

2016 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 939

BY REPRESENTATIVE HOFFMANN

DISTRICT ATTORNEYS/ASST: Provides with respect to salaries of assistant district attorneys in the 4th JDC

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 16:11(A)(2), relative to the annual salary of certain assistant
3 district attorneys; to allow for reallocation by certain district attorneys of salary
4 amounts paid to assistant district attorneys; and to provide for related matters.

5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

6 Section 1. R.S. 16:11(A)(2) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

7 §11. Annual salary of assistant district attorneys payable by state

8 A.

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10 (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of R.S. 16:51(A)(4), (19), (23), (32), and
11 (38) to the contrary, the district attorney for the parish of Orleans and the Fourth,
12 Nineteenth, Twenty-Third, and the Thirty-Second Judicial Districts may reallocate
13 by combining or dividing the total amount fixed in Paragraph (1) of this Subsection
14 to pay the salaries of any of his other assistant district attorneys in any lawful manner
15 he deems appropriate. The district attorney shall certify to the state treasurer the
16 amount of the annual salary payable upon warrant for each of his assistant district
17 attorneys provided for in R.S. 16:51(A)(4), (19), (23), (32), and (38).

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DIGEST

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Abstract: Adds the 4th JDC to the list of judicial districts where the district attorney may combine or divide assistant district attorney salary warrants.

Present law provides for a fixed total salary amount of \$45,000 per assistant district attorney for each judicial district court throughout the state of Louisiana, including the parish of Orleans.

Present law provides that, notwithstanding the minimum number of assistant district attorneys permitted under present law in Orleans Parish, the 19th JDC, the 23rd JDC, and the 32nd JDC, the district attorney for those districts may reallocate by combining or dividing the fixed total amount of annual salary permitted to be paid to all assistant district attorneys in those jurisdictions in any lawful manner the district attorney deems appropriate.

Proposed law retains present law and adds the 4th JDC to that list of judicial districts authorized to reallocate the salary warrants to pay assistant district attorneys.

(Amends R.S. 16:11(A)(2))