

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 51st Legislature (2008)

3 SENATE BILL 1485

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6 AS INTRODUCED

7 An Act relating to elections; amending 26 O.S. 2001,
8 Section 2-118, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter
9 83, 2nd Extraordinary Session, O.S.L. 2006 (26 O.S.
10 Supp. 2007, Section 2-118), which relates to
11 compensation of county election board secretaries;
12 providing that certain compensation be considered
13 minimum; providing that certain provisions not
14 preclude additional compensation from certain
15 sources; providing an effective date; and declaring
16 an emergency.

17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

18 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 26 O.S. 2001, Section 2-118, as
19 last amended by Section 1, Chapter 83, 2nd Extraordinary Session,
20 O.S.L. 2006 (26 O.S. Supp. 2007, Section 2-118), is amended to read
21 as follows:

22 Section 2-118. A. The secretary of each county election board
23 shall be paid ~~an~~ a minimum annual salary to be determined by the
24 following schedule. However, the salary of a county election board
secretary shall not fall below the level of the April 30, 2003,
salary, and the salary of any person who is reappointed to the
position of county election board secretary shall not fall below the

1 salary received in the immediately preceding term, regardless of the
 2 number of active registered voters in the county. A county election
 3 board secretary serving on April 30, 2004, shall not receive a
 4 salary increase if said secretary is paid an amount greater than the
 5 salary indicated in this section according to the number of
 6 registered voters in said county, except as provided in subsection C
 7 of this section. A county election board secretary shall not
 8 receive a salary increase while the county is under the
 9 administrative supervision of the State Election Board.

10 ~~1. Beginning May 1, 2003 and ending April 30, 2007, the annual~~
 11 ~~salary, payable monthly shall be:~~

Registered Voters	Salary
0 to 10,000	\$21,588.28
10,001 to 15,000	\$22,388.28
15,001 to 17,500	\$26,252.45
17,501 to 25,000	\$29,429.93
25,001 to 50,000	\$35,846.94
50,001 to 75,000	\$45,174.66
75,001 to 150,000	\$50,611.26
150,001 or more	\$56,043.00

21 ~~2. Beginning May 1, 2007, the~~ The minimum annual salary,
 22 payable monthly shall be:

Registered Voters	Salary
0 to 10,000	\$22,667.69

1	10,001 to 15,000	\$23,507.68
2	15,001 to 17,500	\$27,565.07
3	17,501 to 25,000	\$30,901.43
4	25,001 to 50,000	\$37,639.29
5	50,001 to 75,000	\$47,433.39
6	75,001 to 150,000	\$53,141.82
7	150,001 or more	\$58,845.15

8 B. The salary and fringe benefits paid to each secretary shall
9 be paid from county funds on a monthly basis and shall be reimbursed
10 from funds appropriated by the Legislature for that purpose at a
11 rate of not to exceed one hundred thirty-five percent (135%) of the
12 above-specified salaries. Claims for said reimbursement shall be
13 filed according to procedures prescribed by the Secretary of the
14 State Election Board and approved by the Director of State Finance.
15 Said claims for reimbursement shall only be paid for actual
16 expenditures made by the county. The number of registered voters,
17 for the purposes of this section, shall be determined by the number
18 of registered voters, excluding inactive voters, in the county on
19 January 1, 1979, and every two (2) years thereafter.

20 C. The provisions of this section shall not preclude a county
21 from providing compensation from county funds for the secretary of
22 the county election board in addition to that provided by this
23 section; provided, any such additional compensation shall not be
24 reimbursed from funds appropriated by the Legislature.

1 SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2008.

2 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
3 of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby
4 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
5 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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