

1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **78th General Assembly**  
3 **First Extraordinary Session, 1992**  
4 **By: Senator Everett**

# A Bill

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**SENATE BILL**

## **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 2 OF UNCODIFIED ACT 487 OF 1983  
9 TO PERMIT THE QUORUM COURT OF POINSETT COUNTY TO PRESCRIBE  
10 THE SALARY AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE FOR THE POINSETT COUNTY  
11 DEPUTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND  
12 FOR 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. Section 2 of uncodified Act 487 of 1983 is hereby amended to  
17 read as follows:

18 "SECTION 2. The salaries and contingent expense allowances provided for  
19 in this Act shall be paid by the county in twelve (12) monthly installments to  
20 the deputies and in such amounts within the total amounts provided herein as  
21 may be authorized and appropriated by ordinance of the Quorum Court of  
22 Poinsett County upon claims filed by such deputies and allowed as claims  
23 against the county general revenue fund. All fees earned and payable to the  
24 deputy prosecuting attorneys in Poinsett County shall be deposited in the  
25 county treasury to the credit of the county general fund. Expenses actually  
26 incurred by the deputy prosecuting attorneys in excess of the contingent  
27 expense allowance provided for such attorneys shall be paid upon itemized  
28 claims filed by such deputies. The expenses and allowances provided in  
29 Section 1 shall be in addition to any necessary expense incurred in connection  
30 with any proper investigation incident to violations or alleged violations of  
31 the criminal laws or any hearing or trial before a grand jury or any court,  
32 including expenses of obtaining evidence and securing attendance of witnesses  
33 from within or outside the State of Arkansas, and any unusual travel expenses  
34 incurred in connection with the duties of his office, which shall be paid by  
35 the county from the county general revenue fund upon the filing of a proper

1 claim by the deputy prosecuting attorney or by the person or firm entitled to  
2 compensation therefor and having the approval of the deputy prosecuting  
3 attorney, the prosecuting attorney, or the court in which such matter is  
4 pending."

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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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19 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY. It is hereby found and determined by the  
20 Seventy-Eighth General Assembly meeting in the First Extraordinary Session of  
21 1992 that the Poinsett County Quorum Court should set the salary and expense  
22 allowance for the Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for Poinsett County and that in  
23 order to insure the proper administration of justice and the efficient  
24 functioning of the office of Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for Poinsett County  
25 that it is necessary that this act become effective immediately. Therefore,  
26 an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act being immediately  
27 necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be  
28 in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

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