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H.B. No. 3033

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1
2 relating to the appointment of a bailiff for the 75th District
3 Court.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section 53.002(f), Government Code, is amended
6 to read as follows:

7 (f) The judges of the 12th, 75th, 258th, and 278th district
8 courts may each appoint a bailiff. At the discretion of the judge, a
9 bailiff may serve the court in each county of the district.

10 SECTION 2. Section 53.009(k), Government Code, is amended
11 to read as follows:

12 (k) The bailiffs of the 12th, 75th, 84th, 258th, and 278th
13 district courts are entitled to receive a salary set by the judge
14 and approved by the commissioners court of each of the counties in
15 which the bailiff is designated to serve, except that the amount of
16 the salary paid the bailiff of the 84th District Court must be
17 commensurate with the salary paid the bailiffs of other courts with
18 similar duties. The salary shall be apportioned by the judge among
19 the counties in which the bailiff is designated to serve. The judge
20 shall give each commissioners court in the district written
21 notification of the amount of compensation to be paid by the county.
22 The salary is paid out of the general fund of each county.

23 SECTION 3. This Act takes effect September 1, 2003.