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REGULAR SESSION, 1965

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HOUSE BILL No. 590

(By Mr. Holroyd)

PASSED February 19, 1965

In Effect from Passage

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JOE F. BURDETT
SECRETARY OF STATE
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AN ACT to amend and reenact sections two and four, chapter thirty-eight, acts of the Legislature, regular session, one thousand nine hundred sixty-four, relating to the jurisdiction of the intermediate court of Mercer county and the salary of the judge thereof.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That sections two and four, chapter thirty-eight, acts of the Legislature, regular session, one thousand nine hundred sixty-four, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 2. Jurisdiction Concurrent with Circuit

2 Court.—The said court, which is the same court originally
3 nally established by chapter eighteen, acts of the Legis-

4 lature, regular session, one thousand eight hundred
5 ninety-three, but with its name and jurisdiction changed
6 as in this act provided, shall continue to have jurisdiction
7 within the county of Mercer, concurrent with the cir-
8 cuit court of said county, of all felonies, misdemeanors
9 and offenses committed or which may be committed
10 within the said county of Mercer, and shall also have,
11 concurrent with the circuit court of said county, juris-
12 diction, supervision and control by appeal, mandamus,
13 prohibition and certiorari of all proceedings before
14 justices of the peace of said county or the police court,
15 mayor or other constituted tribunal, board or commission
16 of any city, town or village in said county. The said
17 court shall likewise have jurisdiction within said county
18 of Mercer, concurrent with the circuit court of said
19 county, of all suits and proceedings in equity, in all ac-
20 tions of ejectment, and in all civil actions or proceedings
21 at law, except where it shall appear from the pleadings
22 that the matter or thing in controversy in any such suit,
23 proceeding or action, exclusive of interest and costs,
24 exceeds in value the sum of ten thousand dollars, and

25 all summary proceedings at law and any other manner
26 of action or proceeding at law authorized by the general
27 laws of West Virginia, as well as of appeals from judg-
28 ments of the justices of said county when such appeals
29 shall lie to the said court in the same manner and under
30 the same regulations as provided in the general laws
31 for appeals from justices. The said court shall likewise
32 have jurisdiction within said county of Mercer, con-
33 current with the circuit court of said county, of suits for
34 divorce, annulment of marriage and separate mainte-
35 nance, of bastardy proceedings and actions for mainte-
36 nance of illegitimate children as provided by the general
37 laws of West Virginia, and the said court shall continue
38 to have jurisdiction within said county of proceedings
39 for adoption and all juvenile and other matters of which
40 the aforesaid criminal court of Mercer county was given
41 jurisdiction by the general laws of West Virginia or of
42 which the court hereby established may be given juris-
43 diction by such general laws.

Sec. 4. Salary of Judge; Payment Thereof.—The judge

2 of said intermediate court shall receive for his services

3 the sum of thirteen thousand five hundred dollars per
4 annum to be paid out of the county treasury of said
5 county of Mercer.

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

A. Roy Parker
Chairman Senate Committee

James W. Loop
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House.

Takes effect from passage.

Howard Myers
Clerk of the Senate

A. Blankenship
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Howard Hanson
President of the Senate

H. Laban White
Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 27
day of February, 1965.

Shirley C. Smith
Governor



Presented to Gouverneur Office
Feb. 24, 1965
1:10 p.m.