

Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. PENALTIES. A person violating this Act is guilty of a simple misdemeanor. Each day in which the violation continues is a separate offense.

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**CHAPTER 1234**  
**SENIOR JUDGE PROGRAM**  
*S.F. 407*

**AN ACT** relating to the eligibility for and annuities of the senior judge program.

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

Section 1. Section 602.9208, subsection 3, Code Supplement 1983, is amended to read as follows:

3. A person who relinquishes a senior judgeship in the manner provided in subsection 1 ~~or who is removed as provided in subsection 2~~ shall be paid a retirement annuity in an amount determined according to section 602.9107 in lieu of section 602.9204, commencing that commences on the effective date of the relinquishment ~~or removal~~, and shall be based upon the number of years the person served as a senior judge. A person who serves six or more years as a senior judge shall be paid a retirement annuity that is in an amount equal to the amount of the annuity the person is receiving on the effective date of the relinquishment in lieu of an amount determined according to section 602.9204. If the person serves less than six years as a senior judge, the person shall be paid a retirement annuity that is in an amount equal to an amount determined according to section 602.9107 added to an amount equal to the number of years the person served as a senior judge, divided by six, multiplied by the difference between the amount of the annuity the person is receiving on the effective date of the relinquishment and the amount determined according to section 602.9107. A person who is removed from a senior judgeship as provided in subsection 2 shall be paid a retirement annuity that commences on the effective date of the removal and is in an amount determined according to section 602.9107 in lieu of section 602.9204, and for such purposes any service and annuity of the person as a senior judge is disregarded.

Sec. 2. Section 602.9209, Code Supplement 1983, is amended to read as follows:

**602.9209 SURVIVOR'S ANNUITY.**

1. A survivor of a senior judge, ~~or a retired senior judge, or a person who relinquished a senior judgeship under section 602.9208, subsection 1,~~ shall be paid an annuity in lieu of that specified in section 602.9115, which is equal to one-half the amount of the annuity the senior judge, ~~or retired senior judge, or person who relinquished a senior judgeship~~ was receiving at the time of his ~~or her~~ death, provided the survivor is qualified under section 602.9115 to receive an annuity.

2. A survivor of a person whose name is stricken from the roster of senior judges because of removal from a senior judgeship under section 602.9208, subsection 2, shall be paid an annuity equal to one-half of the amount the person was receiving at the time of his ~~or her~~ death, provided the survivor is qualified under section 602.9115 to receive an annuity.

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