



104TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2025 and 2026

HB5535

Introduced 2/13/2026, by Rep. Amy Elik

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

70 ILCS 605/4-13

from Ch. 42, par. 4-13

Amends the Illinois Drainage Code. Provides that each commissioner of a drainage district shall receive for the commissioner's services either (i) a sum not to exceed \$30 per day for each day the commissioner is actually engaged in the business of the commissioner's office or (ii) a fixed monthly payment in an amount that is set by the county board and that does not exceed \$30 multiplied by the number of business days in the applicable month (rather than a sum not to exceed \$30 per day for each day the commissioner is actually engaged in the business of the commissioner's office).

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1 AN ACT concerning local government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Drainage Code is amended by
5 changing Section 4-13 as follows:

6 (70 ILCS 605/4-13) (from Ch. 42, par. 4-13)

7 Sec. 4-13. Pay of commissioners.

8 (a) Each commissioner shall receive for the commissioner's
9 his services either (i) a sum not to exceed \$30 per day for
10 each day the commissioner he is actually engaged in the
11 business of the commissioner's his office or (ii) a fixed
12 monthly payment in an amount that is set by the county board
13 and that does not exceed \$30 multiplied by the number of
14 business days in the applicable month. In addition, the
15 commissioner, and he shall be reimbursed for the
16 commissioner's his necessary traveling and other expenses
17 incurred in the performance of the commissioner's his duties.
18 Each commissioner shall present to the court an itemized
19 account, under oath, of his claim for services and expenses,
20 which shall be audited by the court and certified by it to the
21 treasurer of the district for payment.

22 (b) The changes this amendatory Act of the 104th General
23 Assembly makes to the compensation of commissioners only apply

1 to commissioners that begin their terms after the effective
2 date this amendatory Act of the 104th General Assembly.

3 (Source: P.A. 86-1266.)