- 3 Approval by judge. The information, before being filed, 4 shall be presented to some judge of the district court a district judge or district associate judge of the county having jurisdiction of the offense, which judge shall endorse his approval or disapproval thereon. If the information receive the approval of the judge, the same shall be filed. If not approved, the charge shall be presented to the next grand jury for consideration.
- 1 Section seven hundred seventy-four point twelve (774.12), Code 1973, is amended to read as follows:
- 774.12 Transfer of misdemeanors. District judges may transfer any indictable misdemeanors pending before them to the nearest fulltime judicial magistrate or district associate judge within the judicial 6 district.
- 1 SEC. 97. Section seven hundred ninety-three point one (793.1), Code 1973, is amended to read as follows: 2
- 793.1 Office of appeal—who may appeal. The mode of reviewing 3 in the supreme court any judgment, action, or decision of the district 4 court by a magistrate in a criminal case which is an indictable offense 6 is by appeal. Either the defendant or state may appeal.
- This section shall take effect July 1, 1974. Section seven hundred seventy-four point twelve (774.12), Code 1973, is amended 3 by striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
- Transfer of misdemeanors. District judges may, within 4 the judicial district, transfer any indictable misdemeanors pending 5 before them to the nearest district associate judge or judicial magistrate having jurisdiction.
- The provisions of section six hundred two point fifty-one (602.51) of the Code relating to the nomination and appointment of judicial magistrates shall apply to vacancies occurring after July 1, 1973.

Approved June 29, 1973.

CHAPTER 283

JUDGES SALARIES

H. F. 801

AN ACT relating to the salaries of supreme court justices and district court judges and juvenile court officers.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. Section six hundred five point one (605.1), Code 1973, is amended to read as follows:
- 605.1 Salary of judges. The salary of each judge of the district court and the chief judge of each judicial district shall be twenty-one 3 4 thousand dollars per year as fixed by the general assembly. 5
- SEC. 2. Section six hundred eighty-tour Code 1973, is amended to read as follows: Section six hundred eighty-four point seventeen (684.17),
- 3 684.17 Salary. Each judge justice and the chief justice of the

supreme court hereafter elected shall receive a salary of twenty four thousand dollars per year as fixed by the general assembly.

SEC. 3. The salary rates specified in this section shall be in effect for the fiscal biennium commencing July 1, 1973 and ending June 30, 1975. For each fiscal year after the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975, the salary rate shall be the same as the rate specified for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1974 until otherwise provided by the general assembly. Salaries provided for in this section shall be paid from funds appropriated to the office, department, or entity specified in this section, and pursuant to any Act of the general assembly making such an appropriation.

The following annual salary rates shall be paid to the person holding the position indicated from funds appropriated by the general

assembly for such purpose:

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$\frac{13}{14}$		1973-74 Fiscal Year	1974-75 Fiscal Year
15	1. District court judges.		
16	Salary of a chief judge of a judicial district	. \$27,000	\$29,500
17	Salary of a district court judge	\$26,500	\$29,000
18	2. Supreme Court.		
19	Salary of the chief justice	. \$31,000	\$34,000
2 0	Salary of a justice	\$30,000	\$33,000

SEC. 4. Section two hundred thirty-one point eight (231.8), unnumbered paragraphs one (1), two (2) and four (4), Code 1973, are amended to read as follows:

The judge designated as judge of the juvenile court in any county, or where there is more than one judge designated such judges acting jointly, may appoint such probation officers as may be necessary to carry out the work of the court. In counties where more than one officer is appointed one of such officers shall be designated as chief probation officer. The salaries of such officers shall be fixed by the judge or judges making the appointments but in no case shall the salary of a chief probation officer exceed seventy percent of the salary of the district court judge sixteen thousand dollars per year nor shall the salary of a deputy probation officer exceed sixty percent of the salary of such judge fourteen thousand dollars per year.

Probation officers may be appointed to serve two or more counties. The salaries of such officers and their deputies, if any, shall be fixed by the judges of the judicial district who are designated juvenile court judges for such counties and such salaries and the expenses of the probation offices shall be prorated among the counties served in such proportion as may be determined by said judges who shall in making such determination, consider the volume of work in the several counties. Such officers may be paid not to exceed sixty percent of the salary

of a district court judge fourteen thousand dollars per year.

Such secretarial and clerical help as may be needed in the administration of any probation office may be appointed by the judge or judges of the juvenile court who may fix their salaries, subject to the approval of the board of supervisors, at not more than forty percent of the salary of a district court judge nine thousand dollars per year.

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