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(By Senator WOOTEN, ET AL)



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(SENATORS WOOTON, BALL, DITTMAR, KESSLER, MITCHELL,
OLIVERIO, ROSS, SNYDER AND MCKENZIE, *original sponsors*)

[Passed March 10, 1999; to take effect July 1, 1999.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section eight, article two, chapter fourteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to increasing the per diem compensation and expenses of judges of the court of claims.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 2. CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE.

§14-2-8. Compensation of judges; expenses.

- 1 Each judge of the court shall receive one hundred sixty
- 2 dollars for each day actually served and expenses incurred
- 3 in the performance of his or her duties paid at the same per

4 diem rate as members of the Legislature. In addition to the
5 expense per diem, each judge may, when using his or her
6 own vehicle, be reimbursed for mileage at the mileage rate
7 equal to the amount paid by the travel management office
8 of the department of administration. The number of days
9 served by each judge shall not exceed one hundred in any
10 fiscal year, except by authority of the joint committee on
11 government and finance: *Provided*, That in computing the
12 number of days served, days utilized solely for the exercise
13 of duties assigned to judges and commissioners by the
14 provisions of article two-a of this chapter shall be disre-
15 garded. For the purpose of this section, time served shall
16 include time spent in the hearing of claims, in the consider-
17 ation of the record, in the preparation of opinions and in
18 necessary travel.

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

Randy Howard
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Chairman Senate Committee

Joe F. Quinn
.....
Chairman House Committee

Originating in the Senate.

In effect July 1, 1999.

Russell Elkhorn
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Clerk of the Senate

Bryce D. Boy
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Clerk of the House of Delegates

Carl Ray Tomblin
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President of the Senate

Frank
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Speaker House of Delegates

The within *approved* this the *29th*
March
Day of 1999

Lee D. Anderson
.....
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date 3/10/99

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