

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

2023 REGULAR SESSION

Introduced

Senate Bill 177

By Senator Trump and Woelfel

[Introduced January 13, 2023; referred
to the Committee on Health and Human Resources;
and then to the Committee on Finance]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact §48-19-105 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended,
 2 relating to increasing minimum salaries for Bureau for Child Support Enforcement
 3 attorneys.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 19. BUREAU FOR CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT ATTORNEY.

§48-19-105. Compensation; expenses.

1 The salary of a Bureau for Child Support enforcement attorney shall be not less than
 2 ~~\$45,000~~ \$75,000 per year, and shall be fixed by the commissioner, who shall take into
 3 consideration ability, performance of duty and experience. The compensation and expenses of the
 4 employees of the office and all operating expenses incurred by the office shall be fixed by the
 5 commissioner and paid by the Bureau for Child Support enforcement.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to increase minimum salaries for Bureau for Child Support Enforcement attorneys from \$45,000 to \$75,000 per year.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.