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CHAPTER 539

AN ACT to amend 252.071 of the statutes, relating to payment of additional compensation by counties to circuit court judges.

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

252.071 of the statutes is amended to read:

252.071 (1) In every judicial circuit each county * * * may elect to pay to each circuit judge of such circuit, * * * in addition to compensation provided in ss. 20.930 and 252.016, a salary of \$3,000 * * * in single-county circuits and in multiple-county circuits a salary equal to the proportionate part of such sum as the population of the county bears to that of the circuit. Except in counties to which s. 252.016 applies, such salary authorized by counties previously or in the future shall, effective January 1, 1964, be subject to ss. 66.90 to 66.918 with fund contributions to be paid by the county without reference to whom services are rendered.

(2) The provisions of this section immediately before the effective date of this amendment (1964) shall apply to any election by determination made thereunder by a county and the proportion established therein among counties shall obtain and such actions are hereby confirmed. However, any county may re-elect to increase its payment to equal the proportionate part permitted by this amendment (1963) and all counties of a circuit may elect or re-elect by action jointly effective to pay the salary on such proportionate basis.

Approved May 22, 1964.