

State of Arkansas

77th General Assembly

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL

1155

By: Representatives Horn and Tullis

For An Act To Be Entitled

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

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

SECTION 1. The clerk-secretary of the Ninth Circuit-Chancery Court Circuit West shall receive an annual salary of not less than fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00). The salaries and expenses shall be paid by each county comprising the Ninth Circuit-Chancery Court Circuit West with the proportion to be paid by each county to be determined by the judge of the Circuit with consideration of the assessed value of all real and personal property in each county, the population of each county, and the case load of the court in each county.

SECTION 2. The salary provided for in this Act shall be retroactive to January 1, 1989, and shall be paid by each county as herein specified in equal monthly payments on the first day of each month."

SECTION 3. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 5. Emergency. It is hereby found and determined by the General Assembly that the volume of work required by clerk-secretaries has been greatly increased in recent years, that it is immediately necessary to

increase the salaries of clerk-secretaries in order to insure the orderly discharge of the business of the courts of this State, that the clerk-secretaries help relieve the burden on the court reporters and the judges, and that this Act is immediately necessary to accomplish this purpose. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.