



ENACTMENT NEWS

House Bill 174

Franklin County Domestic Relations/Juvenile Judgeships

Effective December 22, 2017

On December 22, 2017, the Governor signed House Bill 174, which creates two new judgeships for the Franklin County Court of Common Pleas Domestic Relations Division and Juvenile Branch. One judge will be elected in 2018, with the term to begin January 9, 2019; and one judge will be elected in 2020, with the term to begin January 2, 2021. The bill included an emergency measure to allow the bill to take immediate effect (i.e. effective on the date signed by Governor, or December 22, 2017) and allow candidates to meet the filing deadline to appear on the 2018 ballot.