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HOUSE BILL No...*448*....

(By Mr. *White* ^{and} *Mr. Cann*.....)

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AN ACT to amend chapter twenty-seven, acts of the Legislature, regular session, one thousand nine hundred nine, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, to be numbered and designated section twenty-five-a, relating to a court worker for the criminal court of Harrison county, and providing for the appointment, tenure, salary and expenses of such court worker.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That chapter twenty-seven, acts of the Legislature, regular session, one thousand nine hundred nine, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new section, numbered and designated section twenty-five-a, to read as follows:

The Criminal Court of Harrison County.

Section 25-a. *Court Worker; Appointment, Duties, Ten-*

2 *ure, Salary and Expenses.*—On and after July first, one

3 thousand nine hundred sixty-one, the criminal court of
4 Harrison county or the judge thereof in vacation, with the
5 approval of the county court of Harrison county, is au-
6 thorized and empowered to employ a full-time court work-
7 er to assist and enable the court to discharge all the offi-
8 cial duties required of it under the provisions of this act,
9 and the general laws of the state. The court worker shall
10 perform whatever duties may be assigned to or required
11 of such court worker by the court or the judge in vaca-
12 tion.

13 The said criminal court shall have the sole power and
14 authority to select, appoint, fix the standards for em-
15 ployment, prescribe qualifications for and supervise the
16 court worker herein provided for, any other provisions
17 of law of this state to the contrary notwithstanding. Said
18 court worker shall serve during the will and pleasure of
19 the appointing court or judge.

20 The court worker shall receive as compensation for his
21 or her services an annual salary of not more than six
22 thousand eight hundred dollars, to be determined by the
23 judge and approved by the county court. Said salary

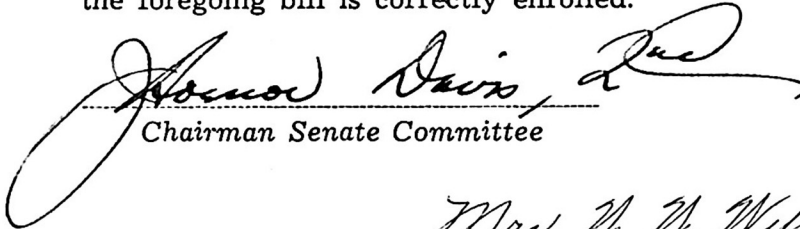
24 shall be paid in twelve equal monthly installments.

25 In addition to the annual salary provided for herein,
26 the court worker shall be reimbursed by the county court
27 by reason of his or her actual and necessary expenses, in-
28 cluding mileage allowances, incurred in line of official
29 duty in the field, the extent of such expenses to be fixed
30 by the judge and approved by the county court. The
31 county court shall provide office space, equipment and
32 supplies for the court worker as the judge may deem nec-
33 essary and adequate.

34 The appointment of the court worker when made by the
35 court or judge shall be entered by the court in the order
36 book of the appointing court, a copy of which order of
37 appointment shall be transmitted to the clerk of the coun-
38 ty court. Thereupon the county court shall make provi-
39 sion for payment and pay the salary and expenses of the
40 court worker as shown by the order of appointment.

41 Expenses and mileage accounts of the court worker shall
42 be itemized and verified and presented to and paid by the
43 county court when approved by the judge.

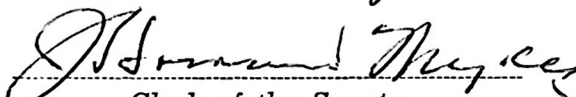
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.


Chairman Senate Committee



Chairman House Committee


Originated in the House.

Takes effect from passage.


Clerk of the Senate


Clerk of the House of Delegates


President of the Senate


Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 17th
day of March, 1961.


Governor

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