

Prior law provided for a minimum number of assistant district attorneys in each judicial district and in the parish of Orleans, and further provides for a fixed total salary amount per assistant district attorney which the state treasurer may pay upon the warrant of each assistant district attorney.

Prior law provided that, notwithstanding the minimum number of assistant district attorneys permitted under prior law in Orleans Parish and in the 19th Judicial District, the district attorney for the parish of Orleans and the 19th Judicial District may reallocate by combining or dividing the fixed total amount of annual salary permitted to be paid to all assistant district attorneys in that jurisdiction in any lawful manner the district attorney deems appropriate. Prior law further provided that the district attorney in Orleans Parish and the 19th Judicial District shall certify to the state treasurer the amount of annual salary payable upon warrant for each of his assistant district attorneys.

New law provides that, in addition to the parish of Orleans and the 19th Judicial District, the 23rd Judicial District may also be permitted to reallocate by combining or dividing the fixed total amount of annual salary permitted to be paid to all assistant district attorneys in the 23rd Judicial District in any lawful manner the district attorney deems appropriate.

Prior law provided for the classification of the offices, duties and salaries of the first, second, third, fourth and fifth assistant district attorneys in the 23rd Judicial District.

New law repeals prior law.

Effective August 1, 2014.

(Amends R.S. 16:11(A)(2); repeals R.S. 16:513)