## SENATE FILE NO. SF0073

County attorneys-state contributions to salaries.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Massie and Representative(s)
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## A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to county officers; modifying the amount of
- 2 state payments to be made for the salary and expenses of
- 3 county and prosecuting attorneys and full-time assistants;
- 4 providing for salaries of county attorneys as specified;
- 5 making an appropriation; and providing for an effective
- 6 date.

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8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

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- 10 **Section 1.** W.S. 18-3-107(a) and (f) is amended to
- 11 read:

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- 13 **18-3-107.** Annual salaries of certain officers;
- 14 additional compensation prohibited; exception as to
- 15 traveling and other expenses; compensation of county

1 commissioner; appointment and salaries of deputies, clerks,

2 stenographers and other assistants.

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4 (a) From and after January 1, 1979, the county 5 assessor, part-time county and prosecuting attorneys, part-time county attorneys, county clerk, clerk of district 6 court, county sheriff and county treasurer 7 in their respective counties shall receive not less 8 than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) nor more than twenty-five 9 10 thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) as annual salaries. From and 11 after January 1, 1983, the specified county officers shall 12 receive an annual salary of not less than ten thousand 13 dollars (\$10,000.00) nor more than forty thousand dollars 14 (\$40,000.00). Full-time county and prosecuting attorneys 15 shall receive not less than thirty-five thousand dollars (\$35,000.00) and not more than forty-five thousand dollars 16 17 (\$45,000.00) as annual salaries. From and after January 1, 1995, the specified full-time county officers shall receive 18 19 an annual salary not less than ten thousand dollars 20 (\$10,000.00)more than fifty nor thousand 21 (\$50,000.00). Full-time county attorneys shall receive not 22 less than thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000.00) nor more 23 sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) as 24 salaries. Full-time county and prosecuting attorneys shall

1 receive not less than thirty-five thousand dollars 2 (\$35,000.00) nor more than sixty thousand dollars 3 (\$60,000.00) as annual salaries. From and after January 1, 4 1999, the specified full-time county officers shall receive 5 an annual salary not less than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00)nor more than sixty thousand 6 (\$60,000.00). From and after January 1, 2003, full-time 7 county attorneys shall receive not less than thirty 8 9 thousand dollars (\$30,000.00) nor more than seventy 10 thousand dollars (\$70,000.00) eighty thousand dollars 11 (\$80,000.00) as annual salaries. From and after January 1, 12 2003, full-time county and prosecuting attorneys shall 13 receive not less than thirty-five thousand dollars 14 (\$35,000,00) nor more than seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000.00) eighty thousand dollars (\$80,000.00) as annual 15 16 salaries. Salaries shall paid in equal monthly be 17 installments. The board of county commissioners of each county shall meet not later than June 1, 1978, and on or 18 before the same date each four (4) years thereafter, for 19 20 the purpose of setting salaries, which shall not be changed 21 during the term of each official for whom a salary is 22 determined.

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1 (f) The state will pay twenty thousand dollars 2  $\frac{\$20,000.00}{\text{or}}$  fifty percent (50%) of the salary of the 3 full-time county and prosecuting attorney, whichever is 4 less, per year, to each qualifying county. In counties with 5 a population greater than nine thousand (9,000) the state will pay fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) or fifty percent 6 (50%) of the salary of a full-time assistant to the county 7 and prosecuting attorney, whichever is less, per year, for 8 9 each assistant per ten thousand (10,000) population over nine thousand (9,000). The state shall also pay three 10 thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) five thousand dollars 11 12 (\$5,000.00) for expenses of the office of county and 13 prosecuting attorney for each full-time county prosecuting attorney and each full-time assistant 14 authorized by this act. Payments under this section shall 15 be made annually on or before June 30. 16

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18 Section 2. Nine hundred ninety-four thousand six hundred forty-seven dollars (\$994,647.00) or as much 19 thereof as is necessary is appropriated from the general 20 21 fund to the county and prosecuting attorney agency for 22 purposes of this act.

2 Section 3 This act is effective July 1, 2002.

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