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By: Representative Todd

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"AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 2 OF ACT 284 OF 1971, AS AMENDED [ARK. STAT. 25-505] TO PROVIDE THAT THE LEVY OF THE COUNTY LAW LIBRARY COURT COST SHALL APPLY TO VIOLATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. Section 2 of Act 284 of 1971, as amended, the same being Arkansas Statutes 25-505, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 2. In addition to all other costs now or as may hereafter be provided by law, effective upon the entry of an implementing order of the county court in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 hereof, there shall be levied and collected in each county for which an implementing county court order is entered, as costs, the following:

(1) From each defendant upon each judgement of conviction, plea of guilty or nolo contendere or forfeiture for failure to appear, in felony, misdemeanor and violation cases as follows, to wit:

(a) In the Circuit Court, the sum of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$3.00.

(b) In the Municipal Court, the sum of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$3.00.

(c) In the Police Court, the sum of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$3.00.

(d) In the Mayor's Court, the sum of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$3.00.

(e) In the Justice of the Peace Court, the sum of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$3.00.

(f) No fees shall be levied under this Act for parking violations.

(2) In civil cases as follows:

- (a) In the Circuit Court, the sum of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$3.00.
- (b) In the Chancery Court, the sum of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$3.00.
- (c) In the Probate Court, the sum of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$3.00
- (d) In the Municipal Court, the sum of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$3.00.
- (e) In the Mayor's Court, the sum of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$3.00.
- (f) In the Justice of the Peace Court, the sum of not less than \$1.00 or more than \$3.00.

All Circuit Clerks, Chancery Clerks, County and Probate Clerks, Municipal Clerks, Sheriffs, or other officers who are now or who may hereafter be charged by law with collection of other costs in such cases are hereby required under the same penalties of law to collect the costs levied pursuant to the provisions of this Act, and no officer of any court may make a separate remission of the additional costs levied pursuant to the provisino of this Act. Such costs shall be collected at the time and in the manner as are other costs in such cases.

No county or municipality shall be liable for payment of the costs provided for by this Act in any instance in which they are not collected.

All collections from costs levied pursuant to the provisions of this Act shall forthwith be paid over by the collecting officer to the County Treasurer and by him credited on his records to a fund to be designated and known as the "County Law Library Book Fund". The said Book Fund shall be used for no other purposes than those provided in this Act and expenditures therefrom shall not require appropriation by the Quorum Court."

SECTION 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

