

Act 54 of the Third Special Session of 1989.

Act 54

SB22

By: Senator Hardin

CALL ITEM 88

For An Act To Be Entitled

"AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT IF A CHANGE OF VENUE IS TAKEN FROM A CITY COURT, MAYOR'S COURT OR POLICE COURT TO A MUNICIPAL COURT, ALL FEES COLLECTED SHALL BE SPLIT EQUALLY BETWEEN THE MUNICIPAL COURT AND THE COURT FROM WHICH THE CASE WAS TRANSFERRED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. In the event of any change of venue from a city court, mayor's court or police court to municipal court located in the same county, all fines collected in that case shall be split equally between the municipal court and the court from which the case was transferred.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code 9-12-312(e)(5) and Arkansas Code 9-10-109(b)(4) are hereby amended to read as follows:

"All moneys collected by the clerk as a fee as provided in this subsection shall be used by the clerk's office to offset administrative costs as a result of this subchapter and to purchase, maintain and operate an automated data system for use in administering the requirements of this subchapter. All fees collected under this subsection shall be paid into the county treasury to the credit of the fund to be known as the 'Support Collection Costs Fund'. Moneys deposited in this fund shall be appropriated for the uses designated in this subdivision by the quorum court upon the request of the clerk of the court."

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 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

APPROVED: November 16, 1989

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