Act 342 SB344

"AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 4 OF ACT 944 OF 1981, AS AMENDED, TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM SALARY OF THE CLERK-SECRETARY-CASE COORDINATOR OF THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. Section 4 of Act 944 of 1981, as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 4. Retroactive to January 1, 1987, the salary and expenses to be paid each clerk-secretary-case coordinator within the Eighth Circuit shall be not less than twelve thousand six hundred dollars (\$12,600) per year nor more than twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) per year."

SECTION 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this  $\mbox{Act}$  are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. It is hereby found and determined by the General Assembly that the maximum annual salary for the clerk-secretary-case coordinator of the Eighth Judicial Circuit is inadequate; that the counties cannot increase the salary until the maximum prescribed by law is increased; and that this Act increases that maximum salary and thereby gives the counties the flexibility of determining a reasonable salary for that position. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

APPROVED: 3/20/87 - Without Governor's Signature