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SENATE BILL 1528

Short Title: Wildlife Comm. Director/Salary.

(Public)

Sponsors: Senator Martin of Pitt.

Referred to: Appropriations.

June 1, 1998

1	A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
2	AN ACT TO ADJUST THE SALARY OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE
3	WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION.
4	The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:
5	Section 1. G.S. 143-246 reads as rewritten:
6	"§ 143-246. Executive Director; appointment, qualifications and duties.
7	The North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission as soon as practicable after its
8	organization shall select and appoint a competent person qualified as hereinafter set forth
9	as Executive Director of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission. The
10	Executive Director shall be charged with the supervision of all activities under the
11	jurisdiction of the Commission and shall serve as the chief administrative officer of the
12	said Commission. Subject to the approval of the Commission and the Director of the
13	Budget, he is hereby authorized to employ such clerical and other assistants as may be
14	deemed necessary. The person selected as Executive Director shall have had training and
15	experience in conservation, protection and management of wildlife resources. The salary
16	of such Director shall be fixed by the General Assembly in the Current Operations
17	Appropriations Act, and said Wildlife Resources Commission, in an amount at least equal
18	to the salary of the Director of the Division of Marine Fisheries. The Director shall be
19	allowed actual expenses incurred while on official duties away from resident
20	headquarters; said headquarters. The salary and expenses to of the Director shall be paid

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1	from the Wildlife Resources Fund subject to the provisions of the Executive Budget Act.		
2	The term of office of the Executive Director shall be at the pleasure of the Commission.		
3	Such bond shall be made as part of the blanket bond of State officers and employees		
4	provided for in G.S. 128-8."		
5	Section 2. Section 33.2 of S.L. 1997-443 reads as rewritten:		
6	"Section 33.2. The annual salaries, payable monthly, for the 1997-98 and 1998-99		
7	fiscal years, beginning July 1, 1997, for the following executive branch officials are:		
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9	Executive Branch Officials	<u>Annual Salary</u>	
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11	Chairman, Alcoholic Beverage Control		
12	Commission	\$ 84,080	
13	State Controller	117,669	
14	Commissioner of Motor Vehicles	84,080	
15	Commissioner of Banks	94,552	
16	Chairman, Employment Security Commission	117,520	
17	State Personnel Director	92,378	
18	Chairman, Parole Commission	76,775	
19	Members of the Parole Commission	70,881	
20	Chairman of the Utilities Commission	95,592	
21	Commissioners of the Utilities Commission	94,552	
22	Executive Director, Agency for Public		
23	Telecommunications	70,881	
24	General Manager, Ports Railway Commission	64,005	
25	Director, Museum of Art	86,155	
26	Executive Director, Wildlife Resources Commission	72,569	
27	Executive Director, North Carolina Housing		
28	Finance Agency	104,057	
29	Executive Director, North Carolina Agricultural		
30	Finance Authority	81,839	
31	Director, Office of Administrative Hearings	83,141."	
32	Section 3. This act becomes effective July 1, 1998.		