

# Ordinance No. 1257

**AN ORDINANCE to amend Article VIII of Chapter 2 of The Code of the City of ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA, 1963, as amended, by adding thereto a new section numbered 2-105; which Chapter 2 relates to ADMINISTRATION, which Article VIII relates to PERSONNEL, and which new section numbered 2-105 relates to and provides for a RETIREMENT PLAN FOR JUDGES OF THE CORPORATION AND CIRCUIT COURTS OF THE CITY.**

THE CITY COUNCIL OF ALEXANDRIA HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Article VIII of Chapter 2 of The Code of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, 1963, as amended, be and the same hereby is amended by adding thereto a new section numbered 2-105 to read as follows:

**Sec. 2-105. Retirement plan—Judges of the Corporation and Circuit Courts of the City.**

Notwithstanding any of the provisions of Article VIII, the following provisions shall apply to Judges of the Corporation and Circuit Courts of the City:

A. Any Judge of the Corporation or Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria who retires pursuant to the provisions of Title 51 of the Code of Virginia as now in force or hereafter amended, shall, after the effective date of his retirement as defined in said Title 51, and for as long as he may live, be paid out of the general funds of the City, as annual compensation, an amount equal to that percentage of City supplemental salary that is now or may hereafter be provided for in said Title 51, dependent upon the manner of his retirement. The amount paid shall be calculated upon the annual City supplement budgeted to be paid such Judge by the City during the City fiscal year in which the effective date of retirement takes place. The payments shall be made in equal monthly installments.

B. In the event any Judge of the Corporation or Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria retires on account of age or disability and elects, in the manner now or hereafter provided for in Title 51 of the Code of Virginia, to receive a State last-survivor annuity as now or hereafter defined and provided for in Title 51, the equivalent of such annuity or annuities shall be paid out of the general funds of the City, in lieu of the retirement salary provided for in paragraph A above, to such Judge and his surviving widow in an amount that bears the same relationship to the City supplemental salary as the State annuity or annuities bear to the basic annual salary paid him by the State at the time of election to receive a last-survivor annuity. The calculation of this equivalent by the City shall otherwise be made in the same manner as the State calculates its annuity under Title

51 as now in force or hereafter amended. The equivalent shall be paid in the same manner as the retirement salary provided for in paragraph A above.

C. Any Judge of the Corporation or Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria who dies in office at a time when he could have retired under the provisions of Title 51 of the Code of Virginia as now in force or hereafter amended, and who has not retired and who, under the terms of Title 51 as now in force or hereafter amended, shall be deemed to have elected to receive a last-survivor annuity as provided for in Title 51 as now in force or hereafter amended, shall likewise be deemed to have qualified with his surviving widow to receive the equivalent of a last-survivor annuity from the City under paragraph B above, payment of which shall be made as provided for in paragraph B.

Section 2. That this ordinance shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the City not later than five days following its introduction together with a notice containing the time and place for a public hearing. The Clerk of the Council shall note the date of introduction and first reading, the date of publication, the date of the public hearing, and the date of the second reading and final passage in the minutes of the meeting. This ordinance shall become effective the date of its final passage.

**FRANK E. MANN**  
Mayor

**Final Passage: March 10, 1964**