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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTY FOR POSSESSION OF A
SMALL AMOUNT OF MARIJUANA."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (*Effective October 1, 2009*) The Judicial Branch shall study
4 the impact of the decriminalization of the possession of small amounts
5 of marijuana under section 1 of this act on court proceedings and the
6 workload of court personnel and probation staff and whether there is
7 an increase or reduction in such proceedings and workload on and
8 after October 1, 2009. Not later than January 1, 2011, the Judicial
9 Branch shall report its findings to the joint standing committee of the
10 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to the
11 judiciary in accordance with section 11-4a of the general statutes."