# Ohio Revised Code 

## Section 124.152 Exempt employee salary schedules.

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Legislation: House Bill 390
(A)(1) Except as provided in divisions (A)(2) and (3) of this section, each exempt employee shall be paid a salary or wage in accordance with schedule E-1 or schedule E-2 of division (B) of this section.
(2) Each exempt employee who holds a position in the unclassified civil service pursuant to division (A)(26) or (30) of section 124.11 of the Revised Code may be paid a salary or wage in accordance with schedule E-1, schedule E-1 for step eight only, or schedule E-2 of division (B) or (C) of this section, as applicable.
(3)(a) Except as provided in division (A)(3)(b), (c), or (e) of this section, each exempt employee who was paid a salary or wage at step 7 in the employee's pay range on June 28,2003 , in accordance with the applicable schedule E-1 of former section 124.152 of the Revised Code and who continued to be so paid on June 29,2003 , shall be paid a salary or wage in the corresponding pay range in schedule E-1 for step eight only of division (C) of this section for as long as the employee remains in the position the employee held as of July 1, 2003. Such an employee is not eligible to be paid a salary or wage at step 7 in schedule E-1 for as long as the employee remains in the position the employee held as of July 1, 2003.
(b) If an exempt employee who is being paid a salary or wage in accordance with schedule E-1 for step eight only of division (C) of this section moves to another position, the employee shall not receive a salary or wage for that position or any other position in the future in accordance with that schedule.
(c) Each exempt employee who is being paid a salary or wage in pay range 12 through 16 of schedule E-1 for step eight only of division (C) of this section shall be paid a salary or wage in the corresponding pay range in schedule E-1 of division (B) of this section as follows:
(i) If the employee has maintained satisfactory performance in accordance with the criteria
established by the employee's appointing authority within the twelve-month period immediately before July 1, 2016, at step 8 beginning on the first day of the pay period that includes July 1, 2016;
(ii) If the employee has not maintained satisfactory performance in accordance with the criteria established by the employee's appointing authority within the twelve-month period immediately before July 1, 2016, but attains satisfactory performance in accordance with the criteria before July 1,2017 , at step 8 beginning on the first day of the pay period that follows the date the employee attains satisfactory performance;
(iii) If the employee does not attain satisfactory performance in accordance with the criteria established by the employee's appointing authority before July 1, 2017, at the employee's base rate of pay as of the pay period immediately before the pay period that includes July 1, 2017, beginning on the first day of the pay period that includes July 1, 2017.
(d) If an employee described in division (A)(3)(c)(iii) of this section attains satisfactory performance in accordance with the criteria established by the employee's appointing authority, the employee shall be paid a salary or wage at step 8 in the corresponding pay range in schedule $\mathrm{E}-1$ of division (B) of this section beginning on the first day of the pay period that follows the date the employee attains satisfactory performance.
(e) Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, each exempt employee who is being paid a salary or wage in range 17 or 18 of schedule E-1 for step eight only of division (C) of this section on the first day of the pay period that includes July 1, 2016, shall not receive an increase in salary or wage until the maximum rate of pay for step 6 of the employee's corresponding pay range in schedule E-1 of division (B) of this section exceeds the employee's base rate of pay as of July 1, 2016.
(f) An employee who becomes eligible to receive an increase in salary or wage under division (A)(3)(e) of this section shall be paid a salary or wage in step 6 of the employee's corresponding pay range in schedule $\mathrm{E}-1$ of division (B) of this section.
(B)(1) Beginning on the first day of the pay period that includes July 1, 2015, each exempt employee who must be paid in accordance with schedule E-1 or schedule E-2 of this section shall be paid a salary or wage in accordance with the following schedule of rates:

Schedule E-1

| A | Pay Ranges and Step Values |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Step 1 | Step 2 | Step 3 | Step 4 | Step 5 | Step 6 | Step 7 |
| Range |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| 1 | Hourly | 10.32 | 10.78 | 11.24 | 11.73 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Annually | 21466 | 22422 | 23379 | 24398 |  |  |  |
| 2 | Hourly | 12.52 | 13.05 | 13.61 | 14.21 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 26042 | 27144 | 28309 | 29557 |  |  |  |
| 3 | Hourly | 13.11 | 13.70 | 14.31 | 14.93 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 27269 | 28496 | 29765 | 31054 |  |  |  |
| 4 | Hourly | 13.77 | 14.38 | 15.07 | 15.74 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 28642 | 28642 | 31346 | 32739 |  |  |  |
| 5 | Hourly | 14.44 | 15.10 | 15.74 | 16.43 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 30035 | 31408 | 32739 | 34174 |  |  |  |
| 6 | Hourly | 15.22 | 15.85 | 16.55 | 17.23 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 31658 | 32968 | 34424 | 35838 |  |  |  |
| 7 | Hourly | 16.16 | 16.76 | 17.45 | 18.06 | 18.76 |  |  |
|  | Annually | 33613 | 34861 | 36296 | 37565 | 39021 |  |  |
| 8 | Hourly | 17.08 | 17.84 | 18.60 | 19.44 | 20.37 |  |  |
|  | Annually | 35526 | 37107 | 38688 | 40435 | 42370 |  |  |
| 9 | Hourly | 18.22 | 19.17 | 20.11 | 21.12 | 22.19 |  |  |
|  | Annually | 37898 | 39874 | 41829 | 43930 | 46155 |  |  |
| 10 | Hourly | 19.67 | 20.74 | 21.85 | 23.11 | 24.35 |  |  |
|  | Annually | 40914 | 43139 | 45448 | 48069 | 50648 |  |  |
| 11 | Hourly | 21.41 | 22.66 | 23.97 | 25.33 | 26.76 |  |  |
|  | Annually | 44533 | 47133 | 49858 | 52686 | 55661 |  |  |
| 12 | Hourly | 23.62 | 24.95 | 26.29 | 27.75 | 29.29 | 30.88 | 33.66 |
|  | Annually | 49130 | 51896 | 54683 | 57720 | 60923 | 64230 | 70013 |
| 13 | Hourly | 26.04 | 27.47 | 28.98 | 30.52 | 32.24 | 33.99 | 37.04 |


|  | Annually | 54163 | 57138 | 60278 | 63482 | 67059 | 70699 | 77043 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 14 | Hourly | 28.63 | 28.63 | 31.88 | 33.62 | 35.52 | 37.50 | 40.88 |
|  | Annually | 59550 | 62920 | 66310 | 69930 | 73882 | 78000 | 85030 |
| 15 | Hourly | 31.45 | 33.22 | 35.10 | 37.02 | 39.08 | 41.23 | 44.94 |
|  | Annually | 65416 | 69098 | 73008 | 77002 | 81286 | 85758 | 93475 |
| 16 | Hourly | 34.68 | 36.60 | 38.61 | 40.78 | 43.03 | 45.49 | 49.58 |
|  | Annually | 72134 | 76128 | 80309 | 84822 | 89502 | 94619 | 103126 |
| 17 | Hourly | 38.21 | 40.32 | 42.58 | 44.93 | 47.43 | 50.08 |  |
|  | Annually | 79477 | 83866 | 88566 | 93454 | 98654 | 104166 |  |
| 18 | Hourly | 42.11 | 44.44 | 46.95 | 49.52 | 52.26 | 55.19 |  |
|  | Annually | 87589 | 92435 | 97656 | 103002 | 108701 | 114795 |  |

An employee who is being paid a salary or wage at step 6 on July 1, 2015, is eligible to move to step 7 beginning on the first day of the pay period that immediately follows July 1, 2015, if the employee has maintained satisfactory performance in accordance with the criteria established by the employee's appointing authority and the employee has not advanced a step within the twelve-month period immediately preceding the advancement to step 7 .

Schedule E-2

| Range |  | Minimum | Maximum |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 41 | Hourly | 16.23 | 41.62 |
|  | Annually | 33758 | 86570 |
| 42 | Hourly | 17.89 | 45.96 |
|  | Annually | 37211 | 95597 |
| 43 | Hourly | 19.70 | 50.62 |
|  | Annually | 40976 | 105290 |
| 44 | Hourly | 21.73 | 55.30 |
|  | Annually | 45198 | 115024 |
| 45 | Hourly | 24.01 | 60.38 |
|  | Annually | 49941 | 137248 |
| 46 | Hourly | 26.43 | 65.98 |
|  | Annually | 54974 | 137238 |

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| 47 | Hourly | 29.14 | 72.01 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Annually | 60611 | 149781 |
| 48 | Hourly | 32.14 | 78.58 |
|  | Annually | 66851 | 163446 |
| 49 | Hourly | 35.44 | 84.84 |
|  | Annually | 73715 | 176467 |

(2) Beginning on the first day of the pay period that includes July 1, 2016, each exempt employee who must be paid in accordance with schedule E-1 or schedule E-2 of this section shall be paid a salary or wage in accordance with the following schedule of rates:

Schedule E-1

| A | Pay Ranges and Step Values |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Step 1 | Step 2 | Step 3 | Step 4 | Step 5 | Step 6 | Step 7 | Step 8 |
| Range |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| 1 | Hourly | 10.58 | 11.05 | 11.52 | 12.02 |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Annually | 22006 | 22984 | 23962 | 25002 |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | Hourly | 12.83 | 13.38 | 13.95 | 14.57 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 26686 | 27830 | 29016 | 30306 |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | Hourly | 13.44 | 14.04 | 14.67 | 15.30 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 27955 | 29203 | 30514 | 31824 |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | Hourly | 14.11 | 14.74 | 15.45 | 16.13 |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | Annually | 29349 | 30659 | 32136 | 33550 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Hourly | 14.80 | 15.48 | 16.13 | 16.84 |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | Annually | 30784 | 32198 | 33550 | 35027 |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | Hourly | 15.60 | 16.25 | 16.96 | 17.66 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 32448 | 33800 | 35277 | 36733 |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | Hourly | 16.56 | 17.18 | 17.89 | 18.51 | 19.23 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 34445 | 35734 | 37211 | 38501 | 39998 |  |  |  |

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|  | Annually | 36421 | 38043 | 39666 | 41454 | 43430 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 9 | Hourly | 18.68 | 19.65 | 20.61 | 21.65 | 22.74 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 38854 | 40872 | 42869 | 45032 | 47299 |  |  |  |
| 10 | Hourly | 20.16 | 21.26 | 22.40 | 23.69 | 24.96 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 41933 | 44221 | 46592 | 49275 | 51917 |  |  |  |
| 11 | Hourly | 21.95 | 23.23 | 24.57 | 25.96 | 27.43 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 45656 | 48318 | 51106 | 53997 | 57054 |  |  |  |
| 12 | Hourly | 24.21 | 25.57 | 26.95 | 28.44 | 30.02 | 31.65 | 32.95 | 34.50 |
|  | Annually | 50357 | 53186 | 56056 | 59155 | 62442 | 65832 | 68536 | 71760 |
| 13 | Hourly | 26.69 | 28.16 | 29.70 | 31.28 | 33.05 | 34.84 | 36.26 | 37.97 |
|  | Annually | 55515 | 58573 | 61776 | 65062 | 68744 | 72467 | 75421 | 78978 |
| 14 | Hourly | 29.35 | 31.01 | 32.68 | 34.46 | 36.41 | 38.44 | 40.01 | 41.90 |
|  | Annually | 61048 | 64501 | 67974 | 71677 | 75733 | 79955 | 83221 | 87152 |
| 15 | Hourly | 32.24 | 34.05 | 35.98 | 37.95 | 40.06 | 42.26 | 43.99 | 46.06 |
|  | Annually | 67059 | 70824 | 74838 | 78936 | 83325 | 87901 | 91499 | 95805 |
| 16 | Hourly | 35.55 | 37.52 | 39.58 | 41.80 | 44.11 | 46.63 | 48.53 | 50.82 |
|  | Annually | 73944 | 78042 | 82326 | 86944 | 91749 | 96990 | 100942 | 105706 |
| 17 | Hourly | 39.17 | 41.33 | 43.64 | 46.05 | 48.62 | 51.33 |  |  |
|  | Annually | 81474 | 85966 | 90771 | 95784 | 101130 | 106766 |  |  |
| 18 | Hourly | 43.16 | 45.55 | 48.12 | 50.76 | 53.57 | 56.57 |  |  |
|  | Annually | 89773 | 94744 | 100090 | 105581 | 111426 | 117666 |  |  |

Schedule E-2

| Range |  | Minimum | Maximum |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 41 | Hourly | 16.23 | 42.66 |
|  | Annually | 33758 | 88733 |
| 42 | Hourly | 17.89 | 47.11 |
|  | Annually | 37211 | 97989 |
| 43 | Hourly | 19.70 | 51.89 |
|  | Annually | 40976 | 107931 |
| 44 | Hourly | 21.73 | 56.68 |
|  | Annually | 45198 | 117894 |


| 45 | Hourly | 24.01 | 61.89 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Annually | 49941 | 128731 |
| 46 | Hourly | 26.43 | 67.63 |
|  | Annually | 54974 | 140670 |
| 47 | Hourly | 29.14 | 73.81 |
|  | Annually | 60611 | 153525 |
| 48 | Hourly | 32.14 | 80.54 |
|  | Annually | 66851 | 167523 |
| 49 | Hourly | 35.44 | 86.96 |
|  | Annually | 73715 | 180877 |

(3) Beginning on the first day of the pay period that includes July 1, 2017, each exempt employee who must be paid in accordance with schedule E-1 or schedule E-2 of this section shall be paid a salary or wage in accordance with the following schedule of rates:

Schedule E-1

| A | Pay Ranges and Step Values |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Step 1 | Step 2 | Step 3 | Step 4 | Step 5 | Step 6 | Step 7 | Step 8 |
| Range |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| 1 | Hourly | 10.84 | 11.33 | 11.81 | 12.32 |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Annually | 22547 | 23566 | 24565 | 25626 |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | Hourly | 13.15 | 13.71 | 14.30 | 14.93 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 27352 | 28517 | 29744 | 31054 |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | Hourly | 13.78 | 14.39 | 15.04 | 15.68 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 28662 | 29931 | 31283 | 32614 |  |  |  |  |
| 4 | Hourly | 14.46 | 15.11 | 15.84 | 16.53 |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | Annually | 30077 | 31429 | 32947 | 34382 |  |  |  |  |
|  | Hourly | 15.17 | 15.87 | 16.53 | 17.26 |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | Annually | 31554 | 33010 | 34382 | 35901 |  |  |  |  |

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|  | Annually | 33259 | 34653 | 36150 | 37648 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 | Hourly | 16.97 | 17.61 | 18.34 | 18.97 | 19.71 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 35298 | 36629 | 38147 | 39458 | 40997 |  |  |  |
| 8 | Hourly | 17.95 | 18.75 | 19.55 | 20.43 | 21.40 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 37336 | 39000 | 40664 | 42494 | 44512 |  |  |  |
| 9 | Hourly | 19.15 | 20.14 | 21.13 | 22.19 | 23.31 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 39832 | 41891 | 43950 | 46155 | 48485 |  |  |  |
| 10 | Hourly | 20.66 | 21.79 | 22.96 | 24.28 | 25.58 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 42973 | 45323 | 47757 | 50502 | 53206 |  |  |  |
| 11 | Hourly | 22.50 | 23.81 | 25.18 | 26.61 | 28.12 |  |  |  |
|  | Annually | 46800 | 49525 | 52374 | 55349 | 58490 |  |  |  |
| 12 | Hourly | 24.82 | 26.21 | 27.62 | 29.15 | 30.77 | 32.44 | 33.77 | 35.36 |
|  | Annually | 51626 | 54517 | 57450 | 60632 | 64002 | 67475 | 67475 | 73549 |
| 13 | Hourly | 27.36 | 28.86 | 30.44 | 32.06 | 33.88 | 35.71 | 37.17 | 38.92 |
|  | Annually | 56909 | 60029 | 63315 | 66685 | 70470 | 74277 | 77314 | 80954 |
| 14 | Hourly | 30.08 | 31.79 | 33.50 | 35.32 | 37.32 | 39.40 | 41.02 | 42.95 |
|  | Annually | 62566 | 66123 | 69680 | 73466 | 77626 | 81952 | 85322 | 89336 |
| 15 | Hourly | 33.05 | 34.90 | 36.88 | 38.90 | 41.06 | 43.32 | 45.09 | 47.21 |
|  | Annually | 68744 | 72592 | 76710 | 80912 | 85405 | 90106 | 93787 | 98197 |
| 16 | Hourly | 36.44 | 38.46 | 40.57 | 42.85 | 45.21 | 47.80 | 49.75 | 52.09 |
|  | Annually | 75795 | 79997 | 84386 | 89128 | 94037 | 99424 | 103480 | 108347 |
| 17 | Hourly | 40.15 | 42.36 | 44.73 | 47.20 | 49.84 | 52.61 |  |  |
|  | Annually | 83512 | 88109 | 93038 | 98176 | 103667 | 109429 |  |  |
| 18 | Hourly | 44.24 | 46.69 | 49.32 | 52.03 | 54.91 | 57.98 |  |  |
|  | Annually | 92019 | 97115 | 102586 | 108222 | 114213 | 120598 |  |  |

Schedule E-2

| Range |  | Minimum | Maximum |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 41 | Hourly | 16.23 | 43.73 |
|  | Annually | 33758 | 90958 |
| 42 | Hourly | 17.89 | 48.29 |
|  | Annually | 37211 | 100443 |


| 43 | Hourly | 19.70 | 53.19 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Annually | 40976 | 110635 |
| 44 | Hourly | 21.73 | 58.10 |
|  | Annually | 45198 | 120848 |
| 45 | Hourly | 24.01 | 63.44 |
|  | Annually | 49941 | 131955 |
| 46 | Hourly | 26.43 | 69.32 |
|  | Annually | 54974 | 144186 |
| 47 | Hourly | 29.14 | 75.66 |
|  | Annually | 60611 | 157373 |
| 48 | Hourly | 32.14 | 82.55 |
|  | Annually | 66851 | 171704 |
| 49 | Hourly | 35.44 | 89.13 |
|  | Annually | 73715 | 185390 |

(C)(1) Beginning on the first day of the pay period that includes July 1, 2015, each exempt employee who must be paid in accordance with salary schedule E-1 for step eight only shall be paid a salary or wage in accordance with the following schedule of rates:

## Schedule E-1 for Step Eight Only

Pay Ranges and Step Values

| Range |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 12 | Hourly | 32.60 |
|  | Annually | 67808 |
| 13 | Hourly | 35.85 |
|  | Annually | 74568 |
| 14 | Hourly | 39.53 |
|  | Annually | 82222 |
| 15 | Hourly | 43.50 |
|  | Annually | 90480 |
| 16 | Hourly | 47.98 |


|  | Annually | 99798 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 17 | Hourly | 52.84 |
|  | Annually | 109907 |
| 18 | Hourly | 58.22 |
|  | Annually | 121098 |

(2) Beginning on the first day of the pay period that includes July 1, 2016, each exempt employee who must be paid in accordance with schedule E-1 for step eight only shall be paid a salary or wage in accordance with the following schedule of rates:

Schedule E-1 for Step Eight Only

Pay Ranges and Step Values

| Range |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 12 | Hourly | 33.42 |
|  | Annually | 69514 |
| 13 | Hourly | 36.75 |
|  | Annually | 76440 |
| 14 | Hourly | 40.52 |
|  | Annually | 84282 |
| 15 | Hourly | 44.59 |
|  | Annually | 92747 |
| 16 | Hourly | 49.18 |
|  | Annually | 102294 |
| 17 | Hourly | 54.16 |
|  | Annually | 112653 |
| 18 | Hourly | 59.68 |
|  | Annually | 124134 |

(D) As used in this section:
(1) "Exempt employee" means a permanent full-time or permanent part-time employee paid directly
by warrant of the director of budget and management whose position is included in the job classification plan established under division (A) of section 124.14 of the Revised Code but who is not considered a public employee for the purposes of Chapter 4117. of the Revised Code. "Exempt employee" also includes a permanent full-time or permanent part-time employee of the secretary of state, auditor of state, treasurer of state, or attorney general who has not been placed in an appropriate bargaining unit by the state employment relations board.
(2) "Base rate of pay" means the rate of pay established under schedule E-1 or schedule E-1 for step eight only of this section, plus the supplement provided under division (E) of section 124.181 of the Revised Code, plus any supplements enacted into law that are added to schedule E-1 or schedule E-1 for step eight only of this section.

