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For An Act To Be Entitled

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AN ACT REGARDING THE SALARIES OF PERSONNEL AND OTHER

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REQUIREMENTS OF VARIOUS DISTRICT COURTS; AND FOR

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OTHER PURPOSES.

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REGARDING THE SALARIES OF PERSONNEL AND

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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-17-108 is amended to read as follows:

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23 16-17-108. Salaries of personnel and other requirements of various
24 district courts.

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26 (a) Unless otherwise provided by law, the salaries of the judges and
27 other personnel of the various district courts shall be established as
28 follows:

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30 (1)(A) The Arkansas County District Court – Northern District
31 Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than thirty-five thousand
32 dollars (\$35,000) nor more than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), the
33 district court clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than thirteen
34 thousand eight hundred thirty-four dollars and ninety-two cents (\$13,834.92)
35 nor more than ~~thirty-four thousand dollars (\$34,000)~~ forty-four thousand
36 dollars (\$44,000), and the deputy court clerk shall receive an annual salary
of not less than eleven thousand four hundred seventy-five dollars (\$11,475)
nor more than ~~twenty-eight~~ thirty-one thousand dollars ~~(\$28,000)~~ (\$31,000).

(B) The salaries shall be as determined by the governing



1 body of the City of Stuttgart and the Arkansas County Quorum Court and paid
2 one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the city and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the county;

3 (2) The Arkansas County District Court – Southern District Judge
4 shall receive an annual salary of not less than twenty-five thousand dollars
5 (\$25,000) nor more than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), the district court
6 clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than twenty thousand dollars
7 (\$20,000) nor more than ~~thirty-four~~ thirty-nine thousand dollars ~~(\$34,000)~~
8 (\$39,000), and the deputy clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less
9 than twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000) nor more than ~~twenty-eight~~
10 thirty-one thousand dollars ~~(\$28,000)~~ (\$31,000). The salaries shall be
11 determined by the governing body of the City of DeWitt and the Arkansas
12 County Quorum Court and paid one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the city and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the
13 county;

14 (3)(A) The Ashley County District Court – Crossett Department
15 Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than fifteen thousand
16 dollars (\$15,000) nor more than thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000).

17 (B) The salary shall be in an amount within the range
18 prescribed in this subdivision (a)(3), as agreed upon by the Ashley County
19 Quorum Court and the governing body of the City of Crossett;

20 (4)(A) The Ashley County District Court – Hamburg Department
21 Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than fifteen thousand
22 dollars (\$15,000) nor more than thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000).

23 (B) The salary shall be in an amount within the range
24 prescribed in this subdivision (a)(4), as agreed upon by the Ashley County
25 Quorum Court and the governing body of the City of Hamburg;

26 (5) The Baxter County District Court Clerk shall receive
27 compensation in an amount as may be provided by the City of Mountain Home and
28 the Baxter County Quorum Court. The salary shall be paid one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the
29 City of Mountain Home and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by Baxter County;

30 (6)(A) The Calhoun County District Court Clerk shall receive an
31 annual salary of not less than twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) nor more
32 than twenty-four thousand dollars (\$24,000), as may be determined by the
33 Hampton City Council and the Calhoun County Quorum Court.

34 (B) The salary shall be paid by the City of Hampton and
35 Calhoun County in equal monthly installments;

36 (7) The Camden District Court Judge shall receive an annual

1 salary of not less than thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) nor more than fifty
2 thousand dollars (\$50,000) to be paid by the City of Camden and Ouachita
3 County;

4 (8)(A)(i) The Chicot County District Court – Dermott Department
5 Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than fourteen thousand
6 dollars (\$14,000) nor more than thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000).

7 (ii) However, the district court clerk’s position
8 may be a full-time or part-time position.

9 (B) The salary shall be in an amount within the range
10 prescribed in subdivision (a)(8)(A)(i) of this section as agreed upon by the
11 Chicot County Quorum Court and the governing body of the City of Dermott.

12 (C) The salary of the district court clerk shall be paid
13 as follows:

14 (i) Fifty percent (50%) to be paid by the City of
15 Dermott; and

16 (ii) Fifty percent (50%) to be paid by Chicot
17 County;

18 (9)(A) The Chicot County District Court – Eudora Department
19 Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than fourteen thousand
20 dollars (\$14,000) nor more than thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000).

21 (B) The salary shall be in an amount within the range
22 prescribed in subdivision (a)(9)(A) of this section as agreed upon by the
23 Chicot County Quorum Court and the governing body of the City of Eudora.

24 (C) The salary of the district court clerk shall be paid
25 as follows:

26 (i) Fifty percent (50%) to be paid by the City of
27 Eudora; and

28 (ii) Fifty percent (50%) to be paid by Chicot
29 County;

30 (10)(A)(i) The Chicot County District Court – Lake Village
31 Department Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than fourteen
32 thousand dollars (\$14,000) nor more than thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000).

33 (ii) If authorized by the governing body of the City
34 of Lake Village and the Chicot County Quorum Court, the district court judge
35 shall be authorized to employ a full-time or part-time deputy district court
36 clerk at an annual salary of not less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) nor

1 more than twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000).

2 (iii) The salaries shall be in an amount within the
3 range prescribed in this subdivision (a)(10)(A), as agreed upon by the Chicot
4 County Quorum Court and the governing body of the City of Lake Village.

5 (B) The salary of the district court clerk shall be paid
6 as follows:

7 (i) Fifty percent (50%) to be paid by the City of
8 Lake Village; and

9 (ii) Fifty percent (50%) to be paid by Chicot
10 County;

11 (11) The Clark County District Court Clerk shall receive an
12 annual salary of not less than thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) nor
13 more than forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000), to be established annually
14 by the Clark County Quorum Court. Upon approval by the Clark County Quorum
15 Court, the Clark County District Court Judge may appoint one (1) deputy
16 district court clerk to receive a salary as established by the Clark County
17 Quorum Court;

18 (12)(A) The Clay County District Court Judge shall receive an
19 annual salary of not less than seventeen thousand dollars (\$17,000) nor more
20 than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), to be paid, as well as other current
21 benefits, in equal monthly installments by Clay County.

22 (B) Fifty percent (50%) of the amount shall be reimbursed
23 by the City of Corning, the City of Piggott, and the City of Rector at
24 eighteen and five-tenths percent (18.5%), eighteen and five-tenths percent
25 (18.5%), and thirteen percent (13%), respectively, to the county treasury.

26 (C) The clerks of the respective district courts shall
27 receive an annual salary of not less than four thousand five hundred dollars
28 (\$4,500) nor more than eighteen thousand dollars (\$18,000), to be paid, as
29 well as other current benefits, in equal monthly installments by Clay County.

30 (D) Fifty percent (50%) of the amount shall be reimbursed
31 by the respective cities;

32 (13) The Cleveland County District Court Clerk shall receive an
33 annual salary of not less than twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) nor more
34 than twenty-four thousand dollars (\$24,000), as may be determined by the
35 Rison City Council and the Cleveland County Quorum Court;

36 (14) The Columbia County District Court Judge shall receive an

1 annual salary of not less than twenty-four thousand dollars (\$24,000) nor
2 more than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000). Any salaries paid over the
3 minimum salaries set in this subdivision (a)(14) shall be paid only upon the
4 approval of the governing bodies of the City of Magnolia and Columbia County;

5 (15)(A) The Conway County District Court Judge shall receive an
6 annual salary of not less than thirty-two thousand five hundred dollars
7 (\$32,500) nor more than forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000).

8 (B) However, the salary may be increased by such an amount
9 as may be agreed to by the Conway County Quorum Court and the governing body
10 of the City of Morrilton by ordinances adopted by their respective bodies;

11 (16)(A) The Craighead County District Court Judge shall maintain
12 dockets and hold court, as deemed necessary, in each of the county seats of
13 Craighead County and may establish dockets and hold court in other cities and
14 towns in Craighead County, as deemed necessary by ordinance adopted by the
15 Craighead County Quorum Court.

16 (B) Necessary expenses appropriated for the Craighead
17 County District Court shall be apportioned among and paid to the county from
18 the respective cities of the first class and cities of the second class,
19 incorporated towns, and the government of Craighead County as a prorated
20 amount based on the number of cases filed from each of the towns and cities
21 and the county during the preceding calendar year;

22 (17)(A) The Cross County District Court Judge shall receive an
23 annual salary of not less than thirty-three thousand dollars (\$33,000) nor
24 more than forty-four thousand dollars (\$44,000).

25 (B) This salary and the salaries of all court employees
26 shall be as determined by the governing body of the City of Wynne;

27 (18) The Dallas County District Court Clerks shall receive an
28 annual salary of not less than fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) nor more
29 than twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), as may be determined by the
30 Fordyce City Council and the Dallas County Quorum Court, and the salaries
31 shall be paid by the City of Fordyce and Dallas County in equal monthly
32 installments;

33 (19)(A) The Desha County District Court – Dumas Department Clerk
34 shall receive an annual salary of not less than eighteen thousand dollars
35 (\$18,000) nor more than thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), and the deputy
36 district clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than fourteen

1 *thousand five hundred dollars (\$14,500) nor more than ~~twenty-three thousand~~*
2 *~~dollars (\$23,000) twenty-eight thousand dollars (\$28,000).~~*

3 (B) The salary shall be paid one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the Desha
4 County Quorum Court and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the City of Dumas and shall be
5 determined by the Desha County Quorum Court and the governing body of the
6 City of Dumas;

7 (20) The Desha County District Court – McGehee Department Clerk
8 shall be employed and paid by the City of McGehee at such a salary as the
9 governing body of the City of McGehee shall determine;

10 (21) The East Camden District Court Judge shall receive an
11 annual salary of not less than three thousand eight hundred fifty-nine
12 dollars (\$3,859) nor more than twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000), to be
13 paid by the City of East Camden;

14 (22) The Washington County District Court – Elkins Department
15 Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than ten thousand dollars
16 (\$10,000) nor more than ~~forty~~ fifty thousand dollars ~~(\$40,000)~~ (\$50,000);

17 (23)(A) The Franklin County District Court – Charleston District
18 Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than ten thousand dollars
19 (\$10,000) nor more than ~~thirty~~ forty thousand dollars ~~(\$30,000)~~ (\$40,000).

20 (B) The salaries and costs may be set and the payment may
21 be apportioned by agreement between the governing body of the City of
22 Charleston and the Franklin County Quorum Court;

23 (24)(A) The Franklin County District Court – Ozark District
24 Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than twenty-two thousand six
25 hundred dollars (\$22,600) nor more than ~~forty~~ fifty thousand dollars
26 ~~(\$40,000)~~ (\$50,000).

27 (B) The salary and costs may be set and the payment of the
28 salary and costs may be apportioned by agreement between the governing body
29 of the City of Ozark and the Franklin County Quorum Court;

30 (25)(A)(i) The Fulton County District Court Judge shall receive
31 an annual salary of not less than twenty-two thousand dollars (\$22,000) nor
32 more than forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000).

33 (ii) The annual salary of the Fulton County District
34 Court Clerk shall be not less than seventeen thousand seven hundred forty-
35 eight dollars (\$17,748) nor more than thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000).

36 (B)(i) The expense of salaries, along with all other

1 necessary and customary expenses of the court, shall be shared by Fulton
2 County, the City of Salem, and the City of Mammoth Spring, based on a
3 percentage of the actual number of cases handled through the court for each
4 governmental entity.

5 (ii) The percentage shall be determined annually by
6 dividing the total number of cases handled by the district court into the
7 number of cases handled annually for each of the aforementioned governmental
8 entities.

9 (iii) On January 1 of each year, each share shall be
10 estimated based on the number of cases handled by the district court for each
11 of the respective governmental entities for the preceding year.

12 (iv) However, on December 31 of each year, each
13 share shall be adjusted to reflect the actual percentage for each
14 governmental entity for that year based on the actual case load.

15 (C) The salaries and expenses shall be paid in equal
16 monthly installments by Fulton County, and the City of Salem and the City of
17 Mammoth Spring shall reimburse the county on a monthly basis for their
18 respective shares of salaries and expenses;

19 (26)(A) The Garland County District Court Judges, Departments 1
20 and 2, each shall receive an annual salary of not less than sixty-five
21 thousand dollars (\$65,000) nor more than ninety-five thousand dollars
22 (\$95,000), and the Garland County District Court Clerk shall receive an
23 annual salary of not less than twenty-six thousand dollars (\$26,000) nor more
24 than ~~fifty-seven thousand dollars (\$57,000)~~ sixty-eight thousand four hundred
25 dollars (\$68,400).

26 (B) The salaries shall be determined by the governing body
27 of the City of Hot Springs and the Garland County Quorum Court;

28 (27)(A) The Grant County District Court Clerk shall receive an
29 annual salary of not less than twenty-one thousand dollars (\$21,000) nor more
30 than thirty-six thousand dollars (\$36,000), as approved by the Grant County
31 Quorum Court.

32 (B) The district court clerk's salary shall be paid as
33 follows:

34 (i) Twenty-seven percent (27%) to be paid by the
35 City of Sheridan; and

36 (ii) Seventy-three percent (73%) to be paid by Grant

1 County;

2 (28)(A) The Greene County District Court – Paragould District
3 Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than nineteen thousand eight
4 hundred fifty-six dollars (\$19,856) nor more than ~~forty~~ fifty thousand
5 dollars ~~(\$40,000)~~ (\$50,000), the chief deputy district court clerk shall
6 receive an annual salary of not less than sixteen thousand six hundred
7 twenty-four dollars (\$16,624) nor more than ~~thirty-five~~ forty thousand
8 dollars ~~(\$35,000)~~ (\$40,000), and the deputy district court clerk shall
9 receive an annual salary of not less than thirteen thousand three hundred
10 fourteen dollars (\$13,314) nor more than ~~thirty-two~~ thirty-five thousand
11 dollars ~~(\$32,000)~~ (\$35,000).

12 (B) The salaries shall be determined by the Greene County
13 Quorum Court and the governing body of the City of Paragould and shall be
14 paid in twelve (12) equal monthly installments;

15 (29)(A) The Hempstead County District Court Clerk shall receive
16 an annual salary of not less than ~~twenty-four thousand dollars (\$24,000)~~
17 thirty-six thousand dollars (\$36,000) nor more than ~~thirty thousand dollars~~
18 ~~(\$30,000)~~ forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000).

19 (B) The amount of the salary shall be determined by
20 agreement between the governing body of the City of Hope and the Hempstead
21 County Quorum Court;

22 (30) The Hot Spring County – Malvern Department District Court
23 Judge shall be entitled to an additional deputy district court clerk whose
24 salary shall be determined by the governing body of the City of Malvern and
25 the Hot Spring County Quorum Court, and the salary shall be paid by the city
26 and county in the same proportion as the city and county shared in the
27 revenues generated by the court in the previous year;

28 (31)(A)(i) The Howard County District Court Judge shall have an
29 annual salary of not less than twenty-one thousand dollars (\$21,000).

30 (ii) The Howard County District Court Clerk shall
31 receive an annual salary of not less than twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000)
32 nor more than nineteen thousand dollars (\$19,000), unless provided for
33 otherwise by ordinance of the Howard County Quorum Court and the governing
34 body of the City of Nashville.

35 (B) The salaries are to be paid one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the City
36 of Nashville and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by Howard County;

1 (32)(A) The IZARD County District Court Judge shall receive an
2 annual salary of not less than ten thousand two hundred dollars (\$10,200) nor
3 more than forty-two thousand dollars (\$42,000), and the district court clerk
4 shall receive an annual salary of not less than seven thousand four hundred
5 dollars (\$7,400) nor more than thirty-three thousand dollars (\$33,000).

6 (B) However, the salaries shall be subject to the approval
7 of the Melbourne City Council and the IZARD County Quorum Court;

8 (33)(A) The JACKSON County District Court Judge shall receive an
9 annual salary of not less than thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) nor
10 more than fifty-five thousand dollars (\$55,000).

11 (B) The salary of the district court judge shall be paid
12 one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the City of Newport and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by JACKSON County;

13 (34) The JACKSONVILLE District Court Clerk shall receive an
14 annual salary of not less than thirty-three thousand nine hundred thirty-
15 seven dollars (\$33,937) nor more than thirty-six thousand nine hundred
16 dollars (\$36,900);

17 (35)(A) ~~The Newton County District Court - Jasper District Court~~
18 ~~Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than sixteen thousand~~
19 ~~dollars (\$16,000) nor more than twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars~~
20 ~~(\$22,500), and the Department district court clerk shall receive an annual~~
21 ~~salary of not less than thirteen thousand dollars (\$13,000) twenty-eight~~
22 ~~thousand six hundred dollars (\$28,600) nor more than eighteen thousand~~
23 ~~dollars (\$18,000) thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000).~~

24 (B) All salaries and all other expenses of the office
25 shall be paid one hundred percent (100%) by the county;

26 (36) The JEFFERSON County District Court clerks for Division 1
27 and Division 2 shall receive annual salaries of not less than thirty-one
28 thousand dollars (\$31,000) nor more than ~~fifty-three~~ fifty-four thousand
29 dollars ~~(\$53,000)~~ (\$54,000), as may be approved by the Jefferson County
30 Quorum Court and the governing body of the City of Pine Bluff;

31 (37)(A) The JOHNSON County District Court Judge shall receive an
32 annual salary of not less than thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) nor more
33 than forty thousand dollars (\$40,000).

34 (B) This expense, as well as all other expenses related to
35 the operation of the JOHNSON County District Court, is to be divided among
36 the county and all cities within the county based on the percentage of the

1 total fine money collected during the year by each participating entity;

2 (38)(A) The Lafayette County – Lewisville Department District
3 Court Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than twenty-two
4 thousand dollars (\$22,000) nor more than thirty-five thousand dollars
5 (\$35,000), and the City of Lewisville shall pay to the district court clerk
6 at least eight thousand eight hundred dollars (\$8,800) but not more than
7 fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000) of the salary, and Lafayette County shall
8 pay to the district court clerk not less than thirteen thousand two hundred
9 dollars (\$13,200) but not more than twenty-one thousand dollars (\$21,000) of
10 the salary.

11 (B) The amount and manner of payment of the salary of the
12 district court clerk may be established within the ranges specified in
13 subdivision (a)(38)(A) of this section by mutual agreement of the Lafayette
14 County Quorum Court and the Lewisville City Council, as well as the amount
15 and manner of payment of all other expenses of operation of the Lafayette
16 County – Lewisville Department District Court;

17 (39)(A) The Lawrence County District Court – Hoxie Department
18 Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than thirteen thousand seven
19 hundred forty dollars (\$13,740) nor more than twenty thousand dollars
20 (\$20,000), to be paid by the City of Hoxie and approved by its governing
21 body.

22 (B) The Lawrence County District Court – Walnut Ridge
23 Department Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than fifty-one
24 thousand dollars (\$51,000) nor more than sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000),
25 one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the salary to be paid by the City of Walnut Ridge and the
26 other one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) to be paid by Lawrence County;

27 (40)(A) The Little River County District Court Judge shall
28 receive an annual salary of not less than thirty-two thousand eight hundred
29 dollars (\$32,800) nor more than sixty-five thousand dollars (\$65,000), as
30 determined by the governing body of the City of Ashdown and the Little River
31 County Quorum Court.

32 (B) The salary shall be paid sixty-two percent (62%) by
33 Little River County and thirty-eight percent (38%) by the City of Ashdown,
34 unless otherwise agreed by the Little River County Quorum Court and the
35 governing body of the City of Ashdown;

36 (41) The Logan County District Court – Northern District Judge

1 shall receive an annual salary of not less than twenty-two thousand dollars
2 (\$22,000) nor more than forty thousand dollars (\$40,000), as may be
3 determined by the Paris City Council and the Logan County Quorum Court and
4 shall be payable one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the City of Paris and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by Logan
5 County and shall be paid in twelve (12) equal monthly installments;

6 (42) The Logan County District Court – Southern District Judge
7 shall receive an annual salary of not less than twenty-two thousand dollars
8 (\$22,000) nor more than forty thousand dollars (\$40,000), as may be
9 determined by the Booneville City Council and the Logan County Quorum Court
10 and shall be payable one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the City of Booneville and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$)
11 by Logan County and shall be paid in twelve (12) equal monthly installments;

12 (43) The Lonoke County District Court – Northern District Cabot
13 Department Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than twenty-five
14 thousand dollars (\$25,000) nor more than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), as
15 may be determined by the governing body of the City of Cabot;

16 (44) The Lonoke County District Court – Northern District Ward
17 Department Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than twenty-five
18 thousand dollars (\$25,000) nor more than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), as
19 may be determined by the governing body of the City of Ward;

20 (45) The Lonoke County District Court – Southern District
21 Carlisle Department Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than
22 four thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500) nor more than twenty-five
23 thousand dollars (\$25,000);

24 (46) The Lonoke County District Court – Southern District
25 England Department Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than four
26 thousand five hundred dollars (\$4,500) nor more than twenty-five thousand
27 dollars (\$25,000);

28 (47)(A) The Lonoke County District Court – Southern District
29 Lonoke Department Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than five
30 thousand dollars (\$5,000) nor more than twenty-five thousand dollars
31 (\$25,000), as may be determined by the governing body of the City of Lonoke.

32 (B)(i) Necessary expenses appropriated by the City of
33 Lonoke for the district court shall be apportioned among and paid to the City
34 of Lonoke by the cities of the first class, cities of the second class,
35 incorporated towns, and the county as a prorated amount based on the number
36 of cases filed from each of the cities of the first class, cities of the

1 second class, incorporated towns, and the county during the preceding year.

2 (ii) An itemized bill shall be prepared by the City
3 of Lonoke fixing the apportioned expenses, and payment shall be made no later
4 than sixty (60) days following the submission by the City of Lonoke of the
5 bills;

6 (48)(A) The Maumelle District Court Clerk shall receive an
7 annual salary of not less than seventeen thousand five hundred dollars
8 (\$17,500) nor more than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000).

9 (B) The salary of the district court clerk shall be as
10 determined by the City of Maumelle Board of Directors;

11 (49)(A) The Miller County District Court shall have two (2)
12 departments, the City of Texarkana Department and the Miller County
13 Department.

14 (B) The Miller County District Court – City of Texarkana
15 Department shall hear all civil and criminal cases arising out of violations
16 of city ordinances and those cases arising out of violations of state laws
17 committed within the corporate limits of the City of Texarkana and all other
18 cases in controversy arising within the corporate limits of the city within
19 the jurisdiction of a district court as established by law. The Miller County
20 District Court – City of Texarkana Department shall have a chief district
21 court clerk whose salary shall be paid by the City of Texarkana in an amount
22 to be determined by its governing body.

23 (C) The Miller County District Court – Miller County
24 Department shall hear all civil and criminal cases arising out of violations
25 of any of the laws of the state committed outside the corporate limits of the
26 City of Texarkana and all other cases in controversy arising outside the
27 corporate limits of the city within the jurisdiction of a district court as
28 established by law. The Miller County District Court – Miller County
29 Department shall have a chief district court clerk whose salary shall be paid
30 by Miller County in an amount to be determined by its quorum court;

31 (50) The Monroe County District Court – Brinkley Department
32 Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than ten thousand two
33 hundred dollars (\$10,200) nor more than thirty-five thousand dollars
34 (\$35,000), and the Monroe County District Court – Brinkley Department Court
35 Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than ten thousand four
36 hundred eighty-eight dollars (\$10,488) and not more than twenty-seven

1 thousand five hundred dollars (\$27,500);

2 (51) The Monroe County District Court – Clarendon Department
3 Judge shall receive an annual salary of not less than four thousand eight
4 hundred dollars (\$4,800) and the Monroe County District Court – Clarendon
5 Department Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than eight
6 thousand nine hundred eighty-eight dollars (\$8,988);

7 (52)(A) The Montgomery County District Court Judge shall receive
8 an annual salary of not less than seventeen thousand dollars (\$17,000) nor
9 more than thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) to be paid in equal monthly
10 installments.

11 (B) The district court clerk shall receive an annual
12 salary of not less than nineteen thousand dollars (\$19,000) nor more than
13 twenty-seven thousand dollars (\$27,000), and the district court secretary
14 shall receive an annual salary of not less than sixteen thousand dollars
15 (\$16,000) nor more than twenty-two thousand dollars (\$22,000).

16 (C) Montgomery County shall pay eighty percent (80%) of
17 the salaries, and the City of Mt. Ida shall pay twenty percent (20%) of the
18 salaries;

19 (53)(A) The Nevada County District Court Clerk salary shall be
20 not less than twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000) nor more than eighteen
21 thousand dollars (\$18,000).

22 (B) The salary for the district court clerk shall be
23 established within these ranges by the Nevada County Quorum Court and the
24 Prescott City Council, and the salary shall be paid sixty percent (60%) by
25 Nevada County and forty percent (40%) by the City of Prescott. The salary
26 shall be paid in equal monthly installments;

27 ~~(54) The Newton County District Court Clerk shall receive an~~
28 ~~annual salary of not less than fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000) nor more~~
29 ~~than twenty-two thousand dollars (\$22,000), as determined by ordinance or~~
30 ~~resolution adopted by the Newton County Quorum Court;~~

31 (55)(A) The North Little Rock District Court Judges, Divisions 1
32 and 2, are each authorized to employ a chief district court clerk, whose
33 salary shall be at least thirty-two thousand five hundred dollars (\$32,500)
34 but not more than fifty-five thousand five hundred dollars (\$55,500), a
35 deputy district court clerk, whose salary shall be at least thirty-two
36 thousand dollars (\$32,000) but not more than forty-two thousand five hundred

1 dollars (\$42,500), and two (2) district court clerks, whose salaries shall
2 each be at least twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) but not more than forty
3 thousand dollars (\$40,000).

4 (B) The North Little Rock District Court Judges, Divisions
5 1 and 2, subject to the approval of the governing body of North Little Rock,
6 may each employ an additional district court clerk whose salary shall be at
7 least twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) but not more than forty thousand
8 dollars (\$40,000);

9 (56) The Perry County District Court Judge shall receive an
10 annual salary to be paid by Perry County of not less than twenty-three
11 thousand five hundred dollars (\$23,500) nor more than fifty thousand dollars
12 (\$50,000);

13 (57) The Pike County District Court Judge shall receive an
14 annual salary of not less than six thousand dollars (\$6,000) nor more than
15 thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), and the district court clerk shall receive
16 an annual salary of not less than three thousand dollars (\$3,000) nor more
17 than thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000). Seventy-five percent (75%) of
18 the salaries shall be paid by Pike County, and twenty-five percent (25%)
19 shall be paid by the City of Murfreesboro;

20 (58)(A) The Poinsett County District Court shall consist of five
21 (5) departments located in Harrisburg, Lepanto, Marked Tree, Trumann, and
22 Tyronza.

23 (B) All five (5) departments shall be served by one (1)
24 judge.

25 (C) The salary of the district court clerk of each
26 department will be as determined by the Poinsett County Quorum Court and the
27 governing body of each municipality where the department is located.

28 (D) The salary of each district court clerk shall be
29 payable one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by Poinsett County and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the municipality.

30 (E) Each municipality shall receive from the county each
31 month the county's share of the district court clerk's salaries;

32 (59) The Polk County District Court Judge shall receive an
33 annual salary of not less than thirty-two thousand dollars (\$32,000) nor more
34 than forty-six thousand dollars (\$46,000) to be paid in equal monthly
35 installments, with fifty-six percent (56%) to be paid by Polk County, twenty-
36 seven percent (27%) to be paid by the City of Mena, and seventeen percent

1 (17%) to be paid by the town of Grannis;

2 (60) The Pope County District Court Clerk shall receive an
3 annual salary of not less than twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000) nor
4 more than forty-eight thousand dollars (\$48,000), the chief deputy district
5 court clerk of the court shall receive an annual salary of not less than
6 eighteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$18,500) nor more than thirty-nine
7 thousand dollars (\$39,000), and the deputy district court clerk of the court
8 shall receive an annual salary of not less than sixteen thousand five hundred
9 dollars (\$16,500) nor more than thirty-two thousand dollars (\$32,000);

10 (61) The Washington County District Court – Prairie Grove
11 Department Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than twelve
12 thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500) nor more than ~~thirty-nine thousand~~
13 ~~three hundred seventy-five dollars (\$39,375)~~ fifty-one thousand dollars
14 (\$51,000);

15 (62) The Pulaski County District Court Clerk shall receive an
16 annual salary of not less than fifty-two thousand eight hundred sixty-eight
17 dollars (\$52,868) nor more than seventy-two thousand three hundred fifty
18 dollars (\$72,350), and the district court bailiff shall receive an annual
19 salary of not less than thirty-two thousand dollars (\$32,000) nor more than
20 fifty-five thousand three hundred fifty-five dollars (\$55,355);

21 (63)(A) The Randolph County District Court Judge shall receive
22 an annual salary of not less than nineteen thousand dollars (\$19,000) nor
23 more than forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000), and the district court clerk
24 shall receive an annual salary of not less than six thousand dollars (\$6,000)
25 nor more than thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000).

26 (B) The salaries shall be payable one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by the City
27 of Pocahontas and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) by Randolph County and shall be payable in
28 twelve (12) equal monthly installments;

29 (64)(A) The Saline County District Court – Benton Department
30 Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than thirty thousand dollars
31 (\$30,000) nor more than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000).

32 (B) The salary shall be as determined by the governing
33 body of the City of Benton and the Saline County Quorum Court;

34 (65)(A) The Scott County District Court Judge shall receive an
35 annual salary of not less than twenty-seven thousand dollars (\$27,000) nor
36 more than thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000), and the district court

1 clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than thirteen thousand
2 dollars (\$13,000) nor more than twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

3 (B) The salaries shall be subject to the approval of the
4 Waldron City Council and the Scott County Quorum Court and shall be paid in
5 equal monthly installments, one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) to be paid by the City of Waldron
6 and one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) to be paid by Scott County;

7 (66)(A) *The Searcy County District Court – Marshall Department*
8 *Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than ~~eighteen thousand five~~*
9 *~~hundred dollars (\$18,500) twenty-four thousand seven hundred twenty dollars~~*
10 *(\$24,720) nor more than ~~twenty-two thousand dollars (\$22,000) thirty thousand~~*
11 *dollars (\$30,000), as determined by the Searcy County Quorum Court and the*
12 *governing body of the City of Marshall by ordinances or resolutions adopted*
13 *by the respective bodies.*

14 (B) The salary of the district court clerk shall be paid
15 fifty percent (50%) by Searcy County and fifty percent (50%) by the City of
16 Marshall.

17 (C) The salary shall be paid in equal monthly
18 installments;

19 (67)(A) The Sebastian County District Court – Fort Smith
20 District Judges, Departments 1, 2, and 3, shall jointly appoint a qualified
21 elector of the state to serve as district court clerk.

22 (B)(i) The district court clerk shall have at least five
23 (5) years' previous experience as a court clerk or deputy court clerk or
24 equivalent education, training, and experience as determined by the Director
25 of Human Resources for the City of Fort Smith.

26 (ii) Appointment and removal of the district court
27 clerk shall be in conformance with the City of Fort Smith's current personnel
28 policies in place at the time of appointment and removal of the district
29 court clerk.

30 (C) The salaries of the district court clerk, deputy
31 district court clerks, court personnel, and any special district court judges
32 authorized by this subdivision (a)(67) and the operating expenses of the
33 Sebastian County District Court – Fort Smith District shall be paid seventy
34 percent (70%) by the City of Fort Smith and thirty percent (30%) by Sebastian
35 County;

36 (68)(A) The Sebastian County District Court – Greenwood District

1 salaries of the district court clerk and the district court clerk's deputies
2 shall be set by the Sebastian County Quorum Court.

3 (B) The salaries shall be paid ninety percent (90%) by
4 Sebastian County and ten percent (10%) by the City of Greenwood.

5 (C) In order to defray the expenses of operating the
6 Sebastian County District Court – Greenwood District, ninety percent (90%) of
7 the Sebastian County net fines, ten percent (10%) of the City of Greenwood
8 net fines, and fifteen percent (15%) of all other cities' net fines processed
9 by the Sebastian County District Court – Greenwood District may or shall be
10 deposited into a bank account entitled the "Greenwood District Court
11 Operating Fund" to be administered by the Sebastian County District Court –
12 Greenwood District Judge under a budget approved as follows:

13 (i) The district court judge shall submit a proposed
14 annual budget to a committee composed of the members of the quorum court that
15 represent the Greenwood District of Sebastian County;

16 (ii) The committee shall approve the district court
17 judge's budget or formulate a reasonable budget that shall be approved by the
18 Sebastian County Quorum Court, unless found by a majority of the quorum court
19 to be clearly excessive; and

20 (iii) If funds provided from the fines as set out in
21 this subdivision (a)(68) become insufficient or excessive, the committee
22 shall adjust the percentage of fines on a pro rata basis to increase or
23 decrease the funds necessary to operate the district court pursuant to the
24 budget established in this subdivision (a)(68).

25 (D) The Sebastian County District Court Judge – Greenwood
26 District shall be bonded in accordance with §§ 19-1-401 – 19-1-403;

27 (69)(A) The Sevier County District Court Judge shall receive an
28 annual salary of not less than thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000) nor
29 more than eighty percent (80%) of the annual salary established by law for
30 circuit court judges.

31 (B) The Sevier County District Court Clerk shall have an
32 annual salary of not less than fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000).

33 (C) The salaries, expenses, and operating costs of the
34 Sevier County District Court shall be paid equally by the City of DeQueen and
35 Sevier County;

36 (70) The Sharp County District Court Judge shall receive an

1 annual salary of not less than thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000) nor more
2 than forty thousand dollars (\$40,000), and the Sharp County District Court
3 Clerk shall receive an annual salary of not less than ~~sixteen thousand~~
4 ~~dollars (\$16,000)~~ seventeen thousand six hundred eighty dollars (\$17,680)
5 nor more than ~~twenty four thousand four hundred dollars (\$24,400)~~ thirty
6 three thousand two hundred eighty (\$33,280), as determined by the Sharp
7 County Quorum Court and to be paid by Sharp County;

8 (71)(A) The Sherwood District Court Clerk shall receive an
9 annual salary of not less than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) nor more than
10 seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000).

11 (B) The salary shall be determined by the governing body
12 of the City of Sherwood;

13 (72)(A) The Stone County District Court Judge shall receive an
14 annual salary of not less than eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) nor more than
15 thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), and the district court clerk shall receive
16 an annual salary of not less than six thousand dollars (\$6,000) nor more than
17 twenty-three thousand dollars (\$23,000).

18 (B) The salaries shall be subject to the approval of the
19 Mountain View City Council and the Stone County Quorum Court;

20 (73) The Van Buren County District Court – Clinton Department
21 Clerk and any district court clerk deputy salaries shall be apportioned
22 between the county and any city in the county by agreement between the
23 respective governing bodies;

24 (74) The Washington County District Court – West Fork Department
25 annual salary for each district court clerk shall be not less than twelve
26 thousand five hundred dollars (\$12,500) nor more than ~~thirty-nine thousand~~
27 ~~three hundred seventy-five dollars (\$39,375)~~ sixty thousand dollars
28 (\$60,000);

29 (75) The White County District Court – Beebe Department Clerk
30 shall receive an annual salary of not less than twenty-five thousand two
31 hundred ten dollars (\$25,210) nor more than forty thousand nine hundred
32 ninety dollars (\$40,990);

33 (76) The Woodruff County District Court Judge shall receive an
34 annual salary of not less than eighteen thousand dollars (\$18,000) nor more
35 than thirty-six thousand dollars (\$36,000);

36 (77)(A) The Wrightsville District Court Clerk shall receive an

1 annual salary of not less than ten thousand nine hundred twenty-six dollars
2 (\$10,926) nor more than twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

3 (B) The salary shall be determined by the City of
4 Wrightsville Board of Directors;

5 (78) The Yell County District Court – Northern District Judge
6 shall receive an annual salary of not less than ten thousand one hundred six
7 dollars (\$10,106) nor more than twenty-one thousand six hundred forty-three
8 dollars (\$21,643), as determined by the Yell County Quorum Court; and

9 (79) The Yell County District Court – Southern District Judge
10 shall receive an annual salary of not less than ten thousand one hundred six
11 dollars (\$10,106) nor more than twenty-one thousand six hundred forty-three
12 dollars (\$21,643), as determined by the Yell County Quorum Court.

13 (b) The local salary supplement paid to a district court judge under §
14 16-17-115(c) shall not be used when calculating the salary established in
15 this section.

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