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HB 2700: county officers; salaries; increase Sponsor: Representative Kavanagh, LD 23 Caucus & COW

<u>Overview</u>

Adjusts the salaries of county officials and removes the requirement that the county populations be determined by the latest preceding decennial census.

<u>History</u>

<u>A.R.S. § 11-419</u> prescribes, by county population as determined by the most recent federal decennial census, the salaries for the county attorney, assessor, recorder, sheriff, superintendent of schools, supervisor and treasurer. These salaries were last increased in the 2007 Legislative Session. The current annual salaries from statute are listed below.

Counties with a population of *500,000 or more* persons

Counties with a population of *less than* 500,000 persons

Officer	Annual Salary	Officer	Annual Salary
Attorney	123,678	Attorney	123,678
Assessor	76,600	Assessor	63,800
Recorder	76,600	Recorder	63,800
Sheriff	100,824	Sheriff	100,824
Superintendent of schools	76,600	Superintendent of schools	63,800
Supervisor	76,600	Supervisor	63,800
Treasurer	76,600	Treasurer	63,800

Provisions

- 1. Increases the salary of certain county officers prescribed in statute. (Sec. 1)
- 2. Repeals the requirement that the county populations for the officer salaries be determined by the latest preceding federal decennial census. (Sec. 1)
- 3. Prescribes dates for when these salaries are effective. (Sec. 1)
- 4. Removes archaic language. (Sec. 1)
- 5. Makes technical and conforming changes. (Sec. 1)

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