

1-1 By: Dean, et al. (Senate Sponsor - Huffman) H.B. No. 2529
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House May 14, 2025;
1-3 May 15, 2025, read first time and referred to Committee on Finance;
1-4 May 21, 2025, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 13,
1-5 Nays 0; May 21, 2025, sent to printer.)

1-6	COMMITTEE VOTE				
1-7		Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
1-8	Huffman	X			
1-9	Hinojosa of Hidalgo	X			
1-10	Alvarado	X			
1-11	Bettencourt	X			
1-12	Campbell	X			
1-13	Creighton	X			
1-14	Flores	X			
1-15	Hall			X	
1-16	Kolkhorst			X	
1-17	Nichols	X			
1-18	Paxton	X			
1-19	Perry	X			
1-20	Schwertner	X			
1-21	West	X			
1-22	Zaffirini	X			

1-23 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-24 AN ACT

1-25 relating to the annual state salary supplement for certain county
1-26 judges.

1-27 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-28 SECTION 1. Section [26.006](#)(a), Government Code, is amended
1-29 to read as follows:

1-30 (a) A county judge is entitled to an annual salary
1-31 supplement from the state in an amount equal to 18 percent of the
1-32 annual [state base] salary paid to a district judge with comparable
1-33 years of service as the county judge as set by the General
1-34 Appropriations Act in accordance with Section [659.012](#) [~~659.012(a)~~]
1-35 if at least 18 percent of the:

1-36 (1) functions that the judge performs are judicial
1-37 functions; or

1-38 (2) total hours that the judge works are in the
1-39 performance of judicial functions.

1-40 SECTION 2. The changes in law made by this Act apply only to
1-41 a salary payment for a pay period beginning on or after the
1-42 effective date of this Act. A salary payment for a pay period
1-43 beginning before the effective date of this Act is governed by the
1-44 law in effect on the date the pay period began, and that law is
1-45 continued in effect for that purpose.

1-46 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2025.

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