

conferred herein is located; ~~and any such provision heretofore made is hereby ratified and confirmed.~~ *provided, however, that such supplementation of pensions as is provided by the local political subdivision or subdivisions for judges who retired or became disabled prior to July 1, 1967 may continue to be paid.*

*(i) The pension specified in subsections (a), (b) and (c) shall be paid by the State in full amount to all judges of such courts who receive no supplementation of pension from a political subdivision or subdivisions. The pension specified in subsections (a), (b) and (c) shall be paid by the State in reduced amounts to all judges of such courts who retired or became disabled on or after July 1, 1967 and who receive supplementation of pension from a political subdivision or subdivisions. In such event, the judge or judges shall be paid annually by the State an amount computed by subtracting from the sum specified in subsections (a), (b) and (c), a sum equal to the annual supplementation.*

#### 50. Pensions of widows of judges.

*(a) The widow of every elected judge who dies in active service shall be paid by the State one half of the pension ~~for salary~~ to which such judge would have been entitled on the date of his death if he had been eligible for retirement and had retired on said date irrespective of whether he shall have attained the age of 60 at the date of his death.*

*(b) The widow of every elected judge who dies after retiring OR AFTER RESIGNING HIS POSITION BECAUSE OF INCAPACITATING ILLNESS shall be paid by the State one half of the pension ~~for salary~~ which such judge was receiving at the date of his death.*

*(c) The widow of every elected judge who dies after his active service is terminated, if he was at least 60 years of age at the time of his death, shall be paid by the State one half of the pension ~~for salary~~ to which such judge would have been entitled on the date of his death if he had elected to receive said pension ~~for salary~~ immediately after termination of his active service.*

*(d) In order to be entitled to the pension ~~for salary~~ provided by this section, a widow of a judge who dies during active service shall have been married to him for a period of not less than three years prior to his death, and, in the case of the death of a retired judge, not less than three years before his retirement. A widow who is entitled to a pension ~~for salary~~ under the provisions of this section shall be paid by the State for the period of her life unless she remarries, in which event the pension ~~for salary~~ is to cease and terminate.*

*(e) ~~The provisions of this section shall apply to the widows, who have not remarried and who are otherwise qualified as provided herein, of elected judges and retired elected judges who died before June 1, 1955. In determining the amount which any widow is entitled to be paid after July 1, 1962, the pension of the deceased judge shall be calculated at the rates prescribed by Section 49 of Article 26 as of that date, notwithstanding that such judge may have died prior thereto.~~ Provided, however, that any widows, qualified under subsection (d), who became entitled to benefits under subsections (a),*