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(BY MR. HALL, OF BOONE)

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AN ACT to repeal sections one, two and three, article seven of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, and to enact in lieu thereof section one, sections one-(one) to one-(fifty-five), inclusive; section two, sections two-(one) to two-(fifty-two), inclusive; section three, sections three-(one) to three-(fifty-two), inclusive, relating to salaries of sheriffs and clerks of county and circuit courts; and to amend and reenact sections four, five, five-(three), five-(fourteen), five-(twenty-three), five-(twenty-seven), five-(twenty-eight) and five-(forty) of said article, relating to the salaries of joint clerks of county and circuit courts, and salaries of prosecuting attorneys in certain counties.
Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That sections one, two and three, article seven, chapter seven of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, be repealed, and that section one, sections one-(one) to one-(fifty-five, inclusive; section two, sections two-(one) to two-(fifty-two), inclusive; section three, sections three-(one) to three-(fifty-two), inclusive, be enacted in lieu thereof, and that sections four, five five-(three), five-(fourteen), five-(twenty-three), five-(twenty-seven), five-(twenty-eight) and five-(forty) of said article be amended and reenacted, all to read as follows:

   Section 1. The annual compensation of the sheriff of each county shall, on and after January 1, 1949, be in the amount set forth in sections 1-(1) to 1-(55) inclusive, of this article.

   Sec. 1-(1). Barbour County.—For the county of Barbour, two thousand five hundred dollars.

   Sec. 1-(2). Berkeley County.—For the county of Berkeley, three thousand seven hundred dollars.

   Sec. 1-(3). Boone County.—For the county of Boone, three thousand dollars.
Sec. 1-(4). *Braxton County.*—For the county of Braxton, two thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(5). *Brooke County.*—For the county of Brooke, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(6). *Cabell County.*—For the county of Cabell, four thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(7). *Calhoun County.*—For the county of Calhoun, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(8). *Clay County.*—For the county of Clay, one thousand nine hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(9). *Doddridge County.*—For the county of Doddridge, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(10). *Fayette County.*—For the county of Fayette, four thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(11). *Gilmer County.*—For the county of Gilmer, two thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(12). *Grant County.*—For the county of Grant, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(13). *Greenbrier County.*—For the county of Greenbrier, two thousand seven hundred dollars.
Sec. 1-(14). Hampshire County.—For the county of Hampshire, two thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(15). Hancock County.—For the county of Hancock, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(16). Hardy County.—For the county of Hardy, one thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(17). Harrison County.—For the county of Harrison, four thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(18). Jackson County.—For the county of Jackson, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(19). Jefferson County.—For the county of Jefferson, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(20). Kanawha County.—For the county of Kanawha, five thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(21). Lewis County.—For the county of Lewis, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(22). Logan County.—For the county of Logan, four thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(23). Lincoln County.—For the county of Lincoln, two thousand five hundred dollars.
Sec. 1-(24). Marion County.—For the county of Marion, 2 four thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(25). Marshall County.—For the county of Marshall, three thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(26). Mason County.—For the county of Mason, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(27). Mercer County.—For the county of Mercer, four thousand three hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(28). Mineral County.—For the county of Mineral, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(29). Mingo County.—For the county of Mingo, three thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(30). Monongalia County.—For the county of Monongalia, three thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(31). Monroe County.—For the county of Monroe, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(32). McDowell County.—For the county of McDowell, four thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(33). Morgan County.—For the county of Morgan, one thousand five hundred dollars.
Sec. 1-(34). **Nicholas County.**—For the county of Nicholas, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(35). **Ohio County.**—For the county of Ohio, four thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(36). **Pendleton County.**—For the county of Pendleton, one thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(37). **Pleasants County.**—For the county of Pleasants, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(38). **Pocahontas County.**—For the county of Pocahontas, two thousand one hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(39). **Preston County.**—For the county of Preston, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(40). **Putnam County.**—For the county of Putnam, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(41). **Raleigh County.**—For the county of Raleigh, three thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(42). **Randolph County.**—For the county of Randolph, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(43). **Ritchie County.**—For the county of Ritchie, two thousand seven hundred fifty dollars.
Sec. 1-(44). *Roane County.*—For the county of Roane, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(45). *Summers County.*—For the county of Summers, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(46). *Taylor County.*—For the county of Taylor, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(47). *Tucker County.*—For the county of Tucker, two thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(48). *Tyler County.*—For the county of Tyler, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(49). *Upshur County.*—For the county of Upshur, two thousand seven hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(50). *Wayne County.*—For the county of Wayne, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(51). *Webster County.*—For the county of Webster, two thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 1-(52). *Wetzel County.*—For the county of Wetzel, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(53). *Wirt County.*—For the county of Wirt, one thousand six hundred fifty dollars.
Sec. 1-(54). Wood County.—For the county of Wood, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 1-(55). Wyoming County.—For the county of Wyoming, two thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2. Salaries of County Clerks.—The annual compensation of the clerk of the county court of each county, including the compensation for new duties, imposed by acts of this Legislature, shall, on and after July one, one thousand nine hundred forty-five, be in the amounts set forth in sections two-(one) to two-(fifty-two), inclusive, of this article.

Sec. 2-(1). Barbour County.—For the county of Barbour, two thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(2). Berkeley County.—For the county of Berkeley, two thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(3). Boone County.—For the county of Boone, two thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(4). Braxton County.—For the county of Braxton, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(5). Brooke County.—For the county of Brooke,
2 one thousand nine hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(6). Cabell County.—For the county of Cabell,
2 five thousand dollars.

Sec. 2-(7). Calhoun County.—For the county of Cal-
2 houn, one thousand seven hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(8). Clay County.—For the county of Clay, one
2 thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(9). Doddridge County.—For the county of Dodd-
2 ridge, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 2-(10). Fayette County.—For the county of Fay-
2 ette, three thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(11). Gilmer County.—For the county of Gilmer,
2 one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(12). Greenbrier County.—For the county of
2 Greenbrier, two thousand seven hundred fifty dollars.

Sec. 2-(13). Hampshire County.—For the county of
2 Hampshire, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 2-(14). Hancock County.—For the county of Han-
2 cock, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 2-(15). Harrison County.—For the county of Har-
2 rison, four thousand dollars.
Sec. 2-(16). Jackson County.—For the county of Jackson, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(17). Jefferson County.—For the county of Jefferson, two thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(18). Kanawha County.—For the county of Kanawha, five thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(19). Lewis County.—For the county of Lewis, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(20). Lincoln County.—For the county of Lincoln, two thousand seven hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(21). Logan County.—For the county of Logan, three thousand nine hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(22). Marion County.—For the county of Marion, four thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(23). Marshall County.—For the county of Marshall, three thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(24). Mason County.—For the county of Mason, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(25). McDowell County.—For the county of McDowell, four thousand five hundred dollars.
Sec. 2-(26). **Mercer County.**—For the county of Mercer, four thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(27). **Mineral County.**—For the county of Mineral, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 2-(28). **Mingo County.**—For the county of Mingo, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 2-(29). **Monongalia County.**—For the county of Monongalia, three thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(30). **Monroe County.**—For the county of Monroe, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(31). **Morgan County.**—For the county of Morgan, one thousand nine hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(32). **Nicholas County.**—For the county of Nicholas, two thousand four hundred fifty dollars.

Sec. 2-(33). **Ohio County.**—For the county of Ohio, four thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(34). **Pleasants County.**—For the county of Pleasants, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(35). **Pocahontas County.**—For the county of Pocahontas, one thousand eight hundred dollars.
Sec. 2-(36). *Preston County.*—For the county of Preston, two thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(37). *Putnam County.*—For the county of Putnam, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(38). *Raleigh County.*—For the county of Raleigh, four thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(39). *Randolph County.*—For the county of Randolph, three thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(40). *Ritchie County.*—For the county of Ritchie, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(41). *Roane County.*—For the county of Roane, two thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(42). *Summers County.*—For the county of Summers, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(43). *Taylor County.*—For the county of Taylor, two thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(44). *Tucker County.*—For the county of Tucker, two thousand one hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(45). *Tyler County.*—For the county of Tyler, two thousand two hundred dollars.
Sec. 2-(46). Upshur County.—For the county of Upshur, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(47). Wayne County.—For the county of Wayne, two thousand seven hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(48). Webster County.—For the county of Webster, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 2-(49). Wetzel County.—For the county of Wetzel, two thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(50). Wirt County.—For the county of Wirt, one thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(51). Wood County.—For the county of Wood, three thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 2-(52). Wyoming County.—For the county of Wyoming, three thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 3. Salaries of Circuit Clerks.—The annual compensation of the clerk of the circuit court (or clerk of the circuit and criminal or intermediate or other court of limited jurisdiction) in each county, including the compensation for new duties imposed by acts of this Legislature, shall, on and after July one, one thousand nine hundred forty-five, be in the amounts set forth in
sections three-(one) to three-(fifty-two), inclusive, of this article.

Sec. 3-(1). Barbour County.—For the county of Barbour, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 3-(2). Berkeley County.—For the county of Berkeley, two thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(3). Boone County.—For the county of Boone, two thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(4). Braxton County.—For the county of Braxton, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(5). Brooke County.—For the county of Brooke, two thousand one hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(6). Cabell County.—For the county of Cabell, five thousand dollars.

Sec. 3-(7). Calhoun County.—For the county of Calhoun, one thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(8). Clay County.—For the county of Clay, one thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(9). Doddridge County.—For the county of Doddridge, one thousand seven hundred dollars.
Sec. 3-(10). Fayette County.—For the county of Fayette, three thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(11). Gilmer County.—For the county of Gilmer, one thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(12). Greenbrier County.—For the county of Greenbrier, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 3-(13). Hampshire County.—For the county of Hampshire, one thousand four hundred forty dollars.

Sec. 3-(14). Hancock County.—For the county of Hancock, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(15). Harrison County.—For the county of Harrison, four thousand dollars.

Sec. 3-(16). Jackson County.—For the county of Jackson, one thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(17). Jefferson County.—For the county of Jefferson, two thousand one hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(18). Kanawha County.—For the county of Kanawha, five thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(19). Lewis County—For the county of Lewis, two thousand two hundred dollars.
Sec. 3-(20). *Lincoln County.*—For the county of Lincoln, two thousand three hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(21). *Logan County.*—For the county of Logan, three thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(22). *Marion County.*—For the county of Marion, four thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(23). *Marshall County.*—For the county of Marshall, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 3-(24). *Mason County.*—For the county of Mason, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(25). *McDowell County.*—For the county of McDowell, four thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(26). *Mercer County.*—For the county of Mercer, four thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(27). *Mineral County.*—For the county of Mineral, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 3-(28). *Mingo County.*—For the county of Mingo, three thousand dollars.

Sec. 3-(29). *Monongalia County.*—For the county of Monongalia, three thousand six hundred dollars.
Sec. 3-(30). Monroe County.—For the county of Monroe, one thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(31). Morgan County.—For the county of Morgan, one thousand dollars.

Sec. 3-(32). Nicholas County.—For the county of Nicholas, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 3-(33). Ohio County.—For the county of Ohio, five thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(34). Pleasants County.—For the county of Pleasants, one thousand three hundred fifty dollars.

Sec. 3-(35). Pocahontas County.—For the county of Pocahontas, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(36). Preston County.—For the county of Preston, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(37). Putnam County.—For the county of Putnam, two thousand dollars.

Sec. 3-(38). Raleigh County.—For the county of Raleigh, three thousand nine hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(39). Randolph County.—For the county of Randolph, two thousand eight hundred dollars.
Sec. 3-(40). Ritchie County.—For the county of Ritchie, 2 one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(41). Roane County.—For the county of Roane, 2 one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(42). Summers County.—For the county of Sum-
2 mers, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(43). Taylor County.—For the county of Tay-
2 lor, two thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(44). Tucker County.—For the county of Tucker,
2 one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(45). Tyler County.—For the county of Tyler,
2 two thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(46). Upshur County.—For the county of Up-
2 shur, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(47). Wayne County.—For the county of Wayne,
2 two thousand four hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(48). Webster County.—For the county of Web-
2 ster, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(49). Wetzel County.—For the county of Wetzel,
2 two thousand dollars.
Sec. 3-(50). *Wirt County.*—For the county of Wirt, nine
two hundred dollars.

Sec. 3-(51). *Wood County.*—For the county of Wood,
three thousand dollars.

Sec. 3-(52). *Wyoming County.*—For the county of Wy-
mong, three thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 4. *Salaries of Joint Clerks of County and Circuit*
*Courts.*—The annual compensation of the clerks of the
courts in the counties where both the office of the clerk
of the county court and clerk of the circuit court are
held by the same person, including the compensation for
new duties imposed by acts of this Legislature, on and
after July one, one thousand nine hundred forty-five,
shall be as follows: Hardy County, one thousand eight
hundred dollars; Grant County, two thousand one hun-
dred dollars; Pendleton County, one thousand nine hun-
dred dollars.

Sec. 5. *Salaries of Prosecuting Attorneys.*—The annual
compensation of the prosecuting attorney in each county,
including the compensation provided by law for his
services as attorney for boards of education and other
5 administrative boards and officers in the county, includ-
6 ing the compensation for new duties imposed by acts of
7 this Legislature shall, on and after July one, one thousand
8 nine hundred forty-five, be in the amounts set forth in
9 sections five-(one) to five-(fifty-five), inclusive, of this
10 article.

Sec. 5-(3). Boone County.—For the county of Boone,
2 two thousand six hundred dollars.

Sec. 5-(14). Hampshire County.—For the county of
2 Hampshire, one thousand four hundred and forty dollars.

Sec. 5-(23). Logan County.—For the county of Logan,
2 four thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 5-(27). McDowell County.—For the county of Mc-
2 Dowell, five thousand dollars.

Sec. 5-(28). Mercer County.—For the county of Mercer,
2 four thousand two hundred dollars.

Sec. 5-(40). Putnam County.—For the county of Put-
2 nam, two thousand one hundred dollars.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Charles C. Morris
Chairman Senate Committee

J. A. Decker, Jr.
Chairman House Committee

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The within Approved this the 16

day of March, 1945.

Oliver W. Love
Governor.

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Hon. S. O'Brien,
Secretary of State