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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the compensation of district judges in Cameron County.

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

4 SECTION 1. Sections 32.031(a) and (b), Government Code, are 5 amended to read as follows:

- 6 (a) Notwithstanding Section 659.012, the [The]
  7 Commissioners Court of Cameron County may pay the judges of the
  8 district courts having jurisdiction in the county an annual salary
  9 in an amount set by the commissioners court.
- 10 (b) The salary shall be paid in equal monthly installments

  11 from the county general fund or officers' salary fund. [The

  12 combined yearly salary received by each district judge from state

  13 and county sources may not exceed an amount equal to \$1,000 less

  14 than the combined yearly salary from state and county sources

  15 received by each associate justice of the Thirteenth Court of

  16 Appeals District.]
- 17 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.