

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **78th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1991**
4 **By: Representative Flanagan**

A Bill

HOUSE BILL

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7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 24, CHAPTER 12, SECTION 121 OF THE
9 ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 TO GRANT SERVICE CREDIT TO CITY
10 CLERKS AND CLERK-TREASURERS FOR PRIOR SERVICE AS A DEPUTY-
11 CLERK, DEPUTY TREASURER OR DEPUTY CLERK-TREASURER; AND FOR
12 OTHER PURPOSES."

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

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16 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 24-12-121 is hereby amended to read as
17 follows:

18 "24-12-121. City clerks and clerk-treasurers.

19 (a) Any city clerk or clerk-treasurer in a city of the first class who
20 shall have served as city clerk, clerk-treasurer, and city treasurer for a
21 period of not less than ten (10) years, upon reaching the age of sixty (60)
22 years, or who shall serve twenty (20) years without regard to age, shall be
23 entitled to retire from office for the remainder of his or her life at the
24 retirement pay provided for in this section.

25 (b) (1) Any city clerk, city treasurer, or any person serving as city
26 clerk or clerk-treasurer who shall retire, or be succeeded by another city
27 clerk or clerk-treasurer within the provisions of this section shall be paid
28 monthly a sum equal to one-half (1/2) of the monthly salary received by him
29 during the last preceding year of his service.

30 (2) The retirement pay shall be paid by the city from its general
31 fund account.

32 (c) However, any city clerk or clerk-treasurer who served as a deputy
33 city clerk, deputy treasurer or deputy clerk-treasurer prior to their service
34 as city clerk or clerk-treasurer shall count their service as deputy city
35 clerk, deputy treasurer or deputy clerk-treasurer at the rate of one (1) year

1 for city clerk's or clerk-treasurer's retirement for each two (2) years served
2 as a deputy city clerk, deputy treasurer or deputy clerk-treasurer, with a
3 maximum of an additional two (2) years' credit towards city clerk's or clerk-
4 treasurer's retirement."

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6 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
7 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
8 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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10 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
11 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
12 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
13 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
14 act are declared to be severable.

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

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