Abstract:** Increases the mandatory age of retirement for judges from 70 years of age to 75 years of age.

Present constitution prohibits a judge from remaining in office beyond his 70th birthday.

Proposed constitutional amendment would prohibit a judge from remaining in office beyond his 75th birthday.

Provides for submission of the proposed amendment to the voters at the gubernatorial primary election to be held in 2003.

Effective January 1, 2004. Applicable to any judge serving on or elected on or after January 1, 2004.

(Amends Const. Art. V, §23(B))