

Interparliamentary Affairs and the Director of the Office of Emergency Planning, Preparedness, and Operations is \$160,600.

(b) Subject to the approval of the Speaker, the Clerk, the Sergeant-at-Arms, the General Counsel to the House, the Law Revision Counsel and the Director of the Office of Emergency Planning, Preparedness, and Operations may establish the pay for the Deputy Clerk, the Deputy Sergeant-at-Arms, the Deputy General Counsel, the Deputy Director of the Office of Emergency Planning, Preparedness, and Operations and, notwithstanding section 2(b)(2), the Deputy Law Revision Counsel, respectively, at a maximum annual rate of \$158,976.

PAY FOR CERTAIN OTHER POSITIONS

SEC. 2. (a) Subject to the maximums under subsection (b), the following Members, officers, and employees are authorized to establish annual rates of pay for their respective employees:

- (1) The Speaker.
- (2) The majority and minority leaders, including with respect to the majority leader, for the Republican employee under subsection (b)(1)(B)(i).
- (3) The majority and minority whips.
- (4) The chief deputy majority and minority whips.
- (5) The Chairman of the Republican Steering Committee and the Chairman of the Republican Conference, other than for the Republican employee referred to in paragraph (2).
- (6) The Chairman of the Democratic Steering and Policy Committee and the Chairman of the Democratic Caucus.
- (7) The Parliamentarian, subject to the approval of the Speaker.
- (8) The Legislative Counsel, subject to the approval of the Speaker.
- (9) The Law Revision Counsel, subject to the approval of the Speaker.

(b)(1) The maximum annual rate under subsection (a) is \$160,600 for—

(A) any employee whose maximum annual rate of pay, but for the pay authority of the Speaker under section 311(d) of the Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, 1988 (2 U.S.C. 60a-2a), would be subject to a maximum equal to the rate payable for level III or IV of the Executive Schedule; and

(B)(i) one employee of the Republican Conference and one employee of the Democratic Steering and Policy Committee, (ii) any employee in a position under 77 Stat. 817, (iii) 6 minority employees, (iv) the employee in the position in the Office of the Speaker created in 1967, (v) 3 employees in the Speaker's Office for Legislative Floor Activities, and (vi) 3 further minority employees.

(2) The maximum annual rate under subsection (a) is \$156,848 for any employee whose maximum annual rate of pay, but for the pay authority of the Speaker referred to in paragraph (1), would be subject to a maximum equal to the rate payable for level V of the Executive Schedule.

PAY FOR EMPLOYEES OF COMMITTEES

SEC. 3. (a) Except as provided in subsection (b), the chairman of a standing, special, or select committee of the House or of a joint committee of Congress, if applicable, may establish the pay for employees of the committee at a maximum annual rate of \$156,848.

(b)(1) Each chairman may establish the pay for 3 employees at a maximum annual rate of \$160,600, with one such employee to be designated by the ranking minority party member.

(2) Each chairman may establish the pay for 9 employees at a maximum annual rate of \$158,976, with 3 such employees to be designated by the ranking minority party member, except that the Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations may so establish pay for 24 employees, with 7 such employees to be designated by the ranking minority party member.

PAY FOR EMPLOYEES OF MEMBERS

SEC. 4. Each Member of the House may establish the pay for employees in the office of the Member at a maximum annual rate of \$156,848.

MISCELLANEOUS PAY PROVISIONS

SEC. 5. (a) Subject to the approval of the Speaker, the Clerk may establish the pay for 3 employees at a maximum annual rate of \$156,848.

(b) Subject to the approval of the Speaker, the Sergeant-at-Arms may establish the pay—

(1) for 2 employees at a maximum annual rate of \$156,848; and

(2) for 2 employees at a maximum annual rate equal to 75 percent of the maximum under paragraph (1).

(c) Subject to the approval of the Speaker, the Chief Administrative Officer may establish the pay—

(1) for 2 employees at a maximum annual rate of \$156,848; and

(2) for 3 employees at a maximum annual rate of \$158,976.

GENERAL LIMITATION

SEC. 6. The maximum annual rate of pay is \$156,848 for any employee whose pay is disbursed by the Chief Administrative Officer and is not otherwise provided for in this Order or otherwise limited by law, rule, or regulation.

SHARED EMPLOYEES

SEC. 7. An employee who, under applicable rules and regulations, is paid from 2 or more House sources may receive pay totaling the highest limitation applicable to any of the positions the employee occupies.

EFFECTIVE DATE

SEC. 8. The provisions of this Order shall take effect on January 1, 2005.

J. DENNIS HASTERT
Speaker

Prior Orders of the Speaker of the House of Representatives were issued on the following dates:

- Feb. 3, 2004, eff. Jan. 1, 2004.
- Jan. 3, 2004, eff. Jan. 1, 2004.
- Jan. 9, 2003, eff. Jan. 1, 2003.
- Jan. 5, 2002, eff. Jan. 1, 2002.
- Jan. 5, 2001, eff. Jan. 1, 2001.
- Jan. 5, 2000, eff. Jan. 1, 2000.
- Feb. 3, 1999, eff. Feb. 1, 1999.
- Jan. 24, 1997, eff. Feb. 1, 1997.
- Jan. 17, 1995, eff. Jan. 4, 1995.
- May 11, 1993, eff. May 1, 1993, as amended.
- Feb. 27, 1992, eff. Jan. 1, 1992.
- Jan. 28, 1991, eff. Jan. 1, 1991.
- Feb. 8, 1990, eff. Feb. 1, 1990.
- Jan. 20, 1988, eff. Jan. 1, 1988.

§§ 60b, 60c. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Section 60b, acts June 20, 1929, ch. 33, §2, 46 Stat. 38; July 25, 1939, ch. 352, §3, 53 Stat. 1080, which provided that clerk hire should be at rate of \$6,500 per annum and limited individual salaries to \$3,900 per annum, was superseded by former section 60g of this title.

Section 60c, R.S. §55, related to payment of salaries of chaplains.

§ 60c-1. Vice President, Senators, officers, and employees paid by Secretary of Senate; payment of salary; advance payment

The compensation of the Vice President, Senators, and officers and employees, whose compensation is disbursed by the Secretary of the Senate, shall be payable on the fifth day of the month following the month in which such compensation accrued, except that—