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# Circuit Court

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# Circuit Court

## Baliff

### Private Acts of 1941 Chapter 350

**SECTION 1.** That the Judge of the Circuit Court in all Counties of the State having a population of not less than 32,718, nor more than 32,720, according to the Federal Census of 1940, and/or any subsequent Federal Census, shall be authorized to appoint some suitable person as Bailiff or Court Officer to attend and wait upon the Circuit Court of said County and the Jurors at all regular and special terms of said Court.

**SECTION 2.** That the said Bailiff or Court Officer shall serve at the will and under the direction of the Circuit Judge as to all of his duties and shall receive as compensation for his services such amount as shall be determined by the Quarterly County Court for each day he waits upon the Court during a regular or special term thereof, which compensation shall be paid out of the Treasury of the County in which he serves upon the warrant of the person authorized to disburse County funds, and such payment to be made at the end of each regular or special term during which said officer serves.

As amended by: Private Acts of 1943, Chapter 232,  
Private Acts of 1965, Chapter 8.

**SECTION 3.** That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 4.** That this Act shall take effect from and after its passage, the public welfare requiring it.  
Passed: February 13, 1941.

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