

Amendment to Administrative Directive No. 19

Supreme Court May Term, 2011

COMPENSATION POLICY FOR JURORS, COURT OFFICERS, BOARD MEMBERS AND ACTING AND RETIRED JUDICIAL OFFICERS

Pursuant to Chapter II, Section 30 of the Vermont Constitution and 4 V.S.A. § 25(b), Administrative Directive No. 19 is amended to read as follows effective June 1, 2011(deleted matter overstruck; new matter underlined):

1. Juror Per Diem (pursuant to 32 V.S.A. § 1511)

Persons called to serve on grand and petit juries in the <u>civil and criminal</u> <u>divisions of the</u> superior and district courts shall be compensated for attendance at a rate of \$5.00 per hour on the basis of a six hour juror court day. No <u>A</u> juror shall receive less than \$15.00 for up to four hours of service or nor more than \$30.00 for one day's more than four hours of service.

Jurors shall be compensated for hours outside of the courthouse for meals or other purposes if the judge orders that they be sequestered or supervised while outside of the courthouse.

2. Board Member Per Diem (pursuant to 32 V.S.A. § 1010)

Persons who serve on boards and committees established by the Supreme Court who are eligible for compensation shall be compensated at a rate of \$6.25 per hour for travel and meeting time. No person shall receive more than \$50.00 for one day's service.

3. Judicial Officer Per Diem (pursuant to 4 V.S.A. §§ 23 and 75)

Judges and Justices who have retired or otherwise vacated their office who serve as judicial officers pursuant to §§ 22 and 75 of Title 4 shall be compensated on an hourly basis. Acting Judges who serve as judicial officers pursuant to § 22(b) of Title 4 shall be compensated for the total time worked in a day at an hourly rate

provided that no acting judge shall receive less than four hours of pay for any day of service. No person shall receive more than the maximum per diem authorized by law.

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