

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Senator Russ**

A Bill

ACT 811 OF 1993
SENATE BILL 207

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 14-284-215 (b) RELATING TO
9 THE FEES OF THE COUNTY CLERK AND THE COLLECTOR FOR
10 EXTENDING FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT ASSESSMENTS ON THE
11 BOOKS AND FOR COLLECTING THE ASSESSMENTS; AND FOR OTHER
12 PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 "FEES OF CLERKS AND COLLECTORS FOR EXTENDING AND
15 COLLECTING ASSESSMENTS OF FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICTS."
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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20 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 14-284-215(b) is amended to read as follows:

21 "(b) It is the duty of the collector each year to collect the annual
22 benefit assessment so extended, along with the other taxes.

23 (1) The collector shall deduct three percent (3%) of the benefits
24 collected, shall retain one-half (1/2) thereof as his fee for collecting the
25 benefits, and shall pay over the remaining one-half (1/2) of this amount to
26 the clerk of the county, or to the appropriate county official who extended
27 the assessment, as his fee for extending the assessments on the assessment
28 records.

29 (2) The collector shall remit the remainder of the assessed benefits
30 collected by him to the secretary-treasurer of the district at the same time
31 he remits tax collections to the county treasurer.

32 (3) Upon receipt of the assessed benefits, the secretary-treasurer of
33 the district shall execute a receipt for the funds, deliver it to the county
34 collector, and shall deposit the funds so received in a bank or banks located
35 within the district designated by the board of commissioners of the fire
36 protection district to be used solely and exclusively for district purposes."

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SECTION 2. The provisions of this act shall be in effect on and after December 31, 1993.

SECTION 3. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 4. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

SECTION 5. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

/s/ Senator Russ

APPROVED: 4/1/93

