

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **80th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1995**
4 **By: Senator Beebe**

A Bill

ACT 886 OF 1995
SENATE BILL 625

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO SET THE SALARY AND EXPENSES OF THE DEPUTY
9 PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS IN THE SEVENTEENTH JUDICIAL
10 DISTRICT-EAST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

13 "TO SET THE SALARY AND EXPENSES OF THE
14 DEPUTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS IN THE 17TH
15 JUDICIAL DISTRICT-EAST."

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

19 SECTION 1. Retroactive to January 1, 1995 and thereafter, the
20 Prosecuting Attorney in the Seventeenth Judicial District-East shall be
21 entitled to the following assistance and employees:

22 (a) One (1) Chief Deputy Prosecuting Attorney, whose salary shall not
23 be less than thirty-eight thousand seven dollars (\$38,007) per annum. Said
24 salary to be paid in accordance with the pay periods and payroll policy for
25 county employees of White County, Arkansas. In addition to said salaries,
26 social security, matching retirement, insurance, and all related salary
27 expenses shall be paid by White County.

28 (b) One (1) Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for White County, whose salary
29 shall not be less than seventeen thousand fifty-seven dollars (\$17,057) per
30 annum. Said salary to be paid in accordance with the pay periods and payroll
31 policy for county employees of White County, Arkansas. In addition to said
32 salaries, social security, matching retirement, insurance and all related
33 salary expenses shall be paid by White County.

34 (c) One (1) Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for Prairie County, whose

1 salary shall not be less than seventeen thousand seven hundred forty dollars
2 (\$17,740) per annum. Said salary to be paid in accordance with the pay
3 periods and payroll policy for county employees of Prairie County, Arkansas.
4 In addition to said salaries, social security, matching retirement, insurance
5 and all related salary expenses shall be paid by Prairie County. The Deputy
6 Prosecuting Attorney for Prairie County shall be entitled to actual operating
7 expenses of not less than ten thousand six hundred eighty-five dollars
8 (\$10,685.00) to cover the cost of telephone, printing, supplies, equipment,
9 janitorial services, cleaning supplies, food, service contracts, accounting,
10 postage, photocopies, travel, training, utilities, rent, juror and witness
11 fees, and such other expenses which within the discretion of the prosecuting
12 attorney may be proper expenses of the office in connection with the
13 investigation and prosecution of criminal activity within the district to be
14 paid by Prairie County.

15 (d) One (1) victim/witness coordinator/office manager, whose salary
16 shall not be less than twenty thousand one hundred seventy-two dollars
17 (\$20,172.00). Said salary to be paid in accordance with the pay periods and
18 payroll policy of White County, Arkansas. In addition to said salaries,
19 social security, matching retirement, insurance and all related salary
20 expenses shall be paid by White County.

21 (e) One (1) victim/witness clerk, whose salary shall not be less than
22 thirteen thousand four hundred twenty-four (\$13,424.00) Said salary to be paid
23 in accordance with the pay periods and payroll policy of White County,
24 Arkansas. In addition to said salaries, social security, matching retirement,
25 insurance and all related salary expenses shall be paid by White County.

26 (f) One (1) Receptionist/municipal intake clerk, whose salary shall not
27 be less than fifteen thousand three hundred forty-eight dollars (\$15,348.00)
28 per annum. Said salary to be paid in accordance with the pay periods and
29 payroll policy of White County, Arkansas. In addition to said salaries,
30 social security, matching retirement, insurance and all related salary
31 expenses shall be paid by White County.

32 (g) One (1) Hot Check clerk, whose salary shall not be less than
33 fourteen thousand sixty-eight dollars (\$14,068.00) per annum. Said salary to
34 be paid in accordance with the pay periods and payroll policy of White County,
35 Arkansas. In addition to said salaries, social security, matching retirement,

1 insurance and all related salary expenses shall be paid by White County.

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3 SECTION 2. The Quorum Courts of the respective counties of the
4 Seventeenth Judicial District-East shall annually appropriate out of the funds
5 sufficient amounts to cover the salaries and expenses provided for herein.
6 The salaries and expenses provided herein are minimum provisions only and the
7 quorum courts of the respective counties may appropriate any additional funds
8 they deem necessary for the efficient operation of the office of the
9 prosecuting attorney.

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11 SECTION 3. In lieu of any other expense allowance now provided by law
12 for the Prosecuting Attorney of the Seventeenth Judicial District-East, said
13 Prosecuting Attorney shall hereafter receive an expense allowance of two
14 thousand four hundred dollars (\$2,400.00) per annum to be borne by the
15 respective counties of the Seventeenth Judicial District as follows:

16	White County	\$1,400.00
17	Prairie County	\$1,000.00

18 The said counties shall pay the authorized annual amounts in equal quarterly
19 installments from the county general fund of the respective counties. The
20 Prosecuting Attorney or deputies may also be allowed additional expenses upon
21 appropriation of the Quorum Court and approval of the County Judge.

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23 SECTION 4. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent
24 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas
25 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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27 SECTION 5. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
28 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
29 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
30 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
31 act are declared to be severable.

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33 SECTION 6. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
34 hereby repealed.

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1 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY. It is hereby found and determined by the General
2 Assembly that this act is essential to the operation of the criminal justice
3 system within the Seventeenth Judicial District-East. It is also hereby found
4 and determined by the General Assembly that the Prosecuting Attorney of the
5 Seventeenth Judicial District-East is in need of these personnel in order to
6 fight the war on drugs and combat violent crime in the Seventeenth Judicial
7 District-East. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this
8 act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health
9 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and
10 approval.

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