

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1260

By: Representative Maddox
By: Senator J. Hutchinson

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT FOR
JUROR ORIENTATION COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT
FOR JUROR ORIENTATION COSTS.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-34-106(b)(1)-(3), concerning the reimbursement to counties for juror costs, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1)(A) The state shall reimburse a county for a portion of the costs incurred for a payment under § 16-34-103(b)(1) if the county makes a request under subdivision (b)(3) of this section.

(B)(i) If funds are available, the state shall reimburse a county for the cost of a prospective juror orientation for a juror eligible for payment under § 16-34-103(b)(2) up to fifteen dollars (\$15.00) if the county makes a request under subdivision (b)(3) of this section.

(ii) The reimbursement under this subdivision (b)(1)(B) shall not exceed the minimum per diem compensation under § 16-34-103(b)(2).

(2) The Administrative Office of the Courts shall administer the state reimbursement to a county under subdivision (b)(1) of this section.

(3) A county may request reimbursement for costs incurred for a payment under § 16-34-103(b)(1) or § 16-34-103(b)(2) on a quarterly basis as follows:



(A) On or before May 1 of each year for costs incurred between January 1 and March 31 of that year;

(B) On or before August 1 of each year for costs incurred between April 1 and June 30 of that year;

(C) On or before December 1 of each year for costs incurred between July 1 and September 30 of that year; and

(D) On or before February 1 of each year for costs incurred between October 1 and December 31 of the prior year.

/s/Maddox