HB398

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RFD: Local Legislation

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A BILL

TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

Relating to DeKalb County; to amend Section 45-25-60, Code of Alabama 1975, to further provide for an expense allowance for the coroner; and to amend Section 45-25-230.01, Code of Alabama 1975, to further provide for the salary and expense allowance of the sheriff.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. Sections 45-25-60 and 45-25-230.01, Code of Alabama 1975, are amended to read as follows:

"§45-25-60

~~(a)~~ The Coroner of DeKalb County shall receive an expense allowance in the amount of ~~six hundred~~ two thousand dollars ~~($600)~~ ($2,000) per month. The expense allowance provided in this section shall be in lieu of any other salary, allowance, expense allowance, or other compensation provided for by general or local law and shall commence on June 1, ~~1997~~2024.

~~(b) The Coroner of DeKalb County shall be entitled to receive an additional expense allowance in the amount of four hundred dollars ($400) per month to be paid out of the county general fund. This expense allowance shall be in addition to~~

~~any and all other compensation, salary, and expense allowances provided for by law.~~"

"§45-25-230.01

(a)(1) Commencing June 1, 1993, the Sheriff of DeKalb County shall be entitled to an additional expense allowance in the amount of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) per annum, which shall be in addition to all other expense allowances, compensation, or salary provided by law. This expense allowance shall be payable in equal monthly installments from the general fund of the county.

(2) Beginning with the expiration of the term of the incumbent sheriff, the annual salary for the sheriff shall be increased by fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) per annum, payable in equal monthly installments from the general fund of the county and at that time subdivision (1) shall become null and void.

(b)(1) Commencing September 1, 2003, the Sheriff of DeKalb County shall receive an additional expense allowance in the amount of five thousand dollars ($5,000) the first year, ten thousand dollars ($10,000) the second year, and fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) the third year and thereafter per annum, which shall be in addition to all other expense allowances, compensation, or salary provided by law. This expense allowance shall be payable in equal monthly installments from the general fund of the county.

(2) Beginning with the expiration of the term of the incumbent sheriff, the annual salary for the sheriff shall be increased by fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) per annum,

payable in equal monthly installments from the general fund of the county, and at that time, subdivision (1) shall become null and void.

(c)(1) Commencing June 1, 2024, the Sheriff of DeKalb County shall receive an additional expense allowance in the amount of twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) per year, which shall be in addition to all other expense allowances, compensation, or salary provided by law. This expense allowance shall be payable in equal monthly installments from the general fund of the county.

(2) Beginning with the expiration of the term of the incumbent sheriff, the annual salary for the sheriff shall be increased by twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) per year, payable in equal monthly installments from the general fund of the county, and at that time, subdivision (1) shall become null and void."

Section 2. This act shall become effective on June 1, 2024.