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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1567

By: Representatives Gillam, Baine

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AMOUNT AND PAYMENT OF FEES FOR
SHERIFFS IN CONNECTION WITH CIVIL AND CRIMINAL CASES;
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO CLARIFY THE AMOUNT AND PAYMENT OF FEES
FOR SHERIFFS IN CONNECTION WITH CIVIL AND
CRIMINAL CASES.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 21-6-307(a), concerning sheriffs' fees in civil and criminal cases, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1)(A) The A county sheriff shall charge the following fees shall be charged in a civil case by each of the sheriffs of the several counties of the State of Arkansas:

~~(1)(i)~~ (i) For serving and returning ~~every a~~ summons, capias, scire facias, attachment, writ of garnishment, writ of injunction, or subpoena..... ~~\$ 30.00~~ \$50.00

~~(2)(ii)~~ (ii) For serving and returning a writ of execution or attachment..... ~~100.00~~ 120.00

~~(3)(iii)~~ (iii) For commission for receiving and paying money on execution or process when lands or goods have been taken into custody, advertised, or sold..... 10%

~~(4)~~ (4) ~~For every return of a writ, summons, or subpoena, original or judicial~~..... ~~20.00~~

~~(5)(iv)~~ (iv) For executing a writ of



inquiry..... 20.00

~~(6)~~(v) For executing a certificate of purchase for real estate under execution..... 20.00

~~(7)~~(vi) For making, executing, and subscribing a sheriff's deed to be paid by purchaser..... 30.00

~~(8)~~(vii) For serving and returning each an order, notice, or rule of ~~any a~~ court..... 30.00

~~(9)~~(viii) For serving and returning each a notice to vacate..... 30.00

~~(10)~~(ix) For advertising goods or lands for sale..... 30.00 plus the cost of publication if advertised in a newspaper

~~(11)~~ For returning each execution or attachment..... 20.00

~~(12)~~ For advertising elections in each voting precinct..... 20.00

~~(13)~~ For delivering voter registration books for each voting precinct..... 20.00

~~(14)~~ For serving warrant or order of arrest from any court..... 50.00

~~(15)~~ For taking and entering every bail or delivery bond..... 20.00

~~(16)~~ (x) For attending every a trial of a ~~criminal~~ or civil case of confession in open court..... ~~20.00~~ 50.00

~~(17)~~ (xi) For serving a subpoena for special jurors..... 20.00

(B) Before taking an action under subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section, a sheriff may require payment of the associated fee.

(2)(A) A county sheriff shall charge the following fees in a criminal case:

(i) For serving a warrant or order of arrest from a court..... \$50.00

(ii) For taking and entering a bail or delivery bond..... 20.00

(iii) For attending a trial of a criminal case of confession in open court..... 50.00

(B) A fee incurred under subdivision (a)(2)(A) in a criminal case shall be included in the judgment for costs under § 16-90-113.