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SENATE BILL 1472

AN ACT

AMENDING TITLE 19, CHAPTER 1, ARTICLE 3, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING SECTION 19-124.01; RELATING TO PUBLICITY PAMPHLETS.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Title 19, chapter 1, article 3, Arizona Revised Statutes,
3 is amended by adding section 19-124.01, to read:

4 19-124.01. Judicial information

5 NOT LATER THAN SIXTY DAYS PRECEDING THE REGULAR PRIMARY ELECTION, THE
6 COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL PERFORMANCE REVIEW SHALL PREPARE AND FILE WITH THE
7 SECRETARY OF STATE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION RELATING TO JUSTICES OF THE
8 SUPREME COURT AND JUDGES OF THE COURT OF APPEALS FOR PUBLICATION
9 ELECTRONICALLY:

10 1. BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION ON EACH JUSTICE OR JUDGE, INCLUDING LENGTH
11 OF TIME SERVING IN A JUDICIAL CAPACITY AND EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND. THIS
12 INFORMATION SHALL NOT EXCEED THREE HUNDRED WORDS IN LENGTH.

13 2. A LISTING OF PUBLISHED DECISIONS IN WHICH THE JUSTICE OR JUDGE
14 DECLARED A STATUTE CONSTITUTIONAL OR UNCONSTITUTIONAL AND THE PROVISION OF
15 THE CONSTITUTION RELIED UPON.

16 Sec. 2. Legislative intent

17 The legislature intends by this act to provide voters with more
18 information on justices and appellate court judges than is normally available
19 through the retention elections process.