

# HOUSE . . . . . No. 6141

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## *The Commonwealth of Massachusetts*

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, May 25, 1977.

The committee on Counties on the part of the House, to whom was referred the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 2124) of Charles F. Flaherty, Jr., relative to increasing the salaries of county employees, report (in part) recommending that the accompanying bill (House, No. 6141) ought to pass.

For the committee,

CHARLES F. FLAHERTY, JR.

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Seven.

### AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE SALARIES OF CLERKS AND ASSISTANT CLERKS OF THE SUPREME JUDICIAL AND SUPERIOR COURTS.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

1 Section 94 of Chapter 221 is most recently amended by Chapter  
2 726 of the Acts of 1974 is hereby further amended by striking out  
3 said section and inserting in place thereof *Section 94*. Manner  
4 of payment; salaries of clerks and Assistant Clerks

5 Except as provided in section ninety-three, and except as  
6 otherwise provided, the salaries of the clerks of the courts of the  
7 various counties and their assistants, the clerk of the supreme  
8 judicial court of Suffolk county and his assistants, the clerk of the  
9 Superior Court for criminal business in Suffolk County and his  
10 assistants, and the clerk of the Superior Court of civil business in  
11 Suffolk County and his assistants, shall be paid by their respective  
12 counties, and shall be as follows:

#### SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT FOR SUFFOLK COUNTY

13 Clerk — A sum equivalent to seventy-five and fifty-one  
14 hundredths per cent of the salary of an associate justice of the  
15 supreme judicial court, of which the sum of thirty-seven hundred  
16 dollars shall be paid by the commonwealth.

17 Assistant Clerk — A sum equivalent to seventy and sixty-one  
18 hundredths per cent of the salary of an associate justice of the  
19 supreme judicial court, of which the sum of three thousand eight  
20 hundred and seventy-seven dollars and fifty cents shall be paid by  
21 the commonwealth.

22 Second Assistant Clerk — A sum equivalent to seventy and  
23 sixty-one hundredths per cent of the salary of an associate justice  
24 of the supreme judicial court, of which the sum of four thousand  
25 six hundred and sixty-one dollars and twenty-five cents shall be  
26 paid by the commonwealth.

27 Third Assistant Clerk — A sum equivalent to sixty and eighty-  
28 four hundredths per cent of the salary of an associate justice of the  
29 supreme judicial court, of which the sum of one thousand dollars  
30 shall be paid by the commonwealth.  
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**SUPERIOR COURT FOR CRIMINAL BUSINESS  
IN THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK**

32 Clerk — The sum of twenty-seven thousand nine hundred  
33 ninety-nine dollars.

34 First Assistant Clerk — (so designated by the clerk): — The sum  
35 of twenty-two thousand five hundred sixty-nine dollars and twenty  
36 cents.

37 Second Assistant Clerk — (so designated by the clerk): — The  
38 sum of twenty-one thousand two hundred eleven dollars and  
39 seventy-five cents.

40 All other Assistant Clerks: — The sum of nineteen thousand  
41 eight hundred fifty-four dollars and thirty cents.

**SUPERIOR COURT FOR CIVIL BUSINESS**

**IN THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK**

42 Clerk: — The sum of twenty-seven thousand nine hundred  
43 ninety-nine dollars.

44 First Assistant Clerk (so designated by the justices of said  
45 court): — The sum of twenty-two thousand five hundred sixty-nine  
46 dollars and twenty cents.

47 Assistant Clerk (appointed to perform the duties of clerk  
48 pertaining to equity proceedings in said court and designated to act  
49 as clerk of said court when sitting in Boston for the hearing of  
50 causes from any other county): — The sum of twenty-two  
51 thousand five hundred sixty-nine dollars and twenty cents, of  
52 which the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars shall be paid  
53 by the commonwealth.

54 All other Assistant Clerks: — The sum of nineteen thousand  
55 eight hundred fifty-four dollars and thirty cents.

56 *Middlesex Superior Court*

57 Clerk: — The sum of twenty-seven thousand nine hundred  
58 ninety-nine dollars.

59 First Assistant Clerk: — The sum of twenty-two thousand five  
60 hundred sixty-nine dollars and twenty cents.

61 Second Assistant Clerk: — The sum of twenty one thousand two  
62 hundred eleven dollars and seventy-five cents.

63 All other Assistant Clerks: — Nineteen thousand eight hundred  
64 fifty-four dollars and thirty cents.

65 *Essex, Worcester and Norfolk Superior Courts*

66 Clerk: — The sum of twenty-six thousand two hundred two  
67 dollars.

68 First Assistant Clerk: — The sum of twenty-one thousand one  
69 hundred thirty-one dollars and sixty cents.

74 Second Assistant Clerk: — The sum of nineteen thousand eight  
75 hundred sixty four dollars.

76 All other Assistant Clerks: — The sum of eighteen thousand five  
77 hundred ninety-six dollars and forty cents.

78 *Hampden and Bristol Superior Courts*

79 Clerk: — The sum of twenty four thousand three hundred  
80 ninety-six dollars.

81 First Assistant Clerk: — The sum of nineteen thousand six  
82 hundred eighty-six dollars and eighty cents.

83 Second Assistant Clerk: — The sum of eighteen thousand five  
84 hundred nine dollars and fifty cents.

85 All other Assistant Clerks: — The sum of seventeen thousand  
86 three hundred thirty-two dollars and twenty cents.

87 *Plymouth Superior Court*

88 Clerk: — The sum of twenty three thousand nine hundred eighty  
89 dollars.

90 First Assistant Clerk: — The sum of nineteen thousand three  
91 hundred fifty-four dollars.

92 Second Assistant Clerk: — The sum of eighteen thousand one  
93 hundred ninety-seven dollars and fifty cents.

94 All other Assistant Clerks: — The sum of seventeen thousand  
95 forty-one dollars.

96 *Berkshire and Hampshire Superior Courts.*

97 Clerk: — The sum of twenty-one thousand two hundred ninety-  
98 three dollars.

99 First Assistant Clerk: — The sum of seventeen thousand two  
100 hundred four dollars and forty cents.

101 Second Assistant Clerk: — The sum of sixteen thousand one  
102 hundred eighty-two dollars and twenty-five cents.

103 All other Assistant Clerks: — The sum of fifteen thousand one  
104 hundred sixty dollars and ten cents.

105 *Barnstable and Franklin Superior Courts.*

106 Clerk: — The sum of eighteen thousand nine hundred fifty-seven  
107 dollars.

108 First Assistant Clerk: — The sum of fifteen thousand three  
109 hundred thirty-five dollars and sixty cents.

110 Second Assistant Clerk: — The sum of fourteen thousand four  
111 hundred thirty dollars and twenty-five cents.

112 All other Assistant Clerks: — The sum of thirteen thousand five  
113 hundred twenty-four dollars and ninety cents.

114 *Dukes and Nantucket Superior Courts.*

115 Clerk: — The sum of nine thousand six hundred eleven dollars.

The first part of the report deals with the general conditions of the country during the year. It is noted that the weather was generally favorable, with a moderate amount of rain and a mild temperature. The crops were well advanced, and the harvest was expected to be a good one. The stock raising industry was also doing well, and the price of wool was high. The government was successful in securing a loan from the United States, and the public works program was well advanced. The report concludes with a summary of the year's work and a list of recommendations for the coming year.

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Washington, D. C., May 10, 1915

Very respectfully,  
The Adjutant General's Office

By the Adjutant General

Colonel J. M. [Name]

