

CHAPTER 700

H.B. No. 870

An Act relating to the supplemental compensation of certain judges in McLennan County.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Section 1, Chapter 363, Acts of the 59th Legislature, Regular Session, 1965 (Article 6819a-40, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes), is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 1. (a) The Commissioners Court of McLennan County shall supplement the salary of the District Court Judges whose jurisdiction lies in McLennan County, the Judge of the County Court at Law of McLennan County, and the salary of the County Judge of McLennan County in an amount not less than \$1,500 [~~not more than \$5,000 a year~~] for services rendered to the Juvenile Board of McLennan County.

(b) The Commissioners Court may also supplement the District Judges' salary in an amount set by the Commissioners Court [~~by not more than \$5,000 a year~~] for administrative services rendered to the County. *The combined annual salary received by each District Judge from State*

and County sources may not exceed an amount equal to \$1,000 less than the combined annual salary from State and County sources received by each Associate Justice of the Tenth Supreme Judicial District.

SECTION 2. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended, and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Passed by the House on March 28, 1985, by a non-record vote; passed by the Senate on May 26, 1985, by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

Approved: June 14, 1985

Effective: August 26, 1985