## GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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## HOUSE BILL 1263

| Short Title: Superior Court Longevity Pay.  Sponsors: Representatives Culpepper; G. Miller, Wainwright and Rogers. | (Public) |
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## May 21, 1996

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN ADDITIONAL LONGEVITY PAY STEP FOR SUPERIOR COURT JUDGES.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

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Section 1. G.S. 7A-44(b) reads as rewritten:

"(b) In lieu of merit and other increment raises paid to regular State employees, a judge of the superior court, regular or special, shall receive as longevity pay an annual amount equal to four and eight-tenths percent (4.8%) of the annual salary set forth in the Current Operations Appropriations Act 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, and nineteen and two-tenths percent (19.2%) after 20 years of service. service, and twenty-four percent (24%) after 25 years of service. 'Service' means service as a justice or judge of the General Court of Justice or as a member of the Utilities Commission or as director or assistant director of the Administrative Office of the Courts. Service shall also mean service as a district attorney or as a clerk of superior court."

Sec. 2. This act is effective upon ratification.