Second Regular Session - 2024

IN THE SENATE

SENATE BILL NO. 1378

BY JUDICIARY AND RULES COMMITTEE

1	AN ACT
2	RELATING TO SALARIES OF JUDGES; AMENDING SECTION 59-502, IDAHO CODE, TO
3	REVISE A PROVISION REGARDING THE SALARY OF THE JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME
4	COURT AND TO MAKE A TECHNICAL CORRECTION; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND
5	PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

- Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:
- SECTION 1. That Section 59-502, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 59-502. SALARIES OF JUDGES. (1) Commencing on July 1, $\frac{2023}{2024}$, the salary of the justices of the supreme court shall be one hundred sixty-five thousand two hundred twelve dollars ($\frac{165,212}{2000}$) one hundred sixty-nine thousand five hundred eight dollars ($\frac{169,508}{2000}$) per annum.
- (2) Commencing on July 1, 2023, judges of the court of appeals shall receive an annual salary in an amount of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) less than the annual salary of a supreme court justice.
- (3) Commencing on July 1, 2017, district judges shall receive an annual salary in an amount of six thousand dollars (\$6,000) less than the annual salary of a judge of the court of appeals.
- (4) Commencing on July 1, 2023, magistrate judges shall receive an annual salary in an amount of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) less than the annual salary of a district judge.
- (5) Salaries shall be paid on regular pay periods not less frequently than monthly as determined by order of the supreme court as due out of the state treasury, but no justice of the supreme court or judge of the district court or magistrate shall be paid his salary, or any part thereof, unless he shall first take and subscribe an oath that there is not in his hands any matter in controversy not decided by him, which that has been finally submitted for his consideration and determination thirty (30) days prior to his taking and subscribing said oath.
- SECTION 2. An emergency existing therefor, which emergency is hereby declared to exist, this act shall be in full force and effect on and after July $1,\ 2024$.