

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA
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SENATE BILL 167

Short Title: Clerk of Court Longevity. (Public)

Sponsors: Senator Cook (Primary Sponsor).

Referred to: Rules and Operations of the Senate.

March 5, 2015

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS FOR LONGEVITY PAY FOR CLERKS OF SUPERIOR COURT.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 7A-101(c) reads as rewritten:

"(c) In lieu of merit and other increment raises paid to regular State employees, a clerk of superior court shall receive as longevity pay an amount equal to four and eight-tenths percent (4.8%) of the clerk's annual salary payable monthly after five years of service, nine and six-tenths percent (9.6%) after 10 years of service, fourteen and four-tenths percent (14.4%) after 15 years of service, nineteen and two-tenths percent (19.2%) after 20 years of service, and twenty-four percent (24%) after 25 years of service. Service shall mean service in the elective position of clerk of superior court, as an assistant clerk of court and as a supervisor of clerks of superior court with the Administrative Office of the Courts and shall not include service as a deputy or acting clerk. Service shall also mean service as a justice, judge, or magistrate of the General Court of ~~Justice or Justice~~, as a district ~~attorney-attorney~~, or as probation or parole officer."

SECTION 2. This act becomes effective July 1, 2015.

