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An Act relating to justices and judges; establishing mandatory retirement age for certain judicial officers; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1407 of Title 20, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

As authorized pursuant to subsection C of Section 11 of Article VII of the Oklahoma Constitution, all appellate Justices and Judges in Oklahoma shall be automatically retired when the sum of their years of judicial service and age equals eighty (80), if not having previously chosen to retire. Such retirement shall occur upon reaching the sum of eighty (80) regardless of any time remaining in an existing term.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 2017.

COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY
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