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67-22-1 Compensation -- Constitutional offices.

- (1)
- (a) Beginning on June 28, 2008, and ending on December 31, 2016, the Legislature fixes salaries for the constitutional offices as follows:
 - (i) governor: \$109,900;
 - (ii) lieutenant governor: 95% of the governor's salary;
 - (iii) attorney general: 95% of the governor's salary;
 - (iv) state auditor: 95% of the governor's salary; and
 - (v) state treasurer: 95% of the governor's salary.
 - (b)
 - (i) Subject to Subsection (1)(b)(iii), beginning on January 1, 2017, the salary for the governor shall be set annually by the Legislature in an appropriations act.
 - (ii) Beginning on January 1, 2017, constitutional office salaries shall be based on the following percentages of the salary of the governor:
 - (A) lieutenant governor: 90% of the governor's salary;
 - (B) attorney general: 95% of the governor's salary;
 - (C) state auditor: 90% of the governor's salary; and
 - (D) state treasurer: 90% of the governor's salary.
 - (iii) Beginning on January 1, 2017, until the Legislature sets the salary of the governor in an appropriations act, the governor's salary is \$150,000 per year.
- (2) The Legislature fixes benefits for the constitutional offices as follows:
- (a) governor:
 - (i) a vehicle for official and personal use;
 - (ii) housing;
 - (iii) household and security staff;
 - (iv) household expenses;
 - (v) retirement benefits as provided in Title 49, Utah State Retirement and Insurance Benefit Act;
 - (vi) health insurance;
 - (vii) dental insurance;
 - (viii) basic life insurance;
 - (ix) workers' compensation;
 - (x) required employer contribution to Social Security;
 - (xi) long-term disability income insurance; and
 - (xii) the same additional state paid life insurance available to other noncareer service employees; and
 - (b) lieutenant governor, attorney general, state auditor, and state treasurer:
 - (i) a vehicle for official and personal use;
 - (ii) the option of participating in a:
 - (A) state retirement system in accordance with Title 49, Utah State Retirement and Insurance Benefit Act:
 - (I) Chapter 12, Public Employees' Contributory Retirement Act;
 - (II) Chapter 13, Public Employees' Noncontributory Retirement Act; or
 - (III) Chapter 22, New Public Employees' Tier II Contributory Retirement Act; or
 - (B) deferred compensation plan administered by the State Retirement Office, in accordance with the Internal Revenue Code and its accompanying rules and regulations;
 - (iii) health insurance;
 - (iv) dental insurance;

- (v) basic life insurance;
 - (vi) workers' compensation;
 - (vii) required employer contribution to Social Security;
 - (viii) long-term disability income insurance; and
 - (ix) the same additional state paid life insurance available to other noncareer service employees.
- (3) Each constitutional office shall pay the cost of the additional state-paid life insurance for its constitutional officer from its existing budget.

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