



Ninety-Ninth Legislature - Second Session - 2006  
**Introducer's Statement of Intent**  
**LB 1096**

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**Chairperson:** Patrick J. Bourne  
**Committee:** Judiciary  
**Date of Hearing:** January 26, 2006

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 1096 would allow for the Clerk of the District Court to be appointed by the Judges of the District Court who are members of the district court bench in the Fourth Judicial District. Currently, the Clerk of the District Court is elected. This bill would change the term of office for an individual elected at the next General Election in November, 2006 to a two-year term and allow for appointment by the District Court bench on January 1, 2009. The changes embodied in LB 1096 would apply to Douglas County only.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Senator John Synowiecki**