

As Amended by Senate Committee

Session of 2023

SENATE BILL No. 152

By Committee on Ways and Means

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1 AN ACT concerning ~~certain state officers; relating to the salaries of the~~
2 ~~governor, lieutenant governor, attorney general, secretary of state, state~~
3 ~~treasurer, commissioner of insurance, justices of the supreme court,~~
4 ~~judges of the court of appeals and members of the governor's cabinet;~~
5 ~~establishing the rate of pay for such state officers based on the annual~~
6 ~~rate of pay for members of congress, as adjusted by the provisions of~~
7 ~~this act; providing that all such rates of pay are subject to~~
8 ~~appropriations; amending K.S.A. 40-102, 75-3103 and 75-3120l and~~
9 ~~repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 75-3101, 75-~~
10 ~~3104, 75-3108, 75-3110, 75-3111a, 75-3120f and 75-3120h~~ *the*
11 *compensation, salary and retirement benefits of certain state*
12 *officials; creating the legislative compensation commission;*
13 *prescribing powers and duties of the commission; authorizing the*
14 *commission to set rates of compensation and salary for members of*
15 *the legislature and an additional rate of compensation for certain*
16 *state officials; establishing procedures for review and possible*
17 *rejection of such rates of compensation and salary by the legislature;*
18 *eliminating the previously established compensation commission;*
19 *relating to the salaries of the governor, lieutenant governor, attorney*
20 *general, secretary of state, state treasurer, commissioner of insurance*
21 *and members of the governor's cabinet; establishing the rate of pay*
22 *for such state officials based on the annual rate of pay for members*
23 *of congress, as adjusted by the provisions of this act; relating to the*
24 *salaries of the justices of the supreme court, judges of the court of*
25 *appeals, district court judges and district magistrate judges;*
26 *establishing the rate of pay for such justices and judges based on the*
27 *annual rate of pay for a district judge of the United States, as*
28 *adjusted by the provisions of this act; amending K.S.A. 20-2616, 22a-*
29 *105, 40-102, 75-3103 and 75-3120k and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 20-318*
30 *and repealing the existing sections; also repealing K.S.A. 46-3101,*
31 *75-3101, 75-3104, 75-3108, 75-3110, 75-3111a, 75-3120f, 75-3120g,*
32 *75-3120h and 75-3120l.*

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34 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

35 *New Section 1. (a) Subject to appropriations, on July 1, 2023, and*
36 *each July 1 thereafter, the governor and the attorney general shall receive*

1 for services an annual salary equal to the amount of annual rate of pay for
2 a member of congress of the United States, not in a leadership role, on
3 such date plus 10% of such congressional annual rate of pay.

4 (b) ~~Subject to appropriations and except as provided further, on July~~
5 ~~1, 2023, and each July 1 thereafter: (1) The secretary of state, state~~
6 ~~treasurer, commissioner of insurance, justices of the supreme court and~~
7 ~~judges of the court of appeals shall receive for services an annual salary~~
8 ~~equal to the amount of annual rate of pay for a member of congress of the~~
9 ~~United States, not in a leadership role, on such date; and~~

10 (2) ~~the chief justice of the supreme court and chief judge of the court~~
11 ~~of appeals shall receive for services an annual salary equal to the amount~~
12 ~~of annual rate of pay for a member of congress of the United States, not in~~
13 ~~a leadership role, on such date plus 2.5% of such congressional annual rate~~
14 ~~of pay.~~

15 (c) ~~If for any reason such congressional salary is decreased, the~~
16 ~~salaries established in this section shall remain the same for the next~~
17 ~~ensuing fiscal year unless diminished by general law applicable to all~~
18 ~~salaried officers of the state.~~

19 New Sec. 2. (a) ~~Subject to appropriations, on July 1, 2023, and each~~
20 ~~July 1 thereafter, the minimum amount of annual salary the members of~~
21 ~~the governor's cabinet shall receive for services shall be equal to the~~
22 ~~amount of annual rate of pay for a member of congress of the United~~
23 ~~States, not in a leadership role, on such date minus 10% of such~~
24 ~~congressional annual rate of pay.~~

25 (b) ~~For the purposes of this section, the members of the governor's~~
26 ~~cabinet shall be determined by the governor.~~

27 Sec. 3. ~~K.S.A. 40-102 is hereby amended to read as follows: 40-102.~~
28 ~~There is hereby established a department to be known as the insurance~~
29 ~~department, which shall have a chief officer entitled the commissioner of~~
30 ~~insurance who shall receive, except as otherwise provided in K.S.A. 75-~~
31 ~~3111a, and amendments thereto, a salary at a biweekly pay rate of~~
32 ~~\$3,307.81, and such officer. *The commissioner of insurance* shall be~~
33 ~~charged with the administration of all laws relating to insurance, insurance~~
34 ~~companies and fraternal benefit societies doing business in this state, and~~
35 ~~all other duties which are or may be imposed upon such officer by law.~~

36 Sec. 4. ~~K.S.A. 75-3103 is hereby amended to read as follows: 75-~~
37 ~~3103. (a) The lieutenant governor shall receive, as reimbursement for~~
38 ~~expenses the following: (1) Biweekly the sum of \$76.91, except as~~
39 ~~otherwise provided in subsection (e), and (2) when attending the duties of~~
40 ~~office or attending any authorized meeting, in addition to other provisions~~
41 ~~of this section, travel expenses and subsistence expenses and allowances in~~
42 ~~amounts equal to those provided for by K.S.A. 75-3212, and amendments~~
43 ~~thereto.~~

1 ~~(b)~~—In addition to any other compensation provided by law and except
2 as otherwise provided in K.S.A. 75-3111a, and amendments thereto, the
3 lieutenant governor shall also receive for services in the performance of
4 duties imposed by law compensation at the biweekly pay rate of \$1,204.35
5 ~~receive for services an annual salary equal to $\frac{1}{2}$ of the amount of annual~~
6 ~~rate of pay for a member of congress of the United States, not in a~~
7 ~~leadership role, on such date. While acting as governor, the lieutenant~~
8 ~~governor shall receive the same salary as the governor. The lieutenant~~
9 ~~governor may appoint an administrative assistant and other office and~~
10 ~~stenographic employees, all of whom shall be in the unclassified service of~~
11 ~~the Kansas civil service act. Such administrative assistant shall receive~~
12 ~~travel expenses and subsistence expenses or allowances as provided by~~
13 ~~K.S.A. 75-3212, and amendments thereto, when traveling as authorized by~~
14 ~~the lieutenant governor.~~

15 ~~(b)(c)~~—If the lieutenant governor is appointed by the governor under
16 the provision of K.S.A. 75-303, and amendments thereto, the lieutenant
17 governor shall receive a salary to be fixed by the governor or a salary as
18 provided for in subsection (a) of this section, whichever is greater.

19 ~~(c)~~—Whenever the rates of compensation of the pay plan for persons in
20 the classified service under the Kansas civil service act are increased for
21 payroll periods chargeable to fiscal years commencing after June 30, 2009,
22 the sum provided biweekly for reimbursement of expenses pursuant to
23 subsection (a)(1) for the lieutenant governor shall be increased on the
24 effective date of any such pay plan increase by an amount computed by
25 multiplying the average of the percentage increases in all steps of such pay
26 plan by the biweekly sum provided to the lieutenant governor for
27 reimbursement of expenses as authorized by this section.

28 ~~Sec. 5.—K.S.A. 75-31201 is hereby amended to read as follows: 75-~~
29 ~~31201. (a) Whenever the rates of compensation of the pay plan for persons~~
30 ~~in the classified service under the Kansas civil service act are increased for~~
31 ~~payroll periods chargeable to fiscal years commencing after June 30, 1993~~
32 ~~2023, the annual salary of the chief justice of the supreme court, each other~~
33 ~~justice of the supreme court, the chief judge of the court of appeals, each~~
34 ~~other judge of the court of appeals, each district judge and each district~~
35 ~~magistrate judge shall be increased by an amount, adjusted to the nearest~~
36 ~~dollar, computed by multiplying the average of the percentage increases in~~
37 ~~all monthly steps of such pay plan by the annual salary of the justice or~~
38 ~~judge which that is being received as provided by law and which is in~~
39 ~~effect prior to the effective date of such increase in the rates of~~
40 ~~compensation of the pay plan for persons in the classified service under~~
41 ~~the Kansas civil service act.~~

42 ~~(b)~~—If increases in the monthly rates of compensation from step
43 movements of the pay plan for persons in the classified service under the

1 Kansas civil service act are authorized for the fiscal year ending June 30,
2 1995, or any fiscal year thereafter, the annual salary of the chief justice of
3 the supreme court, each other justice of the supreme court, the chief judge
4 of the court of appeals, each other judge of the court of appeals, each
5 district judge and each district magistrate judge shall be increased by an
6 amount, adjusted to the nearest dollar, computed by multiplying the
7 average percentage increase in the monthly rate of compensation from step
8 movements on the pay plan for persons in the classified service under the
9 Kansas civil service act determined under subsection (c) by the annual
10 salary of the justice or judge which is being received as provided by law
11 and which is in effect prior to the effective date of such increase. The
12 increase in the annual salary of each justice or judge pursuant to this
13 subsection shall take effect on the first day of the first payroll period which
14 is chargeable to the fiscal year in which such step movements on the pay
15 plan are authorized to take effect.

16 (c) For purposes of subsection (b), the average percentage increase in
17 the monthly rate of compensation from step movements on the pay plan
18 for persons in the classified service under the Kansas civil service act shall
19 be equal to the percentage certified by the secretary of administration
20 which equals the estimated average of the percentage increases in all
21 monthly rates of compensation from step movements on the pay plan for
22 persons in the classified service under the Kansas civil service act which
23 are authorized to take effect during the fiscal year in which such step
24 movements on the pay plan are authorized to take effect.

25 (d) If the increase under subsection (a) takes effect on the first day of
26 the first payroll period of the fiscal year, the percentage rate increases
27 determined under subsections (a) and (b) shall be added together and such
28 aggregate percentage increase of compensation under this section shall be
29 used to increase the rate of compensation of each justice or judge instead
30 of applying the increases under subsections (a) and (b) separately.

31 (e) The provisions of this section shall not apply to the annual salary
32 of any district judge nor the salary of any magistrate judge for any payroll
33 period chargeable to the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007. The provisions
34 of this section shall apply to the annual salary of each district judge or
35 magistrate judge for payroll periods chargeable to fiscal years
36 commencing after June 30, 2007.

37 Sec. 6. K.S.A. 40-102, 75-3101, 75-3103, 75-3104, 75-3108, 75-
38 3110, 75-3111a, 75-3120f, 75-3120h and 75-3120i are hereby repealed.

39 ***New Section 1. (a) There is created the legislative compensation***
40 ***commission consisting of nine members as follows:***

41 ***(1) One member appointed by the speaker of the house of***
42 ***representatives. Such member appointed by the speaker shall be a***
43 ***former member of the legislature;***

1 (2) *one member appointed by the president of the senate. Such*
2 *member appointed by the president shall be a former member of the*
3 *legislature;*

4 (3) *one member appointed by the speaker pro tempore of the house*
5 *of representatives;*

6 (4) *one member appointed by the vice president of the senate;*

7 (5) *one member appointed by the majority leader of the house of*
8 *representatives;*

9 (6) *one member appointed by the majority leader of the senate;*

10 (7) *one member appointed by the minority leader of the house of*
11 *representatives;*

12 (8) *one member appointed by the minority leader of the senate; and*

13 (9) *one member appointed by the governor.*

14 (b) *The initial member appointed by the speaker shall be appointed*
15 *prior to August 1, 2023. All other initial members shall be appointed*
16 *prior to September 1, 2023.*

17 (c) *No person shall be appointed to the commission who is a*
18 *current member of the legislature, a current employee of the legislature*
19 *or a registered lobbyist.*

20 (d) *The member appointed by the speaker shall serve as the first*
21 *chairperson of the commission. The member appointed by the president*
22 *shall serve as the first vice chairperson of the commission. Thereafter,*
23 *the next chairperson to be appointed prior to August 1, 2026, shall be*
24 *appointed by the president and the next vice chairperson to be appointed*
25 *prior to September 1, 2026, shall be appointed by the speaker. The*
26 *authority to appoint the chairperson and vice chairperson for future*
27 *commissions shall alternate between the speaker and the president in*
28 *similar manner as for the original appointments. Vacancies shall be*
29 *filled in the same manner as for the original appointments.*

30 (e) *Any member of the commission shall be eligible for*
31 *reappointment.*

32 (f) *The term of each appointment to the commission shall end upon*
33 *the completion of the responsibilities of the commission pursuant to*
34 *subsections (h) and (i).*

35 (g) *The commission shall meet upon call of the chairperson. A*
36 *majority of the members of the commission shall constitute a quorum*
37 *for the transaction of any business of the commission. Any action taken*
38 *by the commission shall be by majority vote of the members present.*

39 (h) *The legislative compensation commission shall:*

40 (1) *Make a comprehensive study of the compensation, salary and*
41 *retirement benefits of the members of the legislature;*

42 (2) *set the rates of compensation and salary for members of the*
43 *legislature to be effective as provided in subsection (i) and for state*

1 *officials as provided in subsection (j); and*

2 *(3) make recommendations related to retirement benefits for*
3 *members of the legislature.*

4 *(i) In 2023, the legislative compensation commission shall establish*
5 *the rate of compensation and salary for services rendered by members of*
6 *the legislature during the four-year period that commences on the first*
7 *day of the term of office that commences on the first day of the*
8 *legislative session in January of 2025. Such rate of compensation and*
9 *salary established by the commission shall be submitted to the legislature*
10 *on or before December 1, 2023. Such rate of compensation and salary*
11 *established by the commission shall be the rate of compensation and*
12 *salary for members of the legislature unless, prior to 30 days after the*
13 *commencement of the legislative session next occurring after submission*
14 *of such established rate of compensation and salary to the legislature,*
15 *the legislature rejects such rate of compensation and salary by the*
16 *adoption of a concurrent resolution. In the concurrent resolution that*
17 *rejects such rate of compensation and salary, the legislature may include*
18 *a requirement that the legislative compensation commission meet within*
19 *14 days after the adoption of the concurrent resolution by the legislature*
20 *to set another rate of compensation and salary to be submitted to the*
21 *legislature prior to 30 days after such adoption of the concurrent*
22 *resolution. The legislature may reject such rate of compensation and*
23 *salary by the adoption of a concurrent resolution prior to adjournment*
24 *sine die of that legislative session. In the event of rejection by the*
25 *legislature of the second rate of compensation and salary set by the*
26 *commission, the rate of compensation and salary prevailing at the time*
27 *of the previous session shall remain in effect.*

28 *(j) (1) New members of the commission shall be appointed in 2026*
29 *and every four years thereafter. The member designated as chairperson*
30 *of the commission pursuant to subsection (d) shall be appointed prior to*
31 *August 1 of such year. All other members of the commission shall be*
32 *appointed prior to September 1 of such year.*

33 *(2) Commissions appointed in 2026 and thereafter may meet on call*
34 *of the chairperson during the calendar year when appointed or the*
35 *following calendar year. The commission shall set the rate of*
36 *compensation and salary for members of the legislature and, subject to*
37 *appropriations therefor, any additional rate of compensation and salary*
38 *for the governor, attorney general, secretary of state, state treasurer and*
39 *commissioner of insurance above the salary established in section 2, and*
40 *amendments thereto, to be effective during the four-year period that*
41 *commences on the first day of the next commencing term of office of*
42 *elected senators. The commission shall submit such rate of*
43 *compensation and salary to the legislature on or before December 1 of*

1 *the calendar year following the commission's appointment.*

2 (3) *The legislature may take such actions as provided in subsection*
3 *(i) during the legislative session next occurring after the submission of*
4 *such rate of compensation and salary as provided in paragraph (2).*

5 (k) *Members of the commission shall receive compensation,*
6 *subsistence allowances, mileage and expenses as provided in K.S.A. 75-*
7 *3223, and amendments thereto, when attending meetings of the*
8 *commission.*

9 *New Sec. 2. (a) Subject to appropriations and except as provided*
10 *further, on July 1, 2023:*

11 (1) *The governor shall receive for services an annual salary equal*
12 *to the amount of annual rate of pay for a member of congress of the*
13 *United States, not in a leadership role, on July 1, 2023;*

14 (2) *the attorney general shall receive for services an annual salary*
15 *equal to the amount of annual rate of pay for a member of congress of*
16 *the United States, not in a leadership role, on July 1, 2023, minus 2.5%*
17 *of such congressional annual rate of pay; and*

18 (3) *the secretary of state, state treasurer and commissioner of*
19 *insurance shall receive for services an annual salary equal to the*
20 *amount of annual rate of pay for a member of congress of the United*
21 *States, not in a leadership role, on July 1, 2023, minus 7.5% of such*
22 *congressional annual rate of pay.*

23 (b) *If, for any reason, such congressional salary is decreased, the*
24 *salaries established in this section shall remain the same for the next*
25 *ensuing fiscal year unless diminished by general law applicable to all*
26 *salaried officers of the state.*

27 *New Sec. 3. (a) Subject to appropriations, on July 1, 2023, the*
28 *minimum amount of annual salary that the members of the governor's*
29 *cabinet shall receive for services shall be equal to the amount of annual*
30 *rate of pay for a member of congress of the United States, not in a*
31 *leadership role, on July 1, 2023, minus 17.5% of such congressional*
32 *annual rate of pay.*

33 (b) *For the purposes of this section, the members of the governor's*
34 *cabinet shall be determined by the governor.*

35 *New Sec. 4. (a) Subject to appropriations and except as provided*
36 *further, on July 1, 2023, and each July 1 thereafter:*

37 (1) *A district judge who is not a chief judge of a judicial district*
38 *shall receive for services an annual salary equal to 75% of the annual*
39 *rate of pay for a district judge of the United States on such date;*

40 (2) *a district magistrate judge shall receive for services an annual*
41 *salary equal to 55% of a district judge's salary as determined pursuant to*
42 *subsection (a)(1);*

43 (3) *a chief judge of the district court shall receive for services an*

1 *annual salary equal to 105% of a district judge's salary as determined*
2 *pursuant to subsection (a)(1);*

3 *(4) a judge of the court of appeals who is not chief judge of the*
4 *court of appeals shall receive for services an annual salary equal to*
5 *110% of a district judge's salary as determined pursuant to subsection*
6 *(a)(1);*

7 *(5) the chief judge of the court of appeals shall receive for services*
8 *an annual salary equal to 115% of a district judge's salary as determined*
9 *pursuant to subsection (a)(1);*

10 *(6) a justice of the supreme court who is not chief justice of the*
11 *supreme court shall receive for services an annual salary equal to 120%*
12 *of a district judge's salary as determined pursuant to subsection (a)(1);*
13 *and*

14 *(7) the chief justice of the supreme court shall receive for services*
15 *an annual salary equal to 125% of a district judge's salary as determined*
16 *pursuant to subsection (a)(1).*

17 *(b) If, for any reason, such district judge of the United States salary*
18 *is decreased, the salaries established in this section shall remain the*
19 *same for the next ensuing fiscal year unless diminished by general law*
20 *applicable to all salaried officers of the state.*

21 *Sec. 5. K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 20-318 is hereby amended to read as*
22 *follows: 20-318. (a) There is hereby created within the state of Kansas; a*
23 *judicial department for the supervision of all courts in the state of*
24 *Kansas. The supreme court shall divide the state into separate sections,*
25 *not to exceed six in number, to be known as judicial departments, each*
26 *of which shall be assigned a designation to distinguish it from the other*
27 *departments. A justice of the supreme court shall be assigned as*
28 *departmental justice for each judicial department.*

29 *(b) There is created hereby the position of judicial administrator of*
30 *the courts, who shall be appointed by the chief justice of the supreme*
31 *court to serve at the will of the chief justice. The judicial administrator*
32 *shall have a broad knowledge of judicial administration and substantial*
33 *prior experience in an administrative capacity. No person appointed as*
34 *judicial administrator shall engage in the practice of law while serving*
35 *in such capacity. Compensation of the judicial administrator shall be*
36 *determined by the justices, but shall not exceed the salary authorized by*
37 *law for the judge of the district court. The judicial administrator shall be*
38 *responsible to the chief justice of the supreme court of the state of*
39 *Kansas; and shall implement the policies of the court with respect to the*
40 *operation and administration of the courts, subject to the provisions of*
41 *K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 20-384, and amendments thereto, under the*
42 *supervision of the chief justice. The administrator shall perform such*
43 *other duties as are provided by law or assigned by the supreme court or*

1 *the chief justice.*

2 (c) *Expenditures from appropriations for district court operations*
3 *to be paid by the state shall be made on vouchers approved by the*
4 *judicial administrator. All claims for salaries, wages or other*
5 *compensation for district court operations to be paid by the state shall be*
6 *certified as provided in K.S.A. 75-3731, and amendments thereto, by the*
7 *judicial administrator.*

8 *Sec. 6. K.S.A. 20-2616 is hereby amended to read as follows: 20-*
9 *2616. (a) Any retired justice of the supreme court, retired judge of the*
10 *court of appeals, retired district judge or retired associate district judge*
11 *may be designated and assigned to perform such judicial service and*
12 *duties as such retired justice or judge is willing to undertake.*
13 *Designation and assignment of a retired justice or judge in connection*
14 *with any matter pending in the supreme court shall be made by the*
15 *supreme court. Designation and assignment of a retired justice or judge*
16 *in connection with any matter pending in any other court, including any*
17 *court located within the judicial district in which the justice or judge*
18 *resides, or to perform any other judicial service or duties shall be made*
19 *by the chief justice of the supreme court. Any such judicial service or*
20 *duties shall include necessary preparation and other out-of-court*
21 *judicial service for hearings or for deciding matters or cases in*
22 *conjunction with the judicial services and duties assigned under this*
23 *section. Any designation and assignment may be revoked in the same*
24 *manner and all such designations and assignments and revocations*
25 *shall be filed of record in the office of the clerk of the court to which*
26 *such assignment is made.*

27 (b) *A retired justice or judge so designated and assigned to perform*
28 *judicial service or duties shall have the power and authority to hear and*
29 *determine all matters covered by the assignment.*

30 (c) *Except as otherwise provided in this section, each retired justice*
31 *or judge who performs judicial service or duties under this section shall*
32 *receive: (1) Per diem compensation at the rate of per diem compensation*
33 *in effect under K.S.A. 46-137a, and amendments thereto;; (2) a per diem*
34 *subsistence allowance at the per diem subsistence allowance rate in*
35 *effect under K.S.A. 46-137a, and amendments thereto;; (3) a mileage*
36 *allowance at the rate fixed under K.S.A. 75-3203a, and amendments*
37 *thereto;; and (4) all actual and necessary expenses for other than*
38 *subsistence or travel, including necessary stenographic assistance, as*
39 *may be incurred in performing such service or duties.*

40 (d) *No retired justice or judge shall be entitled to receive per diem*
41 *compensation under this section for any day in a fiscal year after the*
42 *date that the total of (1) the amount of per diem compensation earned*
43 *under this section during that fiscal year and (2) the amount of the*

1 *retirement annuity payable to such retired justice or judge for that fiscal*
2 *year under the retirement system for judges, becomes equal to or more*
3 *than the amount of the current annual salary of a district judge paid by*
4 *the state under ~~K.S.A. 75-3120g~~ section 4, and amendments thereto, but*
5 *such retired justice or judge shall receive the subsistence allowance,*
6 *mileage allowance and actual and necessary expenses as provided under*
7 *this section after such date.*

8 *(e) As used in this section, a retired justice or judge shall not*
9 *include those justices or judges who were not retained in office, were not*
10 *reelected to office, have been impeached from office or removed by the*
11 *supreme court from office.*

12 *Sec. 7. K.S.A. 22a-105 is hereby amended to read as follows: 22a-*
13 *105. Each of the district attorneys elected under this act shall receive an*
14 *annual salary in the amount of no less than the salary provided for*
15 *district judges in ~~K.S.A. 75-3120g~~ section 4, and amendments thereto.*
16 *The salary of each district attorney shall be paid by the county*
17 *comprising the judicial district in which the district attorney is elected in*
18 *equal monthly installments and in the manner county officers and*
19 *employees are paid. The district attorneys and their deputies and*
20 *assistants shall be reimbursed for their actual travel and subsistence*
21 *expenses incurred while in the performance of their official duties*
22 *within or without the district.*

23 *Sec. 8. K.S.A. 40-102 is hereby amended to read as follows: 40-102.*
24 *There is hereby established a department to be known as the insurance*
25 *department, ~~which~~ and such department shall have a chief officer*
26 *entitled the commissioner of insurance ~~who shall receive, except as~~*
27 *otherwise provided in K.S.A. 75-3111a, and amendments thereto, a salary*
28 *at a biweekly pay rate of \$3,307.81, and such officer. The commissioner of*
29 *insurance shall be charged with the administration of all laws relating to*
30 *insurance, insurance companies and fraternal benefit societies doing*
31 *business in this state; and all other duties ~~which~~ that are or may be*
32 *imposed upon such officer by law.*

33 *Sec. 9. K.S.A. 75-3103 is hereby amended to read as follows: 75-*
34 *3103. (a) The lieutenant governor shall receive; as reimbursement for*
35 *expenses ~~the following:~~ (1) Biweekly the sum of \$76.91, except as*
36 *otherwise provided in subsection (c), and (2) when attending the duties of*
37 *office or attending any authorized meeting, in addition to other*
38 *provisions of this section, travel expenses and subsistence expenses and*
39 *allowances in amounts equal to those provided for by K.S.A. 75-3212,*
40 *and amendments thereto.*

41 *(b) In addition to any other compensation provided by law ~~and~~*
42 *except as otherwise provided in K.S.A. 75-3111a, and amendments*
43 *thereto, the lieutenant governor shall ~~also~~ receive for services in the*

1 performance of duties imposed by law compensation at the biweekly pay
2 rate of ~~\$1,204.35~~ *an annual salary equal to 25% of the amount of annual*
3 *rate of pay for a member of congress of the United States, not in a*
4 *leadership role, on July 1, 2023. While acting as governor, the lieutenant*
5 *governor shall receive the same salary as the governor. The lieutenant*
6 *governor may appoint an administrative assistant and other office-~~and~~*
7 *stenographic employees, all of whom shall be in the unclassified service*
8 *of the Kansas civil service act. Such administrative assistant shall*
9 *receive travel expenses and subsistence expenses or allowances as*
10 *provided by K.S.A. 75-3212, and amendments thereto, when traveling as*
11 *authorized by the lieutenant governor.*

12 (b)(c) *If the lieutenant governor is appointed by the governor under*
13 *the provision of K.S.A. 75-303, and amendments thereto, the lieutenant*
14 *governor shall receive a salary to be fixed by the governor pursuant to*
15 *section 3, and amendments thereto, or a salary as provided for in*
16 *subsection (a) of this section (b), whichever is greater.*

17 (c) ~~Whenever the rates of compensation of the pay plan for persons in~~
18 ~~the classified service under the Kansas civil service act are increased for~~
19 ~~payroll periods chargeable to fiscal years commencing after June 30, 2009,~~
20 ~~the sum provided biweekly for reimbursement of expenses pursuant to~~
21 ~~subsection (a)(1) for the lieutenant governor shall be increased on the~~
22 ~~effective date of any such pay plan increase by an amount computed by~~
23 ~~multiplying the average of the percentage increases in all steps of such pay~~
24 ~~plan by the biweekly sum provided to the lieutenant governor for~~
25 ~~reimbursement of expenses as authorized by this section.~~

26 *Sec. 10. K.S.A. 75-3120k is hereby amended to read as follows: 75-*
27 *3120k. (a) The annual salary of district magistrate judges shall be paid in*
28 *equal installments each payroll period in accordance with this section.*

29 (b) ~~Subject to the provisions of subsection (c) and except as otherwise~~
30 ~~provided in K.S.A. 75-3120l, and amendments thereto, the annual salary of~~
31 ~~district magistrate judges shall be \$59,059.~~

32 (c) ~~Within the limits of the appropriations therefor, the county or~~
33 ~~counties comprising the judicial district may supplement the salary of, or~~
34 ~~pay any compensation to, any district magistrate judge. Any such~~
35 ~~supplemental salary or compensation shall be deposited in the state~~
36 ~~treasury in accordance with the provisions of K.S.A. 75-4215, and~~
37 ~~amendments thereto, and shall be credited to the district magistrate~~
38 ~~judge supplemental compensation fund. Any associated employer~~
39 ~~contributions and payments with respect to such supplemental salary or~~
40 ~~compensation that are made payable under law shall be paid by the~~
41 ~~county or counties providing such supplemental salary or compensation,~~
42 ~~in addition to such supplemental salary or compensation, in the same~~
43 ~~manner and under the same conditions and requirements as~~

1 *compensation payable pursuant to* ~~subsection (b)~~ *section 4, and*
2 *amendments thereto. All such associated employer contributions and*
3 *payments shall be remitted for deposit in the state treasury and shall be*
4 *credited to the district magistrate supplemental compensation fund at the*
5 *same time and in the same manner as such supplemental salary or*
6 *compensation. As used in this section, employer contributions shall*
7 *include, and the county or counties shall be required to contribute,*
8 *employer contributions required pursuant to K.S.A. 20-2605, and*
9 *amendments thereto, for any district magistrate judge who is a member*
10 *of the retirement system for judges.*

11 ~~(a)~~(b) *There is hereby established in the state treasury the district*
12 *magistrate judge supplemental compensation fund.*

13 ~~(e)~~(c) *All moneys credited to the district magistrate judge*
14 *supplemental compensation fund shall be paid to, or on behalf of, the*
15 *district magistrate judge or district magistrate judges for whom such*
16 *moneys were remitted by the county or counties subject to the same*
17 *conditions or restrictions imposed or prescribed by law, including any*
18 *applicable withholding or other taxes, associated employer contributions*
19 *and authorized payroll deductions.*

20 ~~(f)~~(d) *All expenditures from the district magistrate judge*
21 *supplemental compensation fund shall be made in accordance with*
22 *appropriation acts and upon warrants of the director of accounts and*
23 *reports issued pursuant to payrolls approved by the chief justice of the*
24 *Kansas supreme court or by a person or persons designated by the chief*
25 *justice.*

26 ~~(g)~~(e) *All salary or other compensation under this section shall be*
27 *considered to be compensation provided by law for services as a district*
28 *magistrate judge for all purposes under law.*

29 *Sec. 11. K.S.A. 20-2616, 22a-105, 40-102, 46-3101, 75-3101, 75-*
30 *3103, 75-3104, 75-3108, 75-3110, 75-3111a, 75-3120f, 75-3120g, 75-*
31 *3120h, 75-3120k and 75-3120l and K.S.A. 2022 Supp. 20-318 are hereby*
32 *repealed.*

33 *Sec. 7. 12. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its*
34 *publication in the Kansas register.*