

118TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 227

To amend title 28, United States Code, to provide an additional place for holding court for the Pecos Division of the Western District of Texas, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

FEBRUARY 2, 2023

Mr. CORNYN (for himself, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. CRUZ, and Ms. CANTWELL) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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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 “Improving Access to
5 Our Courts Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. ADDITIONAL PLACES FOR HOLDING COURT.**

7 (a) PECOS DIVISION OF THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF
8 TEXAS.—Section 124(d)(6) of title 28, United States

1 Code, is amended, in the matter preceding paragraph (7),
2 by inserting “and Alpine” after “Pecos”.

3 (b) WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON.—Section
4 128(b) of title 28, United States Code, is amended by in-
5 serting “Mount Vernon,” after “Tacoma,”.

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