

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Representative Riable**

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1453

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7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE MUNICIPAL JUDGES OF COURTS LOCATED IN A
9 COUNTY HAVING A POPULATION OF 150,000 OR MORE PERSONS
10 ELIGIBLE FOR RETIREMENT BENEFITS WHO HAVE SERVED EIGHT (8)
11 CONTINUOUS YEARS AS JUDGE AND HAVE SERVED TWELVE (12)
12 YEARS IN OTHER PUBLIC SERVICE, FOR A TOTAL OF TWENTY (20)
13 YEARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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Subtitle

16 "AN ACT TO MAKE CERTAIN MUNICIPAL JUDGES ELIGIBLE FOR
17 RETIREMENT BENEFITS."

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

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21 SECTION 1. (a) Upon approval of the governing body of the
22 municipality, any judge of a municipal court located in a county having a
23 population of one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) or more persons who has
24 served or shall serve at least eight (8) years continuously in office as a
25 municipal judge and who has also served no less than twelve (12) years in
26 public service, including no more than three (3) years in active military
27 service, upon attaining age sixty (60) years, shall receive retirement
28 benefits for and during the remainder of his natural life in an amount not to
29 exceed one-half (1/2) of the salary payable to him at the time of his
30 resignation, retirement or replacement by a successor in the office.

31 (b) The term "public service" means holding any office, or employment
32 by the State of Arkansas, or county, district, or municipality thereof.

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34 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
35 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code

1 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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

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

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14 */s/Mark Riable*

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