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*As Engrossed: S3/17/11*  
**A Bill**

SENATE BILL 868

5 By: Senators Crumbly, R. Thompson  
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7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE UNIFORM  
9 FILING FEE FOR CIVIL ACTIONS IN CIRCUIT COURT; TO  
10 PROVIDE FOR A PORTION OF THE FILING FEE TO BE  
11 DISTRIBUTED TO A FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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14 **Subtitle**

15 TO PROVIDE FOR AN AMENDMENT TO THE  
16 UNIFORM FILING FEE FOR CIVIL ACTIONS IN  
17 CIRCUIT COURT AND TO PROVIDE FOR A  
18 PORTION OF THE FILING FEE TO BE  
19 DISTRIBUTED TO A FUND.  
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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 § 21-6-403(b), regarding uniform filing fees,  
25 is amended to read as follows:

26 (b) The uniform filing fees are:

27 (1) For initiating a cause of action in the circuit court,  
28 including appeals . . . . . ~~\$150.00~~ \$165.00

29 (2) For filing a mortgagee's or trustee's notice of default and  
30 intention to sell pursuant to § 18-50-104 . . . . . 140.00

31 (3) For reopening a cause of action in the circuit court . . .  
32 . . 50.00

33 (4) For any cause of action which by court order is transferred  
34 from any district or circuit court to a circuit court . . . . . 50.00.  
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36 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 21-6-403, concerning uniform filing fees,



1 is amended to add a new subsection to read as follows:

2 (i)(1) The circuit clerk shall remit to the Treasurer of State fifteen  
3 dollars (\$15.00) of each filing fee assessed under subdivision (b)(1) of this  
4 section.

5 (2) The Treasurer of State shall deposit into the General  
6 Improvement Fund the moneys remitted under subdivision (i)(1) of this  
7 section.

8 (3) The revenues deposited into the fund under this subsection  
9 shall be used for the benefit of the Regional School System for Adjudicated  
10 Youth.

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12 SECTION 3. DO NOT CODIFY. SUNSET CLAUSE. It is hereby found and  
13 determined by the General Assembly that this act shall sunset two (2) years  
14 from the date it becomes law.

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*/s/Crumbly*

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