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HOUSE BILL NO. 1199

Introduced by: Representatives Bartling, Broderick, Duniphan, Flowers, Klaudt, and
Monroe and Senators Koetzle, Albers, and Reedy

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to adjust the salary schedule for county officials.

2 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

3 Section 1. That § 7-7-9.1 be amended to read as follows:

4 7-7-9.1. The board of county commissioners shall establish, by resolution, the salary payable
5 to the county treasurer, county auditor, and county register of deeds ~~shall be established by each~~
6 ~~board of county commissioners, by resolution, but.~~ The salary payable may not be less than the
7 following schedule ~~and be~~ as based upon the most recent decennial federal census of population
8 for counties:

9	County Population	Salary Schedule
10	Below 10,000	\$ 20,689 <u>23,189</u>
11	10,000-14,999	21,234 <u>23,734</u>
12	15,000-24,999	22,305 <u>24,805</u>
13	25,000-69,999	24,983 <u>27,483</u>
14	70,000 and over	27,324 <u>29,824</u>

15 The board of county commissioners may not decrease the salary of the county treasurer,

1 county auditor, or county register of deeds during ~~the term~~ consecutive terms of office of the
2 county treasurer, county auditor, or county register of deeds.

3 Section 2. Section 1 of this Act is effective on January 1, 2002.

4 Section 3. That § 7-7-9.1 be amended to read as follows:

5 7-7-9.1. The board of county commissioners shall establish, by resolution, the salary payable
6 to the county treasurer, county auditor, and county register of deeds ~~shall be established by each~~
7 ~~board of county commissioners, by resolution, but.~~ The salary payable may not be less than the
8 following schedule ~~and be~~ as based upon the most recent decennial federal census of population
9 for counties:

10	County Population	Salary Schedule
11	Below 10,000	\$20,689 <u>25,689</u>
12	10,000-14,999	21,234 <u>26,234</u>
13	15,000-24,999	22,305 <u>27,305</u>
14	25,000-69,999	24,983 <u>29,983</u>
15	70,000 and over	27,324 <u>32,324</u>

16 The board of county commissioners may not decrease the salary of the county treasurer,
17 county auditor, or county register of deeds during ~~the term~~ consecutive terms of office of the
18 county treasurer, county auditor, or county register of deeds.

19 Beginning on January 1, 2004, the salary payable listed in this section shall annually increase
20 by an index factor. The index factor is the annual percentage change in the consumer price index
21 for urban wage earners and clerical workers as computed by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of
22 the United States Department of Labor for the year before the year immediately preceding the
23 year of adjustment or three percent, whichever is less.

24 Section 4. Section 3 of this Act is effective on January 1, 2003.