

administrative personnel with documentation of their rights under this section.

NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. This 1972 act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety, the support of the state government and its existing public institutions, and shall take effect immediately: PROVIDED, That qualified applicants under sections 1 and 2 of this 1972 act shall be admitted to such institutions tuition-free commencing not later than the next succeeding quarter, semester or like educational period beginning after the effective date of this 1972 act.

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CHAPTER 18
[Senate Bill No. 38]
COURT REPORTERS--COMPENSATION

AN ACT Relating to court reporter's salaries; amending section 1, chapter 210, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 1, chapter 95, Laws of 1969 and RCW 2.32.210.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

Section 1. Section 1, chapter 210, Laws of 1951 as last amended by section 1, chapter 95, Laws of 1969 and RCW 2.32.210 are each amended to read as follows:

Each official reporter shall be paid compensation as follows:

(1) In judicial districts comprised of class AA counties, such salary as shall be fixed by the judges of said counties and approved by the board of county commissioners of said class AA counties;

(2) In ~~((all judicial districts having a total population of one hundred thousand or over, excluding class AA counties, eleven thousand dollars per annum; in the judicial district containing the state capitol, eleven thousand dollars per annum regardless of population))~~ judicial districts having a total population of forty thousand or more, excluding class AA counties, fourteen thousand dollars per annum;

(3) In judicial districts having a total population of ~~((forty thousand or more and less than one hundred thousand, ten thousand five))~~ twenty-five thousand and under forty thousand, eight thousand four hundred dollars per annum;

~~((4))~~ In judicial districts having a total population of

twenty-five thousand and under forty thousand; six thousand six hundred dollars per annum;))

Said compensation shall be paid out of the current expense fund of the county where court is held.

In judicial districts comprising more than one county the judge or judges thereof shall, on the first day of January of each year, or as soon thereafter as may be convenient, apportion the amount of the salary to be paid to the reporter by each county according and in proportion to the number of criminal and civil actions entered and commenced in superior court of the constituent counties in the preceding year. In addition to the salary above provided, in judicial districts comprising more than one county, the reporter shall receive his actual and necessary expenses of transportation and living expenses when he goes on official business to a county of his judicial district other than the county in which he resides, from the time he leaves his place of residence until he returns thereto, said expense to be paid by the county to which he travels. If one trip includes two or more counties, the expense may be apportioned between the counties visited in proportion to the amount of time spent in each county on the trip. If an official reporter uses his own automobile for the purpose of such transportation, he shall be paid therefor at the same rate per mile as county officials are paid for use of their private automobiles. The sworn statement of the official reporter, when certified to as correct by the judge presiding, shall be a sufficient voucher upon which the county auditor shall draw his warrant upon the treasurer of the county in favor of the official reporter.

The salaries of official court reporters shall be paid upon sworn statements, when certified as correct by the judge presiding, as state and county officers are paid.

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CHAPTER 19

[Engrossed Senate Bill No. 62]

PUBLIC EMPLOYEES--

PENSION PLANS--DEFERRED ANNUITIES

AN ACT Relating to public employees' benefits; and amending section 1, chapter 264, Laws of 1971 ex. sess. and RCW 41.04.250.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON: