

(I) SHALL SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE STATE'S ATTORNEY;

(II) SHALL PERFORM WORK AS DIRECTED BY THE STATE'S ATTORNEY OR AS AUTHORIZED BY LAW; AND

(III) MAY PRESENT CASES TO THE GRAND JURY, SIGN INDICTMENTS AND CRIMINAL INFORMATIONS, AND PERFORM OTHER FUNCTIONS NECESSARY TO OPERATE THE OFFICE.

(D) OTHER STAFF.

(1) THE STATE'S ATTORNEY MAY APPOINT CLERICAL, ADMINISTRATIVE, INVESTIGATIVE, AND OTHER STAFF THAT THE STATE'S ATTORNEY CONSIDERS NECESSARY FOR THE PROPER CONDUCT OF THE OFFICE.

(2) SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, THE STATE'S ATTORNEY SHALL SET THE SALARIES FOR THE EMPLOYEES APPOINTED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION.

(3) AN EMPLOYEE APPOINTED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION IS ENTITLED TO THE SAME BENEFITS AS A COUNTY EMPLOYEE.

(E) RESTRICTION ON PRACTICE.

(1) THE STATE'S ATTORNEY:

(I) SHALL SERVE FULL TIME; AND

(II) EXCEPT IN CONNECTION WITH PERFORMING THE DUTIES OF THE OFFICE, MAY NOT:

1. APPEAR AS COUNSEL OR REPRESENT ANY PARTY BEFORE A COURT OR UNIT OF THE STATE OR A POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE; OR

2. OTHERWISE ENGAGE IN THE PRIVATE PRACTICE OF LAW.

(2) A DEPUTY STATE'S ATTORNEY SHALL SERVE FULL TIME AND MAY NOT ENGAGE IN THE PRIVATE PRACTICE OF LAW.