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H. R. 3058

To provide for additional Federal district judgeships for the eastern district of California, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

AUGUST 2, 2013

Mr. VALADAO (for himself, Mr. MCCARTHY of California, Mr. COSTA, and Mr. NUNES) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Central Valley Judicial
5 Relief Act of 2013”.

6 **SEC. 2. FEDERAL DISTRICT JUDGESHIPS IN CALIFORNIA.**

7 (a) ADDITIONAL PERMANENT DISTRICT JUDGE-
8 SHIPS.—The President shall appoint, by and with the ad-
9 vice and consent of the Senate, 6 additional district judges
10 for the eastern district of California.

1 (b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The table con-
 2 tained in section 133(a) of title 28, United States Code,
 3 is amended by striking the item relating to California and
 4 inserting the following:

“California:	
Northern	14
Eastern	12
Central	27
Southern	13”.

5 (c) TEMPORARY JUDGESHIP.—

6 (1) IN GENERAL.—The President shall appoint,
 7 by and with the advice and consent of the Senate,
 8 one additional district judge for the eastern district
 9 of California.

10 (2) VACANCY NOT FILLED.—The first vacancy
 11 in the office of district judge in the eastern district
 12 of California, occurring 10 years or more after the
 13 confirmation date of the judge named to fill the tem-
 14 porary district judgeship created by this subsection,
 15 shall not be filled.

16 **SEC. 3. ADDITIONAL PLACE OF HOLDING COURT.**

17 Section 84(b) of title 28, United States Code, is
 18 amended in the second sentence by inserting “Bakers-
 19 field,” after “shall be held at”.

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