

West's Code of Georgia Annotated

Title 15. Courts

Chapter 12. Juries (Refs & Annos)

Article 1. General Provisions

Ga. Code Ann., § 15-12-7

§ 15-12-7. Compensation of court bailiffs and payment of expense allowance to jurors

Effective: April 29, 2014

Currentness

(a) The first grand jury impaneled at the fall term of the superior courts of the several counties shall fix:

(1) The compensation of court bailiffs in the superior courts of such counties for the next succeeding year, such compensation not to be less than \$5.00 per diem. The same compensation shall be allowed to bailiffs of the several state courts and special courts as is allowed bailiffs in the superior court of the county in which the state or special court is located;

(2) An expense allowance for trial or grand jurors in the superior courts of such counties for the next succeeding year not to be less than \$5.00 nor to exceed \$50.00 per diem. The same expense allowance shall be allowed to jurors of the several state courts and special courts as is allowed jurors in the superior court of the county in which the state or special court is located; and

(3) An expense allowance for grand jurors, such expense allowance not to be less than \$5.00 nor to exceed \$50.00 per diem.

(b) Any increase in the compensation of court bailiffs or increases in expense allowances for jurors fixed by a grand jury shall be subject to the approval of the governing authority of the county.

Credits

Laws 1871-72, p. 47, § 4; Laws 1878-79, p. 190, § 1; Laws 1890-91, p. 80, § 1; Laws 1895, p. 74, § 1; Laws 1919, p. 104, § 1; Laws 1946, p. 72, § 1; Laws 1957, p. 43, § 1; Laws 1966, p. 442, § 1; Laws 1971, p. 205, § 1; Laws 1972, p. 1132, § 1; Laws 1974, p. 325, § 1; Laws 1975, p. 684, § 1; Laws 1979, p. 601, § 1; Laws 1981, p. 685, § 1; Laws 1984, p. 616, § 1; Laws 1989, p. 242, § 1; Laws 1995, p. 790, § 1; Laws 1999, p. 836, § 1; Laws 2000, p. 1587, § 1; [Laws 2008, Act 432, § 1, eff. July 1, 2008](#); [Laws 2011, Act 50, § 1-8, eff. July 1, 2011](#); [Laws 2014, Act 668, § 5, eff. April 29, 2014](#).

Formerly Code 1863, § 3846; Code 1868, § 3866; Code 1873, § 3940; Code 1882, § 3940; Penal Code 1895, § 872; Penal Code 1910, § 876; Code 1933, § 59-120.

Ga. Code Ann., § 15-12-7, GA ST § 15-12-7

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