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SENATE BILL NO. 138

(By Mr. Smith)

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[Passed March 4, 1955; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section ten-g, article four-
chapter eight of the code of West Virginia, one thousand
nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the
salaries of officers of Class I cities.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section ten-g, article four, chapter eight of the code of
West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as
amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 10-g. *Salaries of Officers of Class I Cities.*—Not-
2 withstanding any provision of its existing charter to the
3 contrary, the governing board of any Class I city, as
4 defined in section four, article one, chapter eight-a of

5 this code, shall have the authority to fix the salary of cer-
6 tain of its officers within the following limitations:

7 (1) The salary of the mayor shall not exceed ten thou-
8 sand dollars.

9 (2) The salary of the city manager shall not exceed
10 eight thousand dollars.

11 (3) The salary of the city attorney and the city engi-
12 neer shall not exceed eight thousand dollars.

13 The authority granted by this section shall in no case
14 be construed to deprive any Class I city of any authority
15 under its existing charter to fix the salary of the of-
16 ficers named above in excess of the limits imposed by
17 this section.

18 This section shall not be construed to prohibit a class I
19 city from paying salaries to its mayor, city manager,
20 city attorney and city engineer in excess of the maxi-
21 mum salaries hereinabove provided, if such city adopts a
22 charter under the provision of the home rule act.

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

W. J. Flaherty
Chairman Senate Committee

W. J. Brotherton Jr.
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

Takes effect 90 days from passage.

Howard Myers
Clerk of the Senate

C. Blankenship
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Ralph Brown
President of the Senate

W. J. Flaherty
Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 8
day of March, 1955.

William C. Mailand
Governor.



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