

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Senator Dowd**

A Bill

ACT 189 OF 1993
SENATE BILL 217

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO SET THE SALARY OF THE CLERK-SECRETARY OF THE
9 NINTH CIRCUIT-CHANCERY COURT CIRCUIT WEST; AND FOR OTHER
10 PURPOSES . "

Subtitle

13 **"TO SET THE SALARY OF THE CLERK-SECRETARY OF THE**
14 **NINTH CIRCUIT-CHANCERY COURT CIRCUIT WEST."**

17 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:**

19 **SECTION 1. Beginning January 1, 1994 the clerk-secretary of the Ninth Circuit-**
20 **Chancery Court Circuit West shall receive an annual salary of seventeen thousand dollars**
21 **(\$17,000). Beginning January 1, 1995 and for each year thereafter the clerk-secretary shall**
22 **receive an annual salary of eighteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$18,500). The salaries**
23 **and expenses shall be paid by each county comprising the Ninth Circuit-Chancery Court**
24 **Circuit West with the proportion to be paid by each county to be determined by the judge of the**
25 **Circuit with consideration of the assessed value of all real and personal property in each**
26 **county, the population of each county, and the case load of the court in each county. The salary**
27 **provided for in this act shall be paid by each county as herein specified in equal monthly**
28 **payments on the first day of each month.**

30 **SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature are**
31 **amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision**
32 **Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.**

34 **SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or**
35 **circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of**
36 **the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end**

1 the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

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3 SECTION 4. (a) All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby
4 repealed.

5 (b) Act 41 of 1989 is hereby repealed.

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7 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY. It is hereby found and determined by the General
8 Assembly that the case load of the Ninth Circuit-Chancery Court Circuit West is the second
9 highest in this state; that it is extremely important to retain qualified and experienced court
10 personnel to assure the efficient and swift disposition of the work of the court; that the present
11 salary of the personnel affected by this act is inadequate; that this act will adjust the salary to a
12 more reasonable level; and that this act should be given effect immediately in order to
13 eliminate the inequities as soon as possible. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to
14 exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health,
15 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

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