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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2010

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RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- KENT COUNTY WATER
DISTRICT

Introduced By: Senator Leo R. Blais

Date Introduced: February 04, 2010

Referred To: Senate Housing & Municipal Government

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 39-16-6 of the General Laws in Chapter 39-16 entitled "Kent
2 County Water District" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 **39-16-6. Compensation of members and agents.** -- Each member of the board shall
4 receive an annual salary not to exceed ~~three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per year~~ three thousand
5 five hundred dollars (\$3,500) per year, as adjusted for inflation on an annual basis by applying the
6 annual change in the December consumer price index – all urban consumers (CPI-U), published
7 by the bureau of labor statistics of the United States department of labor, and shall be entitled to
8 reimbursement of his or her actual and necessary expenses incurred in the performance of his or
9 her official duties. The salaries, compensation, and expenses of all members, officers, employees,
10 and agents shall be paid solely out of the funds of the authority. No part of the earnings of the
11 authority shall inure to the benefit of any private person.

12 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
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1 This act would increase the compensation of the Kent County water board members from
2 three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per year to three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500) per year
3 with a cost of living adjustment based upon the Consumer Price Index.

4 This act would take effect upon passage.

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