

House Bill 553 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Reeves of the 34<sup>th</sup>, Ehrhart of the 36<sup>th</sup>, Evans of the 42<sup>nd</sup>, Setzler of the 35<sup>th</sup>, Teasley of the 37<sup>th</sup>, and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act creating the State Court of Cobb County, approved March 26, 1964 (Ga.  
2 L. 1964, p. 3211), as amended, particularly by an Act approved May 30, 2003 (Ga. L. 2003,  
3 p. 3695), an Act approved May 12, 2008 (Ga. L. 2008, p. 3723), an Act approved April 10,  
4 2014 (Ga. L. 2014, p. 4267), and an Act approved May 12, 2015 (Ga. L. 2015, p. 4063), so  
5 as to change the salary of the chief deputy clerk and the clerk of the State Court of Cobb  
6 County; to create the position of executive assistant to the clerk of the State Court of Cobb  
7 County and to set the salary of such executive assistant; to provide for related matters; to  
8 repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

**SECTION 1.**

10 An Act creating the State Court of Cobb County, approved March 26, 1964 (Ga. L. 1964, p.  
11 3211), as amended, particularly by an Act approved May 30, 2003 (Ga. L. 2003, p. 3695),  
12 an Act approved May 12, 2008 (Ga. L. 2008, p. 3723), an Act approved April 10, 2014 (Ga.  
13 L. 2014, p. 4267), and an Act approved May 12, 2015 (Ga. L. 2015, p. 4063), is amended by  
14 revising paragraph (4) of subsection (b) of and by adding a new subsection to Section 17 to  
15 read as follows:  
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17 "(4) The salary of the chief deputy clerk shall be \$107,419.30 to be paid in equal monthly  
18 installments from funds of Cobb County."

19 "(c) The clerk of the state court shall be allowed an executive assistant appointed by and  
20 under the direct supervision of the clerk of the state court. The person so appointed shall  
21 serve at the pleasure of the clerk. The clerk of the state court shall establish the  
22 qualifications, education, and experience necessary for appointment to such position. The  
23 salary of the executive assistant shall be \$62,159.19 per annum, payable in equal monthly  
24 installments from the funds of Cobb County."

25 **SECTION 2.**

26 Said Act is further amended by revising Section 23 as follows:

27 "SECTION 23.

28 The clerk of the State Court of Cobb County shall receive an annual salary of \$119,354.43  
29 payable in equal monthly installments from the funds of Cobb County."

30 **SECTION 3.**

31 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.