HB 807 -- COURT CLERKS

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This bill authorizes circuit clerks to have general administrative authority over judicial personnel including deputy circuit clerks, division clerks, and other court personnel. The circuit clerk may appoint and remove deputy clerks and division clerks and establish salaries for such positions based upon salary ranges established by Missouri Supreme Court Administrative Rules. The assignment of clerks to particular judges and specified record keeping functions will also be under the purview of the circuit clerk.

The bill repeals various provisions authorizing the presiding judge or the entire circuit court to regulate court clerks and associated functions.

This bill is the same as SB 366 (2021).