

# House Bill 2636

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## SUMMARY

The following summary is not prepared by the sponsors of the measure and is not a part of the body thereof subject to consideration by the Legislative Assembly. It is an editor's brief statement of the essential features of the measure **as introduced**.

Modifies annual salaries of judges of Supreme Court, Court of Appeals, Oregon Tax Court and circuit courts.

Takes effect on 91st day following adjournment sine die.

## A BILL FOR AN ACT

1  
2 Relating to compensation of judges; amending ORS 292.406, 292.411, 292.416 and 292.426; and pre-  
3 scribing an effective date.

4 **Be It Enacted by the People of the State of Oregon:**

5 **SECTION 1.** ORS 292.406, as amended by section 11, chapter 118, Oregon Laws 2016, is  
6 amended to read:

7 292.406. (1)(a) The annual salary of the Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals shall be [*\$135,688*  
8 *for the year beginning January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter*] **\$147,559.92 for the period be-**  
9 **ginning on January 1, 2017, and ending on December 31, 2017.**

10 (b) On January 1[, 2017] **of 2018, 2019 and 2020**, the annual salary of the Chief Judge of the  
11 Court of Appeals, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by [*\$5,000*] **\$6,863.**

12 (2)(a) The annual salary of each other judge of the Court of Appeals shall be [*\$132,820 for the*  
13 *year beginning January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter*] **\$144,535.92 for the period beginning**  
14 **on January 1, 2017, and ending on December 31, 2017.**

15 (b) On January 1[, 2017] **of 2018, 2019 and 2020**, the annual salary of each other judge of the  
16 Court of Appeals, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by [*\$5,000*] **\$6,821.**

17 **SECTION 2.** ORS 292.411, as amended by section 12, chapter 118, Oregon Laws 2016, is  
18 amended to read:

19 292.411. (1)(a) The annual salary of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court shall be [*\$138,556 for*  
20 *the year beginning January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter*] **\$150,571.92 for the period begin-**  
21 **ning on January 1, 2017, and ending on December 31, 2017.**

22 (b) On January 1[, 2017] **of 2018, 2019 and 2020**, the annual salary of the Chief Justice of the  
23 Supreme Court, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by [*\$5,000*] **\$6,476.**

24 (2)(a) The annual salary of each other judge of the Supreme Court shall be [*\$135,688 for the year*  
25 *beginning January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter*] **\$147,559.92 for the period beginning on**  
26 **January 1, 2017, and ending on December 31, 2017.**

27 (b) On January 1[, 2017] **of 2018, 2019 and 2020**, the annual salary of each other judge of the  
28 Supreme Court, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by [*\$5,000*] **\$6,863.**

29 **SECTION 3.** ORS 292.416, as amended by section 13, chapter 118, Oregon Laws 2016, is  
30 amended to read:

**NOTE:** Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.

1           292.416. (1) The annual salary of each judge of a circuit court shall be [*\$124,468 for the year*  
2 *beginning January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter*] **\$135,775.92 for the period beginning on**  
3 **January 1, 2017, and ending on December 31, 2017.**

4           (2) On January 1[, 2017] **of 2018, 2019 and 2020**, the annual salary of each judge of a circuit  
5 court, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by [*\$5,000*] **\$5,691.**

6           **SECTION 4.** ORS 292.426, as amended by section 14, chapter 118, Oregon Laws 2016, is  
7 amended to read:

8           292.426. (1) The annual salary of the judge of the Oregon Tax Court shall be [*\$128,164 for the*  
9 *year beginning January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter*] **\$139,651.92 for the period beginning**  
10 **on January 1, 2017, and ending on December 31, 2017.**

11           (2) On January 1[, 2017] **of 2018, 2019 and 2020**, the annual salary of the judge of the Oregon  
12 Tax Court, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by [*\$5,000*] **\$6,424.**

13           **SECTION 5.** **This 2017 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2017**  
14 **regular session of the Seventy-ninth Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.**

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