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2 82nd General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1589

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5 By: Representative Booker
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 16-13-1414 TO
10 INCREASE THE SALARY OF THE PULASKI COUNTY CIRCUIT
11 COURT PRESENTENCE OFFICERS TO TWENTY-THREE THOUSAND
12 DOLLARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

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15 "TO INCREASE THE SALARY OF THE PULASKI
16 COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT PRESENTENCE
17 OFFICERS TO TWENTY-THREE THOUSAND
18 DOLLARS."

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

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23 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 16-13-1414 is amended to read as follows:
24 "16-13-1414. Circuit court presentence officers.

25 (a) The circuit judges of the First, Fourth, and Fifth Divisions of the
26 Sixth Judicial District may appoint one (1) presentence officer.

27 (b) The duties of the presentence officer shall include the
28 investigation of defendants and the making of such reports to the circuit
29 court as it deems desirable as to the past conduct of any defendant that
30 appears before the court.

31 (c) The salary of the presentence officer shall be ~~fifteen~~ twenty-three
32 thousand dollars ~~(\$15,000)~~ (\$23,000) per calendar year, which salary shall be
33 paid by Pulaski County, Arkansas.

34 (d)(1) The salaries of the presentence officer set by this section and
35 by county ordinance shall be amended to provide for an increase of the minimum
36 salaries of four percent (4%) as of July 10, 1987; another increase of four

1 percent (4%) beginning December 26, 1987; and another increase of four percent
2 (4%) beginning December 24, 1988, unless a higher salary is provided by any
3 other legislative act or county ordinance.

4 (2) All of the salaries shall be paid by Pulaski County. All of
5 the salaries shall be paid bi-weekly by Pulaski County.

6 (3) When the county quorum court raises salaries for county
7 employees, they shall also raise salaries an equivalent amount for the
8 employees provided for in this subsection.

9 (4) The employees covered by this subsection shall be treated by
10 Pulaski County in the same manner as other Pulaski County employees for all
11 other purposes."

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

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

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

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