

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 82nd General Assembly
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As Engrossed: S3/25/99

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1640

5 By: Representative Pappas
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE EACH CITY AND TOWN TO LEVY AN
10 ADDITIONAL FINE NOT TO EXCEED FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00) TO
11 HELP DEFRAY THE COST OF INCARCERATING THE CITY
12 PRISONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. "
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Subtitle

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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. In addition to all fines now, or as may hereafter be
25 provided by law, each first class city, second class city, and incorporated
26 town in this state may levy and collect an additional fine not to exceed five
27 dollars (\$5.00) from each defendant who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to,
28 or is found guilty of, or forfeits bond for any misdemeanor or traffic
29 violation in the municipal court or city court of the city or town. The
30 additional court fine authorized by this act shall be levied by ordinance of
31 the governing body of the municipality wherein the municipal court or city
32 court is located. The funds generated by the additional fine shall be used
33 exclusively to help defray the cost of incarcerating city prisoners, including
34 the construction and maintenance of the city jail, and payments to other
35 entities for incarcerating city prisoners.
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1 SECTION 2. The provisions of this act do not apply to any city with a
2 population in excess of one hundred thousand (100,000) persons according to
3 the most recent federal decennial census.
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5 SECTION 3. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
6 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
7 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.
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9 SECTION 4. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
10 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
11 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
12 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
13 act are declared to be severable.
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15 SECTION 5. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
16 hereby repealed.
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/s/ Pappas