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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 1102

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO REQUIRE AN INMATE OF A COUNTY JAIL WHO IS  
9 BEING HELD FOR A REASON OTHER THAN FOR SERVING A  
10 SENTENCE FOR A CRIMINAL CONVICTION TO PAY FOR HIS OR  
11 HER OWN MEDICAL CARE FOR PREEXISTING CONDITIONS OR  
12 FOR INJURIES SUSTAINED WHILE COMMITTING THE OFFENSE  
13 THAT LED TO HIS OR HER BEING JAILED; AND FOR OTHER  
14 PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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25 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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27 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 12-41-505 is amended to read as follows:  
28 12-41-505. Expenses and support.

29 (a)(1) Every person who may be committed to the common jail of the  
30 county by lawful authority for any criminal offense or misdemeanor, if he or  
31 she shall be convicted, shall pay the expenses in carrying him or her to jail  
32 and also for his or her support from the day of his or her initial  
33 incarceration for the whole time he or she remains there.

34 (2) The expenses which accrue shall be paid as directed in the  
35 act regulating criminal proceedings.

36 (b)(1) A person convicted of a felony or a Class A misdemeanor shall



1 be assessed a booking and administration fee of twenty dollars (\$20.00).

2 (2)(A) The booking and administration fee described in  
3 subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall be assessed upon the conviction of a  
4 defendant and included in the judgment of conviction entered by the court.

5 (B) If a court suspends imposition of sentence on a  
6 defendant or places him or her on probation and does not enter a judgment of  
7 conviction, the court shall impose the booking and administration fee as a  
8 cost.

9 (3) The booking and administration fee assessed under  
10 subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall be deposited into a special fund  
11 within the county treasury to be used exclusively for the maintenance,  
12 operation, and capital expenditures of a county jail or regional detention  
13 facility.

14 (c) A person being held in county jail who has been charged with a  
15 crime and who is not already serving a sentence resulting from a criminal  
16 conviction shall pay his or her medical expenses or arrange to have the  
17 expenses paid by another person or entity for any preexisting condition or  
18 for any treatment of an injury that was sustained while the person was  
19 committing the offense for which he or she is being jailed.

20 ~~(e)~~(d) The property of the person shall be subject to the payment of  
21 the expenses and the booking and administration fee.

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