House Bill 4096

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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

Relating to judicial salaries; amending ORS 292.406, 292.411, 292.416 and 292.426; and prescribing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. ORS 292.406 is amended to read:

292.406. (1)(a) The annual salary of the Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals shall be $135,688 for the period beginning on January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter $147,560 for the period beginning on January 1, 2017, and ending on June 30, 2018.
(b) On January 1, 2017, July 1, 2018, and January 1 of 2019 and 2020, the annual salary of the Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by $6,372.

(2)(a) The annual salary of each other judge of the Court of Appeals shall be $132,820 for the period beginning on January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter $144,536 for the period beginning on January 1, 2017, and ending on June 30, 2018.
(b) On January 1, 2017, July 1, 2018, and January 1 of 2019 and 2020, the annual salary of each other judge of the Court of Appeals, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by $6,348.

SECTION 2. ORS 292.411 is amended to read:

292.411. (1)(a) The annual salary of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court shall be $138,556 for the period beginning on January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter $150,572 for the period beginning on January 1, 2017, and ending on June 30, 2018.
(b) On January 1, 2017, July 1, 2018, and January 1 of 2019 and 2020, the annual salary of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by $5,976.

(2)(a) The annual salary of each other judge of the Supreme Court shall be $135,688 for the period beginning on January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter $147,560 for the period beginning on January 1, 2017, and ending on June 30, 2018.
(b) On January 1, 2017, July 1, 2018, and January 1 of 2019 and 2020, the annual salary of each other judge of the Supreme Court, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by $6,372.

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.

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SECTION 3. ORS 292.416 is amended to read:

292.416. (1) The annual salary of each judge of a circuit court shall be $124,468 for the year beginning January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter $135,776 for the period beginning on January 1, 2017, and ending on June 30, 2018.

(2) On January 1, 2017, July 1, 2018, and January 1 of 2019 and 2020, the annual salary of each judge of a circuit court, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by $5,244.

SECTION 4. ORS 292.426 is amended to read:

292.426. (1) The annual salary of the judge of the Oregon Tax Court shall be $128,164 for the year beginning January 1, 2015, and for each year thereafter $139,652 for the period beginning on January 1, 2017, and ending on June 30, 2018.

(2) On January 1, 2017, July 1, 2018, and January 1 of 2019 and 2020, the annual salary of the judge of the Oregon Tax Court, as adjusted under ORS 292.428, shall be increased by $5,964.

SECTION 5. This 2018 Act takes effect on the 91st day after the date on which the 2018 regular session of the Seventy-ninth Legislative Assembly adjourns sine die.

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