

113TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# H. R. 2239

To reduce the number of Federal judgeships for the U.S. Court of Appeals  
for the District of Columbia Circuit.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 4, 2013

Mr. COTTON introduced the following bill; which was referred to the  
Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

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Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit.

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 “Stop Court-Packing  
5 Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. REDUCTION OF FEDERAL JUDGESHIPS FOR U.S.**

7 **COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE DISTRICT OF**  
8 **COLUMBIA CIRCUIT.**

9 The table contained in section 44(a) of title 28,  
10 United States Code, is amended in the item relating to

1 the District of Columbia circuit court of appeals, by strik-  
2 ing “11” and inserting “8”.

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