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HB 439 Original

2024 Regular Session

Bacala

Abstract: Increases the annual compensation for each class of clerks of district courts by five percent each year for four years.

<u>Present law</u> authorizes the clerks of district courts to establish their own rates of annual compensation, payable out of the clerk's salary fund, provided that the rates shall not exceed the following amounts based on applicable population of the respective parish:

(1)	Population Less than 50,000	Compensation \$88,000
(2)	50,000-200,000	\$98,000
(3)	Over 200,000	\$108,000

Further authorized increases for each population class by four percent each year through Fiscal Year 2016-2017 (Act No. 380 of 2013 Regular Session).

Proposed law retains present law.

<u>Proposed law</u> additionally increases the annual compensation for each population class by five percent each year through Fiscal Year 2027-2028.

Effective July 1, 2024.

(Adds R.S. 13:782(A)(1)(e))