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**Executive****JSCCD11                    Judicial salary – Montgomery County****R.C.            141.04**

- (1) Removes the requirement that the Chief Administrator of the Ohio Supreme Court, on or before December 1 of each year, notify the administrative judge of the Montgomery County Municipal Court, the Montgomery County Board of County Commissioners, and the state treasurer of the yearly salary cost of five part-time county court judges as of that date.
- (2) Removes the requirement that, if the total yearly salary costs of all of the Montgomery County Municipal Court judges as of December 1 of that same year exceeds the amount described above, the Administrative Judge cause payment of the excess between those two amounts less any reduced amount paid for the health care costs of the Montgomery County Municipal Court judges in comparison to the health care costs of the five part-time county court judges to the Montgomery County Treasurer and the state treasurer in amounts proportional to the percentage of the salaries of the municipal court judges paid by the county and by the state.

**Fiscal effect: None. The Montgomery County Municipal Court has fully transitioned from a county court and thus the provisions being removed are no longer applicable.**

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**JSCCD12                    Paying retired assigned judges****R.C.            141.16, 1901.123, 1907.143**

- (1) Requires the Ohio Supreme Court, instead of a county treasurer under existing law, to pay any compensation to which an assigned retired municipal court or county court judge is entitled.
- (2) Requires the Administrative Director of the Supreme Court, annually on August 1, to issue a billing to the county treasurer of any county to which a retired judge was assigned to a municipal court or county court for reimbursement of the county or local portion of the compensation previously paid by the state for the 12-month period preceding June 30.
- (3) Requires the county or local portion of the compensation be that part of each per diem paid by the state that is proportional to the county or local shares of the total compensation of a resident judge of that municipal or county court.
- (4) Requires the county treasurer to forward the payment within 30 days and then seek reimbursement from the local municipalities as appropriate.

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**Fiscal effect: None.** Compensation paid by the Supreme Court will be charged back to the counties for reimbursement, making the provisions expense neutral for both the state and counties.

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**JSCCD1                      State Criminal Sentencing Commission****Section:    317.20**

Requires GRF appropriation item 005401, State Criminal Sentencing Commission, to be used for the operation of the State Criminal Sentencing Commission established by R.C. 181.21.

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**JSCCD2                      Law-Related Education****Section:    317.20**

Requires GRF appropriation item 005406, Law-Related Education, to be distributed directly to the Ohio Center for Law-Related Education for the purposes of providing continuing citizenship education activities to primary and secondary students, expanding delinquency prevention programs, increasing activities for at-risk youth, and accessing additional public and private money for new programs.

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**JSCCD3                      Ohio Courts Technology Initiative****Section:    317.20**

Requires GRF appropriation item 005409, Ohio Courts Technology Initiative, to be used to fund an initiative by the Supreme Court to facilitate:

- (1) Exchange of information and warehousing of data by and between courts and other justice system partners through the creation of an Ohio Courts Network.
  - (2) Delivery of technology services to courts statewide, including the provision of hardware, software, and the development and implementation of educational and training programs for judges and court personnel.
  - (3) Operation of the Commission on Technology and the Courts for the promulgation of statewide rules, policies, and uniform standards, and to aid in the orderly adoption and comprehensive use of technology in Ohio courts.
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**Executive****JSCCD4****Attorney Services****Section: 317.20**

- (1) Requires the Attorney Registration Fund (Fund 4C80) consist of money received by the Supreme Court (The Judiciary) pursuant to the Rules for the Government of the Bar of Ohio.
  - (2) Permits related appropriation item 005605, Attorney Services, in addition to funding other activities considered appropriate by the Supreme Court, to be used to compensate employees and to fund appropriate activities of the Office of Disciplinary Counsel, the Board of Commissioners on Grievances and Discipline, the Clients' Security Fund, and the Attorney Services Division, including the Office of Bar Admissions.
  - (3) Appropriates additional amounts as determined necessary by the Administrative Director of the Supreme Court.
  - (4) Prohibits the Director of Budget and Management or the Controlling Board from transferring any of the money in Fund 4C80 to any other fund.
  - (5) Requires any interest earned on the money in Fund 4C80 to be credited to the fund.
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**JSCCD5****Court Interpreter Certification****Section: 317.20**

- (1) Requires the Court Interpreter Certification Fund (Fund 5HT0) consist of money received by the Supreme Court (The Judiciary) pursuant to Rules 80 through 87 of the Rules of Superintendence for the Courts of Ohio.
  - (2) Requires related appropriation item 005617, Court Interpreter Certification, to be used to provide training, to provide the written examination, and to pay language experts to rate, or grade, the oral examinations of those applying to become certified court interpreters.
  - (3) Appropriates additional amounts as determined necessary by the Administrative Director of the Supreme Court.
  - (4) Prohibits the Director of Budget and Management or the Controlling Board from transferring any of the money in Fund 5HT0 to any other fund.
  - (5) Requires any interest earned on the money in Fund 5HT0 to be credited to the fund.
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**Executive****JSCCD6                      Civil Justice Grant Program****Section:    317.20**

- (1) Requires the Civil Justice Program Fund (Fund 5SP0) consist of: (a) \$50 voluntary donations made as part of the biennium attorney registration process, and (b) \$150 increase in pro hac vice fees for out-of-state attorneys pursuant to Government of the Bar Rules amendments.
- (2) Requires related appropriation item 005626, Civil Justice Grant Program, to be used for grants to not-for-profit organizations and agencies dedicated to providing civil legal aid to underserved populations, to fund innovative programs directed at this purpose, and to increase access to judicial service to that population.
- (3) Prohibits the Director of Budget and Management or the Controlling Board from transferring any of the money in Fund 5SP0 to any other fund.
- (4) Requires any interest earned on the money in Fund 5SP0 to be credited to the fund.

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**JSCCD7                      Grants and Awards****Section:    317.20**

- (1) Requires the Grants and Awards Fund (Fund 5T80) consist of grants and other money awarded to the Supreme Court (The Judiciary) by the State Justice Institute, the Division of Criminal Justice Services, or other entities.
  - (2) Requires related appropriation item 005609, Grants and Awards, to be used in a manner consistent with the grant or award.
  - (3) Appropriates additional amounts as determined necessary by the Administrative Director of the Supreme Court.
  - (4) Prohibits the Director of Budget and Management or the Controlling Board from transferring any of the money in Fund 5T80 to any other fund.
  - (5) Requires any interest earned on the money in Fund 5T80 to be credited or transferred to the GRF.
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**Executive****JSCCD8                      Judiciary/Supreme Court Education****Section:    317.20**

- (1) Requires the Judiciary/Supreme Court Education Fund (Fund 6720) consist of fees paid for attending judicial and public education on the law, reimbursement of costs for judicial and public education on the law, and other gifts and grants received for the purpose of judicial and public education on the law.
  - (2) Requires related appropriation item 005601, Judiciary/Supreme Court Education, to be used to pay expenses for judicial education courses for judges, court personnel, and those who serve the courts, and for public education on the law.
  - (3) Appropriates additional amounts as determined necessary by the Administrative Director of the Supreme Court.
  - (4) Prohibits the Director of Budget and Management or the Controlling Board from transferring any of the money in Fund 6720 to any other fund.
  - (5) Requires any interest earned on the money in Fund 6720 to be credited to the fund.
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**JSCCD9                      County Law Library Resources Boards****Section:    317.20**

- (1) Requires that the Statewide Consortium of County Law Library Resources Boards Fund (Fund 5JY0) consist of money deposited pursuant to R.C. 307.515 into a county's law library resources fund and forwarded by that county's treasurer for deposit in the state treasury pursuant to R.C. 3375.481.
  - (2) Requires related appropriation item 005620, County Law Library Resources Boards, to be used for the operation of the Statewide Consortium of County Law Library Resources Boards.
  - (3) Appropriates additional amounts as determined necessary by the Administrative Director of the Supreme Court.
  - (4) Prohibits the Director of Budget and Management or the Controlling Board from transferring any of the money in Fund 5JY0 to any other fund.
  - (5) Requires any interest earned on the money in Fund 5JY0 to be credited to the fund.
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**Executive****JSCCD10****Federal Grants****Section: 317.20**

- (1) Requires the Federal Grants Fund (Fund 3J00) consist of grants and other money awarded to the Supreme Court (The Judiciary) by the federal government or other entities that receive the money directly from the federal government and distribute that money to the Supreme Court (The Judiciary).
  - (2) Requires related appropriation item 005603, Federal Grants, to be used in a manner consistent with the purpose of the grant or award.
  - (3) Appropriates additional amounts as determined necessary by the Administrative Director of the Supreme Court.
  - (4) Prohibits the Director of Budget and Management or the Controlling Board from transferring any of the money in Fund 3J00 to any other fund.
  - (5) Requires any interest earned on the money in Fund 3J00 to be credited or transferred to the GRF.
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