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MEMORANDUM

TO: County Judges, County Executives, Highway Officials and County Officials

FR: James H. Westbrook, Jr., Executive Director

RE: Salary Increases Effective September 1, 1982

The General Assembly recently enacted the County Officials Salary Bill (SB2012/HB1949), subsequently designated Public Chapter 910, which will give those county officials whose salaries are determined by T.C.A. 8-24-102 (maximum salary law) and T.C.A. 8-24-104 (minimum salary law) an across the board seven percent (7%) salary increase effective September 1, 1982.

Enclosed you will find schedules of salary increases for salaries affected by this legislation. The tables show current annual salary, annual salary effective September 1982 and the fiscal year 1982-83 salary for budgetary purposes.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please contact this office or the CTAS field representative in your area.

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Enclosures

County Judges In Office
Prior to September 1, 1978

Minimum Salaries
Provided for by T.C.A. 8-24-112
Fiscal Year 1982-83

<u>County Class</u>	<u>1980 Population</u>	<u>CPI Min. Sal. Eff. 9/1/81</u>	<u>Min. Salary Eff. 9/1/82 @ 7% Inc.</u>	<u>2 Mos. @ 9/1/81 Base</u>	<u>10 Mos. @ 9/1/82 Base</u>	<u>Total Budget Year FY 82-83 Min. Salary</u>
1st	400,000 or more	\$58,711	\$56,036	\$9,785	\$46,697	\$56,482
2nd	150,000 - 400,000	45,047	42,996	7,508	35,830	43,338
3rd	50,000 - 150,000	34,373	32,807	5,729	27,339	33,068
4th	24,500 - 50,000	29,462	28,120	4,910	23,433	28,343
5th	12,000 - 24,500	27,007	25,776	4,501	21,480	25,981
6th	6,000 - 12,000	23,324	22,261	3,887	18,551	22,438
7th	6,000 or less	22,097	21,090	3,683	17,575	21,258

NOTE: These calculations effect only County Judges in office prior to September 1, 1978.

15% Above Justices'

County Executives

Minimum Salaries

Provided for by T.C.A. 8-24-112

Fiscal Year 1982-83

<u>County Class</u>	<u>1980 Population</u>	<u>Base Salary Eff. 9/1/81</u>	<u>Min. Salary Eff. 9/1/82 @ 7% Inc.</u>	<u>2 Mos. @ 9/1/81 Base</u>	<u>10 Mos. @ 9/1/82 Base</u>	<u>Total Budget Year FY 82-83 Min. Salary</u>
1st	400,000 or more	\$52,370	\$56,036	\$8,728	\$46,697	\$55,425
2nd	150,000 - 400,000	40,183	42,996	6,697	35,830	42,527
3rd	50,000 - 150,000	30,661	32,807	5,110	27,339	32,449
4th	24,500 - 50,000	26,280	28,120	4,380	23,433	27,813
5th	12,000 - 24,500	24,090	25,776	4,015	21,480	25,495
6th	6,000 - 12,000	20,805	22,261	3,468	18,551	22,019
7th	6,000 or less	19,710	21,090	3,285	17,575	20,860

County Trustees, Sheriffs, Clerks of Courts
Clerks and Masters of Chancery Courts, Clerks of Probate Courts
Clerks of Circuit Courts, Register of Deeds, Clerks of Criminal Courts
Assessors of Property, and Clerks of General Sessions Courts

Maximum Salaries
Provided for by T.C.A. 8-24-102
Fiscal Year 1982-83

<u>County Class</u>	<u>1980 Population</u>	<u>Base Max. Salary Eff. 9/1/81</u>	<u>Max. Salary Eff. 9/1/82 @ 7% Inc.</u>	<u>2 Mos. @ 9/1/81 Base</u>	<u>10 Mos. @ 9/1/82 Base</u>	<u>Total Budget Year FY 82-83 Max. Salary</u>
1st	400,000 or more	\$45,539	\$48,727	\$7,590	\$40,605	\$48,195
2nd	150,000 - 400,000	34,941	37,387	5,824	31,156	36,980
3rd*	100,000 - 200,000	28,152	30,123	4,692	25,103	29,795
3rd	50,000 - 150,000	26,661	28,527	4,444	23,773	28,217
4th	24,500 - 50,000	22,853	24,453	3,809	20,378	24,187
5th	12,000 - 24,500	20,948	22,414	3,491	18,678	22,169
6th	6,000 - 12,000	18,092	19,358	3,015	16,132	19,147
7th	6,000 or less	17,139	18,339	2,857	15,283	18,140

*Chapter 667, Public Acts of 1974 applies to Sullivan County only (not codified)

Minimum Salaries
Provided for by T.C.A. 8-24-104
Fiscal Year 1982-83

<u>County Class</u>	<u>1980 Population</u>	<u>Base Min. Salary Eff. 9/1/81</u>	<u>Min. Salary Eff. 9/1/82 @ 7% Inc.</u>	<u>2 Mos. @ 9/1/81 Base</u>	<u>10 Mos. @ 9/1/82 Base</u>	<u>Total Budget Year FY 82-83 Min. Salary</u>
a1	600,000 or more	\$20,849	\$22,308	\$3,475	\$18,590	\$22,065
1	400,000 - 600,000	23,979	25,658	3,997	21,382	25,379
2	150,000 - 400,000	23,788	25,453	3,965	21,211	25,176
3	50,000 - 150,000	19,607	20,979	3,268	17,483	20,751
4	24,500 - 50,000	17,048	18,241	2,841	15,201	18,042
5	12,000 - 24,500	15,235	16,301	2,539	13,584	16,123
6	6,000 - 12,000	13,141	14,061	2,190	11,718	13,908
7	5,000 - 6,000	11,923	12,758	1,987	10,632	12,619
8	5,000 or less	11,236	12,023	1,873	10,019	11,892

NOTE: The Minimum Salary of the Assessor of Property is equal to the maximum compensation of the County Trustee. The Assessor and Circuit Court Clerk in certain counties are authorized compensation in addition to the above amount. (Section 8-24-104(b)(1), T.C.A.)

Minimum Salary Schedule
County Highway Officials
 Provided for by T.C.A. 54-7-106
Fiscal Year 1982-83

The county highway official's minimum salary cannot be less than the salary of the county clerk (T.C.A. 54-7-106). The schedules below use the maximum and minimum base salaries of the county clerk to calculate the highway officials minimum salary, which is reflected in the "Total Budget Year" column (T.C.A. 8-24-102 and 8-24-104).

Based On County Clerk Earning Maximum Salary:

County Class	1980 Population	Clerk's Base Salary Eff. 9/1/81	Clerk's Base Salary Eff. 9/1/82 @ 7% Inc.	2 Mos. @ 9/1/81 Base	10 Mos. @ 9/1/82 Base	Total Budget Year FY 82-83 Min. Hwy. Salary
1st	400,000 or more	\$45,539	\$48,727	\$7,590	\$40,605	\$48,195
2nd	150,000 - 400,000	34,941	37,387	5,824	31,156	36,980
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5th	12,000 - 24,500	20,948	22,414	3,491	18,678	22,169
6th	6,000 - 12,000	18,092	19,358	3,015	16,132	19,147
7th	6,000 or less	17,139	18,339	2,857	15,283	18,140

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Based on County Clerk Earning Minimum Salary:

County Class	1980 Population	Clerk's Base Salary Eff. 9/1/81	Clerk's Base Salary Eff. 9/1/82 @ 7% Inc.	2 Mos. @ 9/1/81 Base	10 Mos. @ 9/1/82 Base	Total Budget Year FY 82-83 Min. Hwy. Salary
a1	600,000 or more	\$20,849	\$22,308	\$3,475	\$18,590	\$22,065
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7	5,000 - 6,000	11,923	12,758	1,987	10,632	12,619
8	5,000 or less	11,236	12,023	1,873	10,019	11,892

NOTE: If the county clerk in your county draws compensation between the minimum and maximum rates, you should contact the clerk to determine what your minimum salary should be effective September 1, 1982.

