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CHAPTER 1.

AN ACT to amend 20.01 (2) (b), (2m) (b), (5) (a), (b), (c) and (d), (6) (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f), (7) (a) and (b), (8) (a) and (b) and (9) of the statutes, relating to compensation and cost of living bonus for legislative employes, and making an appropriation.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. 20.01 (2) (b), (2m) (b), (5) (a), (b), (c) and (d), (6) (a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f), (7) (a) and (b), (8) (a) and (b) and (9) of the statutes are amended to read:

20.01 (2) (b) In addition to the appropriation made in paragraph (a), the sum of * * * \$7 per day for each day the assembly is in session and the sum of * * * \$7 per day for each day during the 2 weeks' period after sine die adjournment of the legislature for the services of a secretary appointed under section 16.09 (2) (a).

(2m) (b) In addition to the appropriation made in paragraph (a) for salary, the sum of * * * \$7 per day for each day the senate is in session and the sum of * * * \$7 per day for each day during the 2 weeks' period after sine die adjournment of the legislature, for the services of a secretary, who may be either male or female, appointed under section 16.09 (2) (a) and for each regular session of the legislature not exceeding \$200 for office supplies and expenses.

(5) (a) Ten legislative clerks, who shall assist the chief clerk in maintaining the official records of proceedings, index, revise and enroll bills, maintain mailing lists, and perform such other work as may be required, * * * \$7 per day. Two of said clerks shall be assigned to the revising and enrolling of bills and shall have some knowledge of and experience in proof reading as evidenced by such test as the bureau of personnel may require.

(b) Twelve legislative stenographers, who shall be expert in stenography and type-writing, to perform general stenographic and clerical duties for members and committees as assigned by the chief clerk, * * * \$7 per day.

(c) Three legislative typists, who shall be expert in the use of the typewriter, to engross bills and perform such other typing and clerical work as may be required by the chief clerk, * * * \$6 per day.

(d) The chief clerk may designate one of the employes on his staff as assistant chief clerk who, while serving in such capacity, may receive an additional * * * \$1 per day.

(6) (a) Twelve legislative clerks, who shall assist the chief clerk in maintaining the official records of proceedings of the assembly, index, revise and enroll bills, * * * maintain mailing lists, and perform such other work as may be required, * * * \$7 per day. Two of said clerks shall be assigned to the revising and enrolling of bills and shall have some knowledge of and experience in proof reading as evidenced by such tests as the bureau of personnel may require.

(b) Fifteen legislative stenographers, who shall be expert in stenography and type-writing, to perform general stenographic and clerical duties for members and committees as assigned by the chief clerk, * * * \$7 per day.

(c) Four legislative typists, who shall be expert in the use of the typewriter, to engross bills and perform such other typing and clerical work as may be required by the chief clerk, * * * \$6 per day.

(d) One voting machine operator, who shall be expert in the operation of a photostat, electric relays and related electric equipment, * * * \$8 per day.

(e) One messenger to assist the voting machine operator, who shall have some knowledge of and experience in the operation of a photostat, electrical relays and related electrical equipment, * * * \$5 per day.

(f) The chief clerk may designate one of the employes on his staff as assistant chief clerk who, while serving in such capacity, may receive an additional * * * \$1 per day.

(7) (a) * * * Twelve legislative messengers, who shall assist the sergeant at arms in caring for and guarding the premises and property in and about the chambers

and rooms used by and for the legislature, direct visitors and perform such other work as may be required, * * * \$5 per day; * * * *in addition thereto, one policeman, one night watchman, one gallery attendant, and 2 night laborers, \$5 per day.*

(b) Four legislative clerks, who shall have charge and custody of the printed matter incident to the activities of the legislature, or the post office maintained in the capitol for the convenience of the members, and perform such other duties as may be required by the sergeant at arms or the rules of the senate, * * * \$7 per day.

(8) (a) * * * *Seventeen* legislative messengers, who shall assist the sergeant at arms in caring for and guarding the premises and property in and about the chambers and rooms used by and for the legislature, direct visitors and perform such other work as may be required, * * * \$5 per day; * * * *in addition thereto, one policeman, one night watchman, 2 gallery attendants, one cloakroom attendant, 2 night laborers and one post office messenger, \$5 per day.*

(b) Four legislative clerks who shall have charge and custody of the printed matter incident to the activities of the legislature, or the post office maintained in the capitol for the convenience of the members, and such other duties as may be required by the sergeant at arms or the rules of the assembly, * * * \$7 per day.

(9) CLERKS DURING INTERIM AND AFTER ADJOURNMENT. To clerks detailed for service *during the interim and* after the close of the session, as provided in section 13.14 (6), not exceeding * * * *the compensation specified in subsections (5) and (6), and not exceeding an aggregate of * * * \$500 for the assembly and * * * \$400 for the senate.*

SECTION 2. There is appropriated from the general fund to the legislature for the 1949 regular session, or any special session intervening between the 1949 and 1951 regular sessions, a sum sufficient to provide a cost of living bonus to each legislative employe, as follows: \$1 per calendar day to each employe paid from the appropriations made under section 20.01 (2) (b), (2m) (b), (5) (a), (b), (c), (6) (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (7) (a), (b), (8) (a), (b) and (9) of the statutes. Such bonus shall be paid monthly and shall be computed from the effective date of this section. The proper certification officer shall monthly certify to the department of budget and accounts the amount due each such employe under this section and the director of budget and accounts shall draw his warrant for the amount so certified for each such employe.

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