

EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN §2-602, THE CLERICAL, ADMINISTRATIVE, AND CONSTABULAR EMPLOYEES OF THE DISTRICT COURT SHALL BE APPOINTED BY THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE FOR THE DISTRICT AND SHALL BE IN THE STATE SERVICE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: Subsection (a) presently appears as the first sentence of Art. 26, §149(a). The only changes made are in style.

Subsection (b) is new language derived from the last two sentences of Art. 26, §149(b). The remainder of §149(b) is obsolete and is proposed for repeal.

#### SEC. 2-602. APPOINTMENT OF OFFICERS.

##### (A) CHIEF CLERK.

THE CHIEF CLERK IS APPOINTED BY AND SERVES AT THE PLEASURE OF THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT.

##### (B) CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE CLERK.

A CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE CLERK IS APPOINTED BY THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT, UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT AND SERVES AT THE PLEASURE OF THE CHIEF JUDGE OF THE DISTRICT COURT.

##### (C) TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT.

THE CHIEF CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT AND THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE CLERKS OF THE DISTRICTS SHALL BE IN THE STATE SERVICE BUT NOT IN THE CLASSIFIED SERVICE, AND SHALL RECEIVE THE COMPENSATION PRESCRIBED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 26, §149(a). Subsection (a) presently appears as the second sentence of Art. 26, §149(a). Subsection (b) presently appears as the third sentence of Art. 26, §149(a). Subsection (c) presently appears as the fourth sentence of Art. 26, §149(a). The first sentence of Art. 26, §149(a) appears in §2-601. The only other changes made are in style.

#### SEC. 2-603. DUTIES OF OFFICERS.