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Originating in the Committee on the Judiciary

(By Mr. _____)

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section five, and section five-(one) to section five-(fifty-five), inclusive, article one, chapter seven of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended and reenacted by chapter fourteen, acts of the Legislature, regular session, one thousand nine hundred forty-one, and as further amended by chapter twenty-two, acts of the Legislature, regular session, one thousand nine hundred forty-three, relating to compensation of county commissioners for services other than services in court.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section five and section five- (one) to section five- (fifty-five), inclusive, article one, chapter seven of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended and reenacted by chapter fourteen, acts of the Legislature, regular session, one thousand nine hundred forty-one, and as further amended by chapter twenty-two, acts of the Legislature, regular session, one thousand nine hundred forty-three, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 5. *Duties of County Commissioners and Payment for Services Other Than Services in Court.*—It shall
2 be the duty of the county commissioners of each county
3 to visit each quarter and inspect institutions within their
4 county for housing and caring for the poor, to inspect the
5 jails, and to investigate the conditions of the poor within
6 their county not housed within such institutions; to visit
7 detention homes for children within their counties, if any,
8 and to visit and inspect bridges and bridge approaches
9 under their control; to provide for and have general supervision over the repair and maintenance of the county
10 court house, jails, houses for the poor, and other county

13 property, so as to prevent the undue deterioration there-
 14 of; to supervise and control the purchase of furniture,
 15 fixtures and equipment, and janitors' and other supplies,
 16 for their county; to attend the annual meeting of county
 17 assessors, and such district meetings as may be called by
 18 the state tax commissioner, on matters pertaining to the
 19 work of the county assessors and county courts as boards
 20 of review and equalization; to review and equalize the
 21 assessments made by the assessor; to inspect and review
 22 the lists of property, both real and personal, made up by
 23 the assessor and his deputies for taxable purposes, and
 24 to point out to the assessor any property, real or per-
 25 sonal, which the said assessors of their respective counties
 26 may have overlooked or omitted to place on said tax lists;
 27 to call to the attention of the assessor all real estate or
 28 personal property belonging to churches, lodges, schools
 29 or other charitable institutions which may have been
 30 overlooked or omitted by the assessor or his deputies in
 31 making up his lists of property for entry on the land and
 32 personal property books; to cooperate with the county
 33 public assistance council and supervise the general man-

34 agement of the fiscal affairs and business of each county.
35 Compensation shall be allowed and paid out of the
36 county treasury, in the same manner as salaries are paid,
37 to each county commissioner of each county, (except as
38 otherwise provided by law for the county of Ohio), for
39 services performed for such county concerning the visit-
40 ing of the poor, inspection of jails, bridges and bridge ap-
41 proaches, and for visiting detention homes for children;
42 and for providing for and supervising the repair and
43 maintenance of the county court house, jails, houses for
44 the poor, and other county property, and for supervising
45 and controlling the purchase of furniture, fixtures and
46 equipment and janitors' and other supplies of their
47 county; and for attending the annual meeting of assessors
48 and such district meetings as may be called by the state
49 tax commissioner, on matters pertaining to the work of
50 assessors and county courts as boards of review and equal-
51 ization; for reviewing and equalizing the assessments
52 made by the assessor; for inspecting and reviewing the
53 lists of property, both real and personal, made up by the
54 assessor and his deputies for taxable purposes, and for

55 pointing out to the assessor any property, real or personal,
56 which the said assessors of their respective counties may
57 have overlooked or omitted to place on said tax lists; for
58 calling to the attention of the assessor all real estate or
59 personal property belonging to churches, lodges, schools
60 or other charitable institutions which may have been over-
61 looked or omitted by the assessor or his deputies in mak-
62 ing up his lists of property for entry on the land and per-
63 sonal property books; and for duties of the county com-
64 missioners in cooperating with the county public as-
65 sistance council, and for supervising and general manage-
66 ment of the fiscal affairs and business of each county,
67 within their counties, and other business by such com-
68 missioners, in addition to compensation for services in
69 court, the sums of money hereinafter provided.

Section 5-(1). *Barbour County*.—For the county of
2 Barbour, twenty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(2). *Berkeley County*.—For the county of Berke-
2 ley, the president of the court seventy-five dollars and
3 the other members of the court fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(3). *Boone County*.—For the county of Boone,
2 seventy-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(4). *Braxton County*.—For the county of Brax-
2 ton, sixty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(5). *Brooke County*.—For the county of Brooke,
2 fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(6). *Cabell County*.—For the county of Cabell,
2 two hundred dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(7). *Calhoun County*.—For the county of Cal-
2 houn, thirty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(8). *Clay County*.—For the county of Clay,
2 thirty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(9). *Doddridge County*.—For the county of Dod-
2 dridge, thirty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(10). *Fayette County*.—For the county of Fay-
2 ette, one hundred fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(11). *Gilmer County*.—For the county of Gil-
2 mer, twenty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(12). *Grant County*.—For the county of Grant,
2 twenty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(13). *Greenbrier County*.—For the county of
2 Greenbrier, fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(14). *Hampshire County*.—For the county of
2 Hampshire, twenty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(15). *Hancock County*.—For the county of Han-
2 cock, one hundred dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(16). *Hardy County*.—For the county of Hardy,
2 twenty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(17). *Harrison County*.—For the county of Har-
2 rison, two hundred dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(18). *Jackson County*.—For the county of Jack-
2 son, twenty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(19). *Jefferson County*.—For the county of Jef-
2 ferson, fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(20). *Kanawha County*.—For the county of Ka-
2 nawha, two hundred fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(21). *Lewis County*.—For the county of Lewis,
2 one hundred dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(22). *Lincoln County*.—For the county of Lin-
2 coln, seventy-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(23). *Logan County*.—For the county of Logan,
2 one hundred seventy-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(24). *Marion County*.—For the county of Marion,
2 two hundred dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(25). *Marshall County*.—For the county of Mar-
2 shall, one hundred dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(26). *Mason County*.—For the county of Mason,
2 forty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(27). *McDowell County*.—For the county of Mc-
2 Dowell, two hundred dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(28). *Mercer County*.—For the county of Mercer,
2 the president of the court two hundred dollars and the
3 other members of the court one hundred seventy-five dol-
4 lars per month.

Sec. 5-(29). *Mineral County*.—For the county of Min-
2 eral, fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(30). *Mingo County*.—For the county of Mingo,
2 one hundred fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(31). *Morgan County*.—For the county of Mor-
2 gan, thirty-five dollars per month.

2 Sec. 5-(32). *Monroe County*.—For the county of Mon-
ro e, twenty-five dollars per month.

2 Sec. 5-(33). *Monongalia County*.—For the county of
Monongalia, two hundred dollars per month.

2 Sec. 5-(34). *Nicholas County*.—For the county of Nich-
olas, twenty-five dollars per month.

2 Sec. 5-(35). *Pendleton County*.—For the county of
Pendleton, twenty-five dollars per month.

2 Sec. 5-(36). *Pleasants County*.—For the county of
Pleasants, twenty-five dollars per month.

2 Sec. 5-(37). *Pocahontas County*.—For the county of
Pocahontas, twenty-five dollars per month.

2 Sec. 5-(38). *Preston County*.—For the county of Pres-
ton, the president of the county court fifty-five dollars, and
3 other members of the court forty dollars per month.

2 Sec. 5-(39). *Putnam County*.—For the county of Put-
nam, forty-five dollars per month.

2 Sec. 5-(40). *Raleigh County*.—For the county of
Raleigh, the president of the county court one hundred
3 seventy-five dollars per month and other members of the
4 court one hundred sixty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(41). *Randolph County*.—For the county of Randolph, fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(42). *Ritchie County*.—For the county of Ritchie, fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(43). *Roane County*.—For the county of Roane, forty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(44). *Summers County*.—For the county of Summers, forty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(45). *Taylor County*.—For the county of Taylor, forty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(46). *Tucker County*.—For the county of Tucker, twenty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(47). *Tyler County*.—For the county of Tyler, fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(48). *Upshur County*.—For the county of Upshur, twenty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(49). *Wayne County*.—For the county of Wayne, one hundred twenty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(50). *Webster County*.—For the county of Webster, fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(51). *Wetzel County*.—For the county of Wetzel,
2 sixty-five dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(52). *Wirt County*.—For the county of Wirt,
2 thirty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(53). *Wood County*.—For the county of Wood,
2 one hundred fifty dollars per month.

Sec. 5-(54). *Wyoming County*.—For the county of
2 Wyoming, one hundred dollars per month.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that
the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Charles C Morris
Chairman Senate Committee

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Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate

Takes effect From passage

Howard Heger
Clerk of the Senate

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Clerk of the House of Delegates

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John E. Amos
Speaker House of Delegates

The within Approved this the 16
day of March, 1945.

Clarence Medsker
Governor.

Filed in the office of the Secretary of State
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Wm. S. O'BRIEN,
Secretary of State