

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1022

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6 By: Senator T. Smith  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO IMPOSE A BOOKING AND ADMINISTRATION FEE  
10 IN CERTAIN CASES FOR THE SUPPORT OF COUNTY JAILS  
11 OR REGIONAL DETENTION FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER  
12 PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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16 ADMINISTRATION FEE IN CERTAIN CASES FOR  
17 THE SUPPORT OF COUNTY JAILS OR REGIONAL  
18 DETENTION FACILITIES.  
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 12-41-505 is amended to read as follows:  
25 12-41-505. Expenses and support.

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

31 ~~(b)(2)~~ The expenses which accrue shall be paid as directed in  
32 the act regulating criminal proceedings.

33 (b)(1) A person convicted of a felony or a Class A misdemeanor shall  
34 be assessed a booking and administration fee of twenty dollars (\$20.00).

35 (2)(A) The booking and administration fee described in  
36 subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall be assessed upon the conviction of a



1 defendant and included in the judgment of conviction entered by the court.

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

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

11 (B) The revenues derived from the booking and  
12 administration fees assessed under subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall  
13 not offset or reduce funding from other sources for the maintenance,  
14 operation, and capital expenditures of county jails or regional detention  
15 facilities.

16 (c) The property of the person shall be subject to the payment of the  
17 expenses and the booking and administration fee.

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