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1-7 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR S.B. No. 368 By: Harris

1-8 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-9 AN ACT

1-10 relating to the compensation of state judges and to the computation
1-11 of retirement benefits for state judges and for members of the
1-12 elected class of the Employees Retirement System of Texas.

1-13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-14 SECTION 1. Subsections (a) and (d), Section 659.012,
1-15 Government Code, are amended to read as follows:

1-16 (a) Notwithstanding Section 659.011:

1-17 (1) a judge of a district court is entitled to an
1-18 annual salary from the state of at least \$125,000, except that the
1-19 combined salary of a district judge from state and county sources,
1-20 including compensation for any extrajudicial services performed on
1-21 behalf of the county, may not exceed the amount that is \$5,000 less
1-22 than the salary provided for a justice of a court of appeals other
1-23 than a chief justice [justice of the supreme court is entitled to an
1-24 annual salary from the state that is at least \$102,463];

1-25 (2) a justice of a court of appeals other than the
1-26 chief justice is entitled to an annual salary from the state that is
1-27 equal to 110 percent of the salary of a district judge [five percent
1-28 less than the salary provided by the General Appropriations Act for
1-29 a justice of the supreme court], except that the combined salary of
1-30 a justice of the court of appeals other than the chief justice from
1-31 all state and county sources, including compensation for any
1-32 extrajudicial services performed on behalf of the county, may not
1-33 exceed the amount that is \$5,000 [\$1,000] less than the salary
1-34 provided for a justice of the supreme court;

1-35 (3) a justice of the supreme court other than the chief
1-36 justice or a judge of the court of criminal appeals other than the
1-37 presiding judge is entitled to an annual salary from the state that
1-38 is equal to 120 percent of the salary of a district judge; and

1-39 (4) the chief justice or presiding judge of an
1-40 appellate [a] court [of appeals] is entitled to an annual salary
1-41 from the state that is \$2,500 more than the salary provided for the
1-42 other justices or judges of the court [of appeals], except that the
1-43 combined salary of the chief justice of a court of appeals may not
1-44 exceed the amount that is \$2,500 [\$500] less than the salary
1-45 provided for a justice of the supreme court [, and

1-46 [4] a judge of a district court is entitled to an
1-47 annual salary from the state that is 10 percent less than the salary
1-48 provided in the General Appropriations Act for a justice of the
1-49 supreme court, except that unless otherwise provided by law, the
1-50 combined salary of a district judge from state and county sources
1-51 may not exceed the amount that is \$2,000 less than the salary
1-52 provided for a justice of the supreme court].

1-53 (d) In a county with more than five district courts, a
1-54 district judge who serves as a local administrative district judge
1-55 under Section 74.091 is entitled to an annual salary from the state
1-56 that is \$5,000 more than the salary from the state to which the
1-57 judge is otherwise entitled under Subsection (a)(1) [~~e~~].

1-58 SECTION 2. Section 659.0125, Government Code, is amended to
1-59 read as follows:

1-60 Sec. 659.0125. SALARY FOR LOCAL ADMINISTRATIVE JUDGE. In a
1-61 county with more than six district courts, a district judge who
1-62 serves as a local administrative district judge under Section
1-63 74.091 is entitled to an annual salary from the state that is \$5,000

2-1 more than the salary from the state to which the judge is otherwise
2-2 entitled under Section 659.012 [~~659.012(c)~~].

2-3 SECTION 3. Section 152.0003, Human Resources Code, is
2-4 amended to read as follows:

2-5 Sec. 152.0003. COMPENSATION. The compensation authorized
2-6 under this chapter for a judge serving on a juvenile board is in
2-7 addition to all other compensation provided or allowed by law for a
2-8 judge. Notwithstanding any other law, the combined salary of a
2-9 district judge serving on a juvenile board may not exceed an amount
2-10 that is \$5,000 less than the combined salary provided for a justice
2-11 of a court of appeals other than the chief justice.

2-12 SECTION 4. Subchapter C, Chapter 72, Government Code, is
2-13 amended by adding Section 72.030 to read as follows:

2-14 Sec. 72.030. COLLECTION OF DATA RELATING TO JUDICIAL
2-15 TURNOVER. (a) The office biennially shall collect data relating
2-16 to:

2-17 (1) the rate at which state judges resign from office
2-18 or do not seek reelection; and

2-19 (2) the reason for action under Subdivision (1).

2-20 (b) Not later than December 1 of each even-numbered year,
2-21 the office shall file a report containing the data collected under
2-22 Subsection (a) for the preceding state fiscal biennium with the
2-23 lieutenant governor, the speaker of the house of representatives,
2-24 and the presiding officers of the standing committees of each house
2-25 of the legislature with jurisdiction over the judiciary or
2-26 appropriations.

2-27 (c) The report filed under Subsection (b) must include the
2-28 following findings:

2-29 (1) whether the compensation of state judges exceeds,
2-30 is equal to, or is less than the compensation of judges at
2-31 corresponding levels in the five states closest in population to
2-32 this state; and

2-33 (2) whether the compensation of state judges exceeds,
2-34 is equal to, or is less than the average salary of lawyers engaged
2-35 in the private practice of law, using data collected by the state
2-36 bar under Section 81.116.

2-37 (d) The purpose of the report under this section is to
2-38 provide the legislature with information to facilitate legislation
2-39 that ensures that the compensation of state judges is adequate and
2-40 appropriate.

2-41 SECTION 5. Subchapter H, Chapter 81, Government Code, is
2-42 amended by adding Section 81.116 to read as follows:

2-43 Sec. 81.116. COLLECTION OF DATA RELATING TO ATTORNEY
2-44 COMPENSATION. (a) The state bar shall biennially collect data
2-45 relating to the compensation of lawyers engaged in the private
2-46 practice of law.

2-47 (b) Not later than December 1 of each even-numbered year,
2-48 the state bar shall file a report containing the data collected
2-49 under Subsection (a) for the preceding state fiscal biennium with
2-50 the lieutenant governor, the speaker of the house of
2-51 representatives, and the presiding officers of the standing
2-52 committees of each house of the legislature with jurisdiction over
2-53 the judiciary or appropriations.

2-54 SECTION 6. Section 814.103, Government Code, is amended to
2-55 read as follows:

2-56 Sec. 814.103. SERVICE RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR ELECTED CLASS
2-57 SERVICE. (a) Except as provided by Subsection (b) and Section
2-58 814.1031, the standard service retirement annuity for service
2-59 credited in the elected class of membership is an amount equal to
2-60 the number of years of service credit in that class, times 2.3 [~~two~~]
2-61 percent of the state salary, as adjusted from time to time, being
2-62 paid a district judge.

2-63 (b) The standard service retirement annuity for service
2-64 credited in the elected class may not exceed at any time 100 percent
2-65 of the state salary being paid a district judge.

2-66 SECTION 7. Subchapter B, Chapter 814, Government Code, is
2-67 amended by adding Section 814.1031 to read as follows:

2-68 Sec. 814.1031. SERVICE RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR ELECTED
2-69 CLASS SERVICE AS STATE PROSECUTOR. (a) In this section, "state

3-1 prosecutor" means a person eligible for membership in the elected
 3-2 class under Section 812.002(a)(3).

3-3 (b) Except as provided by Subsection (c), the standard
 3-4 service retirement annuity for service credited in the elected
 3-5 class of membership paid to a state prosecutor is an amount equal to
 3-6 the sum of:

3-7 (1) the number of years of service credit for service
 3-8 of the member as a state prosecutor times 2.3 percent of the state
 3-9 salary, as adjusted from time to time, being paid a district judge;
 3-10 and

3-11 (2) the number of years of service credit for service
 3-12 of the member as any other elected class member times 2.3 percent of
 3-13 the state salary, as adjusted from time to time, being paid the
 3-14 governor.

3-15 (c) The standard service retirement annuity paid to a state
 3-16 prosecutor for service credited in the elected class as a state
 3-17 prosecutor may not exceed at any time 100 percent of the state
 3-18 salary being paid a district judge.

3-19 SECTION 8. Subchapter B, Chapter 833, Government Code, is
 3-20 amended by adding Section 833.1035 to read as follows:

3-21 Sec. 833.1035. SERVICE IN EXCESS OF 20 YEARS. (a) Subject
 3-22 to the limitation on the amount of a retirement annuity under
 3-23 Section 834.102(c), an eligible member may establish service credit
 3-24 in the retirement system for service in excess of 20 years performed
 3-25 before September 1, 2005.

3-26 (b) A member eligible to establish credit under Subsection
 3-27 (a) is one who elects to make contributions under Section 835.1015.

3-28 (c) A member may not establish more than 120 months of
 3-29 service credit under this section.

3-30 (d) A member may establish credit under this section by
 3-31 depositing with the retirement system a contribution computed for
 3-32 each month of qualifying service claimed at the rate of six percent
 3-33 of the member's current monthly state salary.

3-34 (e) The board of trustees may adopt rules to administer this
 3-35 section.

3-36 SECTION 9. Section 834.102, Government Code, is amended by
 3-37 adding Subsection (c) to read as follows:

3-38 (c) The service retirement annuity of a member qualifying
 3-39 for retirement under Section 834.101(a) is the applicable state
 3-40 salary under Subsection (a), multiplied by a percentage amount that
 3-41 is the sum of 50 percent plus the product of two percent multiplied
 3-42 by the number of years of subsequent service credit the member
 3-43 accrues under Section 835.1015(a). After including any increase
 3-44 under Subsection (b), the service retirement annuity under this
 3-45 subsection may not be an amount that is greater than 80 percent of
 3-46 the applicable salary under Subsection (a).

3-47 SECTION 10. Subsection (c), Section 835.101, Government
 3-48 Code, is amended to read as follows:

3-49 (c) Except as provided by Section 835.1015, a [A] member who
 3-50 accrues 20 years of service credit in the retirement system ceases
 3-51 making contributions under this section.

3-52 SECTION 11. Subchapter B, Chapter 835, Government Code, is
 3-53 amended by adding Section 835.1015 to read as follows:

3-54 Sec. 835.1015. CONTRIBUTIONS AFTER 20 YEARS OF SERVICE
 3-55 CREDIT. (a) A judicial officer who is a member of the retirement
 3-56 system and who accrues 20 years of service credit in the retirement
 3-57 system may elect to make contributions for each subsequent year of
 3-58 service credit that the member accrues by filing an application
 3-59 with the retirement system.

3-60 (b) A member who elects to make contributions under
 3-61 Subsection (a) shall contribute six percent of the member's state
 3-62 compensation for each payroll period in the manner provided by
 3-63 Sections 835.101(a) and (b).

3-64 (c) A member may not make contributions under this section
 3-65 for more than 10 years of subsequent service credit that the member
 3-66 accrues.

3-67 SECTION 12. Subchapter B, Chapter 838, Government Code, is
 3-68 amended by adding Section 838.1035 to read as follows:

3-69 Sec. 838.1035. SERVICE IN EXCESS OF 20 YEARS. (a) Subject

4-1 to the limitation on the amount of a retirement annuity under
 4-2 Section 839.102(d), an eligible member may establish service credit
 4-3 in the retirement system for service in excess of 20 years performed
 4-4 before September 1, 2005.

4-5 (b) A member eligible to establish credit under Subsection
 4-6 (a) is one who elects to make contributions under Section 840.1025.

4-7 (c) A member may not establish more than 120 months of
 4-8 service credit under this section.

4-9 (d) A member may establish credit under this section by
 4-10 depositing with the retirement system a contribution computed for
 4-11 each month of qualifying service claimed at the rate of six percent
 4-12 of the member's current monthly state salary.

4-13 (e) The board of trustees may adopt rules to administer this
 4-14 section.

4-15 SECTION 13. Section 839.102, Government Code, is amended by
 4-16 amending Subsection (a) and adding Subsection (d) to read as
 4-17 follows:

4-18 (a) Except as provided by Subsections (b), ~~and~~ (c), and
 4-19 (d), the standard service retirement annuity is an amount equal to
 4-20 50 percent of the state salary being paid at the time the member
 4-21 retires to a judge of a court of the same classification as the last
 4-22 court to which the retiring member was elected or appointed.

4-23 (d) The service retirement annuity of a member qualifying
 4-24 for retirement under Section 839.101(a) is the applicable state
 4-25 salary under Subsection (a) multiplied by a percentage amount that
 4-26 is the sum of 50 percent plus the product of two percent multiplied
 4-27 by the number of years of subsequent service credit the member
 4-28 accrues under Section 840.1025(a). After including any increase
 4-29 under Subsection (b), the service retirement annuity under this
 4-30 subsection may not be an amount that is greater than 80 percent of
 4-31 the applicable salary under Subsection (a).

4-32 SECTION 14. Subsection (g), Section 840.102, Government
 4-33 Code, is amended to read as follows:

4-34 (g) Except as provided by Section 840.1025, a [A] member who
 4-35 accrues 20 years of service credit in the retirement system ceases
 4-36 making contributions under this section but is considered a
 4-37 contributing member for all other purposes under this subtitle.

4-38 SECTION 15. Subchapter B, Chapter 840, Government Code, is
 4-39 amended by adding Section 840.1025 to read as follows:

4-40 Sec. 840.1025. CONTRIBUTIONS AFTER 20 YEARS OF SERVICE
 4-41 CREDIT. (a) A judicial officer who is a member of the retirement
 4-42 system and who accrues 20 years of service credit in the retirement
 4-43 system may elect to make contributions for each subsequent year of
 4-44 service credit that the member accrues by filing an application
 4-45 with the retirement system.

4-46 (b) A member who elects to make contributions under
 4-47 Subsection (a) shall contribute six percent of the member's state
 4-48 compensation for each payroll period in the manner provided by
 4-49 Sections 840.102(b)-(f).

4-50 (c) A member may not make contributions under this section
 4-51 for more than 10 years of subsequent service credit that the member
 4-52 accrues.

4-53 SECTION 16. Section 133.003, Local Government Code, is
 4-54 amended to read as follows:

4-55 Sec. 133.003. CRIMINAL FEES. This chapter applies to the
 4-56 following criminal fees:

4-57 (1) the consolidated fee imposed under Section
 4-58 133.102;

4-59 (2) the time payment fee imposed under Section
 4-60 133.103;

4-61 (3) fees for services of peace officers employed by
 4-62 the state imposed under Article 102.011, Code of Criminal
 4-63 Procedure, and forwarded to the comptroller as provided by Section
 4-64 133.104;

4-65 (4) costs on conviction imposed in certain statutory
 4-66 county courts under Section 51.702, Government Code, and deposited
 4-67 in the judicial fund;

4-68 (5) costs on conviction imposed in certain county
 4-69 courts under Section 51.703, Government Code, and deposited in the

5-1 judicial fund;
 5-2 (6) the administrative fee for failure to appear or
 5-3 failure to pay or satisfy a judgment imposed under Section 706.006,
 5-4 Transportation Code; ~~and~~
 5-5 (7) fines on conviction imposed under Section
 5-6 621.506(g), Transportation Code; and
 5-7 (8) the cost on conviction imposed under Section
 5-8 133.105.

5-9 SECTION 17. Section 133.004, Local Government Code, is
 5-10 amended to read as follows:

5-11 Sec. 133.004. CIVIL FEES. This chapter applies to the
 5-12 following civil fees:

5-13 (1) the consolidated fee on filing in district court
 5-14 imposed under Section 133.151;

5-15 (2) the filing fee in district court for basic civil
 5-16 legal services for indigents imposed under Section 133.152;

5-17 (3) the filing fee in courts other than district court
 5-18 for basic civil legal services for indigents imposed under Section
 5-19 133.153;

5-20 (4) the filing fees for the judicial fund imposed in
 5-21 certain statutory county courts under Section 51.702, Government
 5-22 Code;

5-23 (5) the filing fees for the judicial fund imposed in
 5-24 certain county courts under Section 51.703, Government Code;

5-25 (6) the filing fees for the judicial fund imposed in
 5-26 certain statutory probate courts under Section 51.704, Government
 5-27 Code;

5-28 (7) fees collected under Section 118.015;

5-29 (8) marriage license fees for the family trust fund
 5-30 collected under Section 118.018; ~~and~~

5-31 (9) marriage license or declaration of informal
 5-32 marriage fees for the child abuse and neglect prevention trust fund
 5-33 account collected under Section 118.022; and

5-34 (10) the filing fee imposed in district court,
 5-35 statutory county court, and county court under Section 133.154.

5-36 SECTION 18. Subchapter C, Chapter 133, Local Government
 5-37 Code, is amended by adding Section 133.105 to read as follows:

5-38 Sec. 133.105. FEE FOR SUPPORT OF COURT-RELATED PURPOSES.

5-39 (a) A person convicted of any offense, other than an offense
 5-40 relating to a pedestrian or the parking of a motor vehicle, shall
 5-41 pay as a court cost, in addition to all other costs, a fee of \$7 to
 5-42 be used for court-related purposes for the support of the
 5-43 judiciary.

5-44 (b) The treasurer shall deposit 60 cents of each fee
 5-45 collected under this section in the general fund of the
 5-46 municipality to promote the efficient operation of the municipal
 5-47 court and the investigation, prosecution, and enforcement of
 5-48 municipal and state offenses that are within the jurisdiction of
 5-49 the municipal court.

5-50 (c) The treasurer shall remit \$3 of each fee collected under
 5-51 this section to the comptroller for deposit in the fair defense
 5-52 account.

5-53 (d) The treasurer shall remit the remainder of the fees
 5-54 collected under this section to the comptroller in the manner
 5-55 provided by Subchapter B.

5-56 SECTION 19. Subchapter D, Chapter 133, Local Government
 5-57 Code, is amended by adding Section 133.154 to read as follows:

5-58 Sec. 133.154. ADDITIONAL FILING FEE IN DISTRICT COURT,
 5-59 STATUTORY COUNTY COURT, OR COUNTY COURT FOR SUPPORT OF JUDICIARY.

5-60 (a) In addition to other fees authorized or required by law, the
 5-61 clerk of a district court, statutory county court, or county court
 5-62 shall collect a fee of \$37 on the filing of any civil suit to be used
 5-63 for court-related purposes for the support of the judiciary.

5-64 (b) The treasurer shall remit the fees collected under this
 5-65 section to the comptroller in the manner provided by Subchapter B.

5-66 SECTION 20. Section 101.061, Government Code, is amended to
 5-67 read as follows:

5-68 Sec. 101.061. DISTRICT COURT FEES AND COSTS. The clerk of a
 5-69 district court shall collect fees and costs as follows:

6-1 (1) filing fee in action with respect to a fraudulent
6-2 court record or fraudulent lien or claim filed against property
6-3 (Sec. 12.005, Civil Practice and Remedies Code) . . . \$15;
6-4 (2) fee for service of notice of action with respect to
6-5 a fraudulent court record or fraudulent lien or claim filed against
6-6 property (Sec. 12.005, Civil Practice and Remedies Code) . . . not
6-7 to exceed \$20, if notice delivered in person, or the cost of
6-8 postage, if service is by registered or certified mail;
6-9 (3) court cost in certain civil cases to establish and
6-10 maintain an alternative dispute resolution system, if authorized by
6-11 the county commissioners court (Sec. 152.004, Civil Practice and
6-12 Remedies Code) . . . not to exceed \$10;
6-13 (4) appellate judicial system filing fees for:
6-14 (A) First or Fourteenth Court of Appeals District
6-15 (Sec. 22.2021, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;
6-16 (B) Second Court of Appeals District (Sec.
6-17 22.2031, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;
6-18 (C) Fourth Court of Appeals District (Sec.
6-19 22.2051, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;
6-20 (D) Fifth Court of Appeals District (Sec.
6-21 22.2061, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5; and
6-22 (E) Thirteenth Court of Appeals District (Sec.
6-23 22.2141, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;
6-24 (5) additional filing fees:
6-25 (A) for each suit filed for insurance contingency
6-26 fund, if authorized by the county commissioners court (Sec. 51.302,
6-27 Government Code) . . . not to exceed \$5;
6-28 (B) for each civil suit filed, for court-related
6-29 purposes for the support of the judiciary and for civil legal
6-30 services to an indigent:
6-31 (i) for family law cases and proceedings as
6-32 defined by Section 25.0002, Government Code (Sec. 133.151, Local
6-33 Government Code) . . . \$45; or
6-34 (ii) for any case other than a case
6-35 described by Subparagraph (i) (Sec. 133.151, Local Government
6-36 Code) . . . \$50;
6-37 (C) to fund the improvement of Dallas County
6-38 civil court facilities, if authorized by the county commissioners
6-39 court (Sec. 51.705, Government Code) . . . not more than \$15; ~~and~~
6-40 (D) on the filing of any civil action or
6-41 proceeding requiring a filing fee, including an appeal, and on the
6-42 filing of any counterclaim, cross-action, intervention,
6-43 interpleader, or third-party action requiring a filing fee, to fund
6-44 civil legal services for the indigent:
6-45 (i) for family law cases and proceedings as
6-46 defined by Section 25.0002, Government Code (Sec. 133.152, Local
6-47 Government Code) . . . \$5; or
6-48 (ii) for any case other than a case
6-49 described by Subparagraph (i) (Sec. 133.152, Local Government
6-50 Code) . . . \$10; and
6-51 (E) for each civil suit filed, to be used for
6-52 court-related purposes for the support of the judiciary (Sec.
6-53 133.154, Local Government Code) . . . \$37;
6-54 (6) for filing a suit, including an appeal from an
6-55 inferior court:
6-56 (A) for a suit with 10 or fewer plaintiffs (Sec.
6-57 51.317, Government Code) . . . \$50;
6-58 (B) for a suit with at least 11 but not more than
6-59 25 plaintiffs (Sec. 51.317, Government Code) . . . \$75;
6-60 (C) for a suit with at least 26 but not more than
6-61 100 plaintiffs (Sec. 51.317, Government Code) . . . \$100;
6-62 (D) for a suit with at least 101 but not more than
6-63 500 plaintiffs (Sec. 51.317, Government Code) . . . \$125;
6-64 (E) for a suit with at least 501 but not more than
6-65 1,000 plaintiffs (Sec. 51.317, Government Code) . . . \$150; or
6-66 (F) for a suit with more than 1,000 plaintiffs
6-67 (Sec. 51.317, Government Code) . . . \$200;
6-68 (7) for filing a cross-action, counterclaim,
6-69 intervention, contempt action, motion for new trial, or third-party

7-1 petition (Sec. 51.317, Government Code) . . . \$15;

7-2 (8) for issuing a citation or other writ or process not

7-3 otherwise provided for, including one copy, when requested at the

7-4 time a suit or action is filed (Sec. 51.317, Government

7-5 Code) . . . \$8;

7-6 (9) for records management and preservation (Sec.

7-7 51.317, Government Code) . . . \$10;

7-8 (10) for issuing a subpoena, including one copy (Sec.

7-9 51.318, Government Code) . . . \$8;

7-10 (11) for issuing a citation, commission for

7-11 deposition, writ of execution, order of sale, writ of execution and

7-12 order of sale, writ of injunction, writ of garnishment, writ of

7-13 attachment, or writ of sequestration not provided for in Section

7-14 51.317, or any other writ or process not otherwise provided for,

7-15 including one copy if required by law (Sec. 51.318, Government

7-16 Code) . . . \$8;

7-17 (12) for searching files or records to locate a cause

7-18 when the docket number is not provided (Sec. 51.318, Government

7-19 Code) . . . \$5;

7-20 (13) for searching files or records to ascertain the

7-21 existence of an instrument or record in the district clerk's office

7-22 (Sec. 51.318, Government Code) . . . \$5;

7-23 (14) for abstracting a judgment (Sec. 51.318,

7-24 Government Code) . . . \$8;

7-25 (15) for approving a bond (Sec. 51.318, Government

7-26 Code) . . . \$4;

7-27 (16) for a certified copy of a record, judgment,

7-28 order, pleading, or paper on file or of record in the district

7-29 clerk's office, including certificate and seal, for each page or

7-30 part of a page (Sec. 51.318, Government Code) . . . \$1;

7-31 (17) for a noncertified copy, for each page or part of

7-32 a page (Sec. 51.318, Government Code) . . . not to exceed \$1;

7-33 (18) jury fee (Sec. 51.604, Government

7-34 Code) . . . \$30;

7-35 (19) for filing a report of divorce or annulment (Sec.

7-36 194.002, Health and Safety Code) . . . \$1;

7-37 (20) for filing a suit in Comal County (Sec. 152.0522,

7-38 Human Resources Code) . . . \$4;

7-39 (21) additional filing fee for family protection on

7-40 filing a suit for dissolution of a marriage under Chapter 6, Family

7-41 Code, if authorized by the county commissioners court (Sec. 51.961,

7-42 Government Code) . . . not to exceed \$15;

7-43 (22) fee on filing a suit for dissolution of a marriage

7-44 for services of child support department in Harris County, if

7-45 authorized by the county commissioners court (Sec. 152.1074, Human

7-46 Resources Code) . . . not to exceed \$12;

7-47 (23) fee on filing a suit requesting an adoption in

7-48 Montague County (Sec. 152.1752, Human Resources Code) . . . \$25;

7-49 (24) court cost on citation for contempt of court for

7-50 failure to comply with child support order in Nueces County, if

7-51 authorized by the commissioners court (Sec. 152.1844, Human

7-52 Resources Code) . . . not to exceed \$10;

7-53 (25) fee on filing a suit for divorce in Orange County

7-54 (Sec. 152.1873, Human Resources Code) . . . not less than \$5;

7-55 (26) court costs on citation for contempt of court in

7-56 Orange County for failure to comply with a child support order or

7-57 order providing for possession of or access to a child (Sec.

7-58 152.1873, Human Resources Code) . . . amount determined by

7-59 district clerk;

7-60 (27) fee on filing a suit requesting an adoption in

7-61 Orange County (Sec. 152.1874, Human Resources Code) . . . not less

7-62 than \$25;

7-63 (28) fee on filing a suit requesting an adoption in

7-64 Wichita County (Sec. 152.2496, Human Resources Code) . . . \$100;

7-65 (29) additional filing fee to fund the courthouse

7-66 security fund, if authorized by the county commissioners court

7-67 (Sec. 291.008, Local Government Code) . . . not to exceed \$5;

7-68 (30) additional filing fee for filing documents not

7-69 subject to certain filing fees to fund the courthouse security

8-1 fund, if authorized by the county commissioners court (Sec.
8-2 291.008, Local Government Code) . . . \$1;

8-3 (31) additional filing fee to fund the courthouse
8-4 security fund in Webb County, if authorized by the county
8-5 commissioners court (Sec. 291.009, Local Government
8-6 Code) . . . not to exceed \$20;

8-7 (32) court cost in civil cases other than suits for
8-8 delinquent taxes to fund the county law library fund, if authorized
8-9 by the county commissioners court (Sec. 323.023, Local Government
8-10 Code) . . . not to exceed \$35;

8-11 (33) when administering a case for the Rockwall County
8-12 Court at Law (Sec. 25.2012, Government Code) . . . civil fees and
8-13 court costs as if the case had been filed in district court;

8-14 (34) at a hearing held by an associate judge in Dallas
8-15 County, a court cost to preserve the record, in the absence of a
8-16 court reporter, by other means (Sec. 54.509, Government Code) . . .
8-17 as assessed by the referring court or associate judge; and

8-18 (35) at a hearing held by an associate judge in Duval
8-19 County, a court cost to preserve the record (Sec. 54.1151,
8-20 Government Code, as added by Chapter 1150, Acts of the 78th
8-21 Legislature, Regular Session, 2003) . . . as imposed by the
8-22 referring court or associate judge.

8-23 SECTION 21. Section 101.081, Government Code, is amended to
8-24 read as follows:

8-25 Sec. 101.081. STATUTORY COUNTY COURT FEES AND COSTS. The
8-26 clerk of a statutory county court shall collect fees and costs as
8-27 follows:

8-28 (1) court cost in certain civil cases to establish and
8-29 maintain an alternative dispute resolution system, if authorized by
8-30 the county commissioners court (Sec. 152.004, Civil Practice and
8-31 Remedies Code) . . . not to exceed \$10;

8-32 (2) appellate judicial system filing fees:

8-33 (A) First or Fourteenth Court of Appeals District
8-34 (Sec. 22.2021, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;

8-35 (B) Second Court of Appeals District (Sec.
8-36 22.2031, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;

8-37 (C) Fourth Court of Appeals District (Sec.
8-38 22.2051, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;

8-39 (D) Fifth Court of Appeals District (Sec.
8-40 22.2061, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5; and

8-41 (E) Thirteenth Court of Appeals District (Sec.
8-42 22.2141, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;

8-43 (3) an official court reporter fee, County Court at
8-44 Law No. 2 of Bexar County (Sec. 25.0172, Government Code) . . . \$3;

8-45 (4) a court reporter fee when testimony is taken in a
8-46 county court at law in McLennan County (Sec. 25.1572, Government
8-47 Code) . . . \$3;

8-48 (5) a stenographer fee, if a record or part of a record
8-49 is made:

8-50 (A) in a county court at law in Hidalgo County
8-51 (Sec. 25.1102, Government Code) . . . \$20; and

8-52 (B) in a county court at law in Nolan County (Sec.
8-53 25.1792, Government Code) . . . \$25;

8-54 (6) jury fee (Sec. 51.604, Government
8-55 Code) . . . \$22;

8-56 (7) an additional filing fee:

8-57 (A) for each civil case filed to be used for
8-58 court-related purposes for the support of the judiciary, if
8-59 authorized by the county commissioners court (Sec. 51.702,
8-60 Government Code) . . . \$40;

8-61 (B) to fund the improvement of Dallas County
8-62 civil court facilities, if authorized by the county commissioners
8-63 court (Sec. 51.705, Government Code) . . . not more than \$15; ~~and~~

8-64 (C) for filing any civil action or proceeding
8-65 requiring a filing fee, including an appeal, and on the filing of
8-66 any counterclaim, cross-action, intervention, interpleader, or
8-67 third-party action requiring a filing fee, to fund civil legal
8-68 services for the indigent (Sec. 133.153, Local Government Code)
8-69 . . . \$5; and

9-1 (D) for each civil suit filed, to be used for
 9-2 court-related purposes for the support of the judiciary (Sec.
 9-3 133.154, Local Government Code) . . . \$37;
 9-4 (8) for filing an application for registration of
 9-5 death (Sec. 193.007, Health and Safety Code) . . . \$1;
 9-6 (9) fee for judge's services on an application for
 9-7 court-ordered mental health services (Sec. 574.031, Health and
 9-8 Safety Code) . . . not to exceed \$50;
 9-9 (10) fee for prosecutor's services on an application
 9-10 for court-ordered mental health services (Sec. 574.031, Health and
 9-11 Safety Code) . . . not to exceed \$50;
 9-12 (11) for filing a suit in Comal County (Sec. 152.0522,
 9-13 Human Resources Code) . . . \$4;
 9-14 (12) additional filing fee to fund contingency fund
 9-15 for liability insurance, if authorized by the county commissioners
 9-16 court (Sec. 82.003, Local Government Code) . . . not to exceed \$5;
 9-17 (13) civil court actions (Sec. 118.052, Local
 9-18 Government Code):
 9-19 (A) filing of original action (Secs. 118.052 and
 9-20 118.053, Local Government Code):
 9-21 (i) garnishment after judgment (Sec.
 9-22 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$15; and
 9-23 (ii) all others (Sec. 118.052, Local
 9-24 Government Code) . . . \$40;
 9-25 (B) filing of action other than original (Secs.
 9-26 118.052 and 118.054, Local Government Code) . . . \$30; and
 9-27 (C) services rendered after judgment in original
 9-28 action (Secs. 118.052 and 118.0545, Local Government Code):
 9-29 (i) abstract of judgment (Sec. 118.052,
 9-30 Local Government Code) . . . \$5; and
 9-31 (ii) execution, order of sale, writ, or
 9-32 other process (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$5;
 9-33 (14) probate court actions (Sec. 118.052, Local
 9-34 Government Code):
 9-35 (A) probate original action (Secs. 118.052 and
 9-36 118.055, Local Government Code):
 9-37 (i) probate of a will with independent
 9-38 executor, administration with will attached, administration of an
 9-39 estate, guardianship or receivership of an estate, or muniment of
 9-40 title (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$40;
 9-41 (ii) community survivors (Sec. 118.052,
 9-42 Local Government Code) . . . \$40;
 9-43 (iii) small estates (Sec. 118.052, Local
 9-44 Government Code) . . . \$40;
 9-45 (iv) declarations of heirship (Sec.
 9-46 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$40;
 9-47 (v) mental health or chemical dependency
 9-48 services (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$40; and
 9-49 (vi) additional, special fee (Secs. 118.052
 9-50 and 118.064, Local Government Code) . . . \$5;
 9-51 (B) services in pending probate action (Secs.
 9-52 118.052 and 118.056, Local Government Code):
 9-53 (i) filing an inventory and appraisalment
 9-54 after the 120th day after the date of the initial filing of the
 9-55 action (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$25;
 9-56 (ii) approving and recording bond (Sec.
 9-57 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$3;
 9-58 (iii) administering oath (Sec. 118.052,
 9-59 Local Government Code) . . . \$2;
 9-60 (iv) filing annual or final account of
 9-61 estate (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$25;
 9-62 (v) filing application for sale of real or
 9-63 personal property (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$25;
 9-64 and
 9-65 (vi) filing annual or final report of
 9-66 guardian of a person (Sec. 118.052, Local Government
 9-67 Code) . . . \$10;
 9-68 (C) adverse probate action (Secs. 118.052 and
 9-69 118.057, Local Government Code) . . . \$40; and

10-1 (D) claim against estate (Secs. 118.052 and
10-2 118.058, Local Government Code) . . . \$2;
10-3 (15) other fees (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code):
10-4 (A) issuing document (Secs. 118.052 and 118.059,
10-5 Local Government Code):
10-6 (i) original document and one copy (Sec.
10-7 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$4; and
10-8 (ii) each additional set of an original and
10-9 one copy (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$4;
10-10 (B) certified papers (Secs. 118.052 and 118.060,
10-11 Local Government Code):
10-12 (i) for the clerk's certificate (Sec.
10-13 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$5; and
10-14 (ii) a fee per page or part of a page (Sec.
10-15 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$1;
10-16 (C) noncertified papers, for each page or part of
10-17 a page (Secs. 118.052 and 118.0605, Local Government
10-18 Code) . . . \$1;
10-19 (D) letters testamentary, letter of
10-20 guardianship, letter of administration, or abstract of judgment
10-21 (Secs. 118.052 and 118.061, Local Government Code) . . . \$2;
10-22 (E) safekeeping of wills (Secs. 118.052 and
10-23 118.062, Local Government Code) . . . \$5;
10-24 (F) mail service of process (Secs. 118.052 and
10-25 118.063, Local Government Code) . . . same as sheriff; and
10-26 (G) records management and preservation fee
10-27 (Secs. 118.052, 118.0546, and 118.0645, Local Government Code)
10-28 . . . \$5;
10-29 (16) additional filing fee to fund the courthouse
10-30 security fund, if authorized by the county commissioners court
10-31 (Sec. 291.008, Local Government Code) . . . not to exceed \$5;
10-32 (17) additional filing fee for filing documents not
10-33 subject to certain filing fees to fund the courthouse security
10-34 fund, if authorized by the county commissioners court (Sec.
10-35 291.008, Local Government Code) . . . \$1;
10-36 (18) additional filing fee to fund the courthouse
10-37 security fund in Webb County, if authorized by the county
10-38 commissioners court (Sec. 291.009, Local Government
10-39 Code) . . . not to exceed \$20;
10-40 (19) court cost in civil cases other than suits for
10-41 delinquent taxes to fund the county law library fund, if authorized
10-42 by the county commissioners court (Sec. 323.023, Local Government
10-43 Code) . . . not to exceed \$35;
10-44 (20) fee for deposit of a will with the county clerk
10-45 during testator's lifetime (Sec. 71, Texas Probate Code) . . . \$3;
10-46 (21) court cost for each special commissioner in an
10-47 eminent domain proceeding (Sec. 21.047, Property Code) . . . as
10-48 taxed by the court, \$10 or more; and
10-49 (22) fee for county attorney in a suit regarding a
10-50 railroad company's failure to keep roadbed and right-of-way in
10-51 proper condition (Art. 6327, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes)
10-52 . . . \$10.
10-53 SECTION 22. Section 101.121, Government Code, is amended to
10-54 read as follows:
10-55 Sec. 101.121. COUNTY COURT FEES AND COSTS. The clerk of a
10-56 county court shall collect:
10-57 (1) fee for hearing on application for a license to
10-58 manufacture, distribute, store, or sell beer (Sec. 61.31, Alcoholic
10-59 Beverage Code) . . . \$5;
10-60 (2) court cost in certain civil cases to establish and
10-61 maintain an alternative dispute resolution system, if authorized by
10-62 the county commissioners court (Sec. 152.004, Civil Practice and
10-63 Remedies Code) . . . not to exceed \$10;
10-64 (3) appellate judicial system filing fees:
10-65 (A) First or Fourteenth Court of Appeals District
10-66 (Sec. 22.2021, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;
10-67 (B) Second Court of Appeals District (Sec.
10-68 22.2031, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;
10-69 (C) Fourth Court of Appeals District (Sec.

11-1 22.2051, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;
 11-2 (D) Fifth Court of Appeals District (Sec.
 11-3 22.2061, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5; and
 11-4 (E) Thirteenth Court of Appeals District (Sec.
 11-5 22.2141, Government Code) . . . not more than \$5;
 11-6 (4) a jury fee (Sec. 51.604, Government Code)
 11-7 . . . \$22;
 11-8 (5) a filing fee in each civil case filed to be used
 11-9 for court-related purposes for the support of the judiciary (Sec.
 11-10 51.703, Government Code) . . . \$40;
 11-11 (6) for filing an application for registration of
 11-12 death (Sec. 193.007, Health and Safety Code) . . . \$1;
 11-13 (7) fee for judge's services on an application for
 11-14 court-ordered mental health services (Sec. 574.031, Health and
 11-15 Safety Code) . . . not to exceed \$50;
 11-16 (8) fee for prosecutor's services on an application
 11-17 for court-ordered mental health services (Sec. 574.031, Health and
 11-18 Safety Code) . . . not to exceed \$50;
 11-19 (9) additional filing fee to fund contingency fund for
 11-20 liability insurance, if authorized by the county commissioners
 11-21 court (Sec. 82.003, Local Government Code) . . . not to exceed \$5;
 11-22 (10) civil court actions (Sec. 118.052, Local
 11-23 Government Code):
 11-24 (A) filing of original action (Secs. 118.052 and
 11-25 118.053, Local Government Code):
 11-26 (i) garnishment after judgment (Sec.
 11-27 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$15; and
 11-28 (ii) all others (Sec. 118.052, Local
 11-29 Government Code) . . . \$40;
 11-30 (B) filing of action other than original (Secs.
 11-31 118.052 and 118.054, Local Government Code) . . . \$30; and
 11-32 (C) services rendered after judgment in original
 11-33 action (Secs. 118.052 and 118.0545, Local Government Code):
 11-34 (i) abstract of judgment (Sec. 118.052,
 11-35 Local Government Code) . . . \$5; and
 11-36 (ii) execution, order of sale, writ, or
 11-37 other process (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$5;
 11-38 (11) probate court actions (Sec. 118.052, Local
 11-39 Government Code):
 11-40 (A) probate original action (Secs. 118.052 and
 11-41 118.055, Local Government Code):
 11-42 (i) probate of a will with independent
 11-43 executor, administration with will attached, administration of an
 11-44 estate, guardianship or receivership of an estate, or muniment of
 11-45 title (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$40;
 11-46 (ii) community survivors (Sec. 118.052,
 11-47 Local Government Code) . . . \$40;
 11-48 (iii) small estates (Sec. 118.052, Local
 11-49 Government Code) . . . \$40;
 11-50 (iv) declarations of heirship (Sec.
 11-51 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$40;
 11-52 (v) mental health or chemical dependency
 11-53 services (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$40; and
 11-54 (vi) additional, special fee (Secs. 118.052
 11-55 and 118.064, Local Government Code) . . . \$5;
 11-56 (B) services in pending probate action (Secs.
 11-57 118.052 and 118.056, Local Government Code):
 11-58 (i) filing an inventory and appraisalment
 11-59 after the 120th day after the date of the initial filing of the
 11-60 action (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$25;
 11-61 (ii) approving and recording bond (Sec.
 11-62 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$3;
 11-63 (iii) administering oath (Sec. 118.052,
 11-64 Local Government Code) . . . \$2;
 11-65 (iv) filing annual or final account of
 11-66 estate (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$25;
 11-67 (v) filing application for sale of real or
 11-68 personal property (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$25;
 11-69 and

12-1 (vi) filing annual or final report of
 12-2 guardian of a person (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code)
 12-3 . . . \$10;
 12-4 (C) adverse probate action (Secs. 118.052 and
 12-5 118.057, Local Government Code) . . . \$40; and
 12-6 (D) claim against estate (Secs. 118.052 and
 12-7 118.058, Local Government Code) . . . \$2;
 12-8 (12) other fees (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code):
 12-9 (A) issuing document (Secs. 118.052 and 118.059,
 12-10 Local Government Code):
 12-11 (i) original document and one copy (Sec.
 12-12 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$4; and
 12-13 (ii) each additional set of an original and
 12-14 one copy (Sec. 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$4;
 12-15 (B) certified papers (Secs. 118.052 and 118.060,
 12-16 Local Government Code):
 12-17 (i) for the clerk's certificate (Sec.
 12-18 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$5; and
 12-19 (ii) a fee per page or part of a page (Sec.
 12-20 118.052, Local Government Code) . . . \$1;
 12-21 (C) noncertified papers, for each page or part of
 12-22 a page (Secs. 118.052 and 118.0605, Local Government Code)
 12-23 . . . \$1;
 12-24 (D) letters testamentary, letter of
 12-25 guardianship, letter of administration, or abstract of judgment
 12-26 (Secs. 118.052 and 118.061, Local Government Code) . . . \$2;
 12-27 (E) safekeeping of wills (Secs. 118.052 and
 12-28 118.062, Local Government Code) . . . \$5;
 12-29 (F) mail service of process (Secs. 118.052 and
 12-30 118.063, Local Government Code) . . . same as sheriff; and
 12-31 (G) records management and preservation fee
 12-32 (Secs. 118.052, 118.0546, and 118.0645, Local Government Code)
 12-33 . . . \$5;
 12-34 (13) deposit on filing petition requesting permission
 12-35 to create a municipal civic center authority (Sec. 281.013, Local
 12-36 Government Code) . . . \$200;
 12-37 (14) additional filing fee to fund the courthouse
 12-38 security fund, if authorized by the county commissioners court
 12-39 (Sec. 291.008, Local Government Code) . . . not to exceed \$5;
 12-40 (15) additional filing fee for filing documents not
 12-41 subject to certain filing fees to fund the courthouse security
 12-42 fund, if authorized by the county commissioners court (Sec.
 12-43 291.008, Local Government Code) . . . \$1;
 12-44 (16) additional filing fee to fund the courthouse
 12-45 security fund in Webb County, if authorized by the county
 12-46 commissioners court (Sec. 291.009, Local Government Code)
 12-47 . . . not to exceed \$20;
 12-48 (17) court cost in civil cases other than suits for
 12-49 delinquent taxes to fund the county law library fund, if authorized
 12-50 by the county commissioners court (Sec. 323.023, Local Government
 12-51 Code) . . . not to exceed \$35;
 12-52 (18) fee for deposit of a will with the county clerk
 12-53 during testator's lifetime (Sec. 71, Texas Probate Code) . . . \$3;
 12-54 (19) fee for county attorney in a suit regarding a
 12-55 railroad company's failure to keep roadbed and right-of-way in
 12-56 proper condition (Art. 6327, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes)
 12-57 . . . \$10;
 12-58 (20) appeal bond from a petitioner or taxpayer in a
 12-59 water control and preservation district (Art. 7818, Vernon's Texas
 12-60 Civil Statutes) . . . \$100; ~~and~~
 12-61 (21) additional filing fee for filing any civil action
 12-62 or proceeding requiring a filing fee, including an appeal, and on
 12-63 the filing of any counterclaim, cross-action, intervention,
 12-64 interpleader, or third-party action requiring a filing fee, to fund
 12-65 civil legal services for the indigent (Sec. 133.153, Local
 12-66 Government Code) . . . \$5; and
 12-67 (22) additional filing fee for each civil suit filed,
 12-68 to be used for court-related purposes for the support of the
 12-69 judiciary (Sec. 133.154, Local Government Code) . . . \$37.

13-1 SECTION 23. Section 102.021, Government Code, is amended to
13-2 read as follows:

13-3 Sec. 102.021. COURT COSTS ON CONVICTION. A person
13-4 convicted of an offense shall pay, in addition to all other costs:

13-5 (1) court costs on conviction of a felony (Sec.
13-6 133.102, Local Government Code) . . . \$133;

13-7 (2) court costs on conviction of a Class A or Class B
13-8 misdemeanor (Sec. 133.102, Local Government Code) . . . \$83;

13-9 (3) court costs on conviction of a nonjailable
13-10 misdemeanor offense, including a criminal violation of a municipal
13-11 ordinance, other than a conviction of an offense relating to a
13-12 pedestrian or the parking of a motor vehicle (Sec. 133.102, Local
13-13 Government Code) . . . \$40;

13-14 (4) court costs on certain convictions in statutory
13-15 county courts (Sec. 51.702, Government Code) . . . \$15;

13-16 (5) court costs on certain convictions in certain
13-17 county courts (Sec. 51.703, Government Code) . . . \$15;

13-18 (6) a time payment fee if convicted of a felony or
13-19 misdemeanor for paying any part of a fine, court costs, or
13-20 restitution on or after the 31st day after the date on which a
13-21 judgment is entered assessing the fine, court costs, or restitution
13-22 (Sec. 133.103, Local Government Code) . . . \$25;

13-23 (7) a fee for services of prosecutor (Art. 102.008,
13-24 Code of Criminal Procedure) . . . \$25;

13-25 (8) fees for services of peace officer:
13-26 (A) issuing a written notice to appear in court
13-27 for certain violations (Art. 102.011, Code of Criminal Procedure)
13-28 . . . \$5;

13-29 (B) executing or processing an issued arrest
13-30 warrant or capias (Art. 102.011, Code of Criminal
13-31 Procedure) . . . \$50;

13-32 (C) summoning a witness (Art. 102.011, Code of
13-33 Criminal Procedure) . . . \$5;

13-34 (D) serving a writ not otherwise listed (Art.
13-35 102.011, Code of Criminal Procedure) . . . \$35;

13-36 (E) taking and approving a bond and, if
13-37 necessary, returning the bond to courthouse (Art. 102.011, Code of
13-38 Criminal Procedure) . . . \$10;

13-39 (F) commitment or release (Art. 102.011, Code of
13-40 Criminal Procedure) . . . \$5;

13-41 (G) summoning a jury (Art. 102.011, Code of
13-42 Criminal Procedure) . . . \$5;

13-43 (H) attendance of a prisoner in habeas corpus
13-44 case if prisoner has been remanded to custody or held to bail (Art.
13-45 102.011, Code of Criminal Procedure) . . . \$8 each day;

13-46 (I) mileage for certain services performed (Art.
13-47 102.011, Code of Criminal Procedure) . . . \$0.29 per mile; and

13-48 (J) services of a sheriff or constable who serves
13-49 process and attends examining trial in certain cases (Art. 102.011,
13-50 Code of Criminal Procedure) . . . not to exceed \$5;

13-51 (9) services of a peace officer in conveying a witness
13-52 outside the county (Art. 102.011, Code of Criminal
13-53 Procedure) . . . \$10 per day or part of a day, plus actual
13-54 necessary travel expenses;

13-55 (10) overtime of peace officer for time spent
13-56 testifying in the trial or traveling to or from testifying in the
13-57 trial (Art. 102.011, Code of Criminal Procedure) . . . actual
13-58 cost;

13-59 (11) court costs on an offense relating to rules of the
13-60 road, when offense occurs within a school crossing zone (Art.
13-61 102.014, Code of Criminal Procedure) . . . \$25;

13-62 (12) court costs on an offense of passing a school bus
13-63 (Art. 102.014, Code of Criminal Procedure) . . . \$25;

13-64 (13) court costs on an offense of truancy or
13-65 contributing to truancy (Art. 102.014, Code of Criminal
13-66 Procedure) . . . \$20;

13-67 (14) cost for visual recording of intoxication arrest
13-68 before conviction (Art. 102.018, Code of Criminal
13-69 Procedure) . . . \$15;

14-1 (15) cost of certain evaluations (Art. 102.018, Code
14-2 of Criminal Procedure) . . . actual cost;

14-3 (16) additional costs attendant to certain
14-4 intoxication convictions under Chapter 49, Penal Code, for
14-5 emergency medical services, trauma facilities, and trauma care
14-6 systems (Art. 102.0185, Code of Criminal Procedure) . . . \$100;

14-7 (17) cost for DNA testing for certain felonies (Art.
14-8 102.020, Code of Criminal Procedure) . . . \$250;

14-9 (18) court cost on an offense of public lewdness or
14-10 indecent exposure (Art. 102.020, Code of Criminal
14-11 Procedure) . . . \$50;

14-12 (19) court cost on conviction of a misdemeanor under
14-13 Subtitle C, Title 7, Transportation Code (Sec. 542.403,
14-14 Transportation Code) . . . \$3;

14-15 (20) cost for impoundment of vehicle (Sec. 601.263,
14-16 Transportation Code) . . . \$15 per day; ~~and~~

14-17 (21) a civil and criminal enforcement cost on
14-18 conviction of an offense of, or related to, the nonpayment of a toll
14-19 in certain counties (Sec. 284.2031, Transportation Code) . . . \$1;
14-20 and

14-21 (22) court cost on conviction of any offense, other
14-22 than a conviction of an offense relating to a pedestrian or the
14-23 parking of a motor vehicle (Sec. 133.105, Local Government
14-24 Code) . . . \$7.

14-25 SECTION 24. Section 51.607, Government Code, does not apply
14-26 to court costs or fees imposed under this Act.

14-27 SECTION 25. (a) Not later than December 1, 2005, the
14-28 Office of Court Administration of the Texas Judicial System shall
14-29 begin collecting the data required by Section 72.030, Government
14-30 Code, as added by this Act.

14-31 (b) Not later than December 1, 2005, the State Bar of Texas
14-32 shall begin collecting the data required by Section 81.116,
14-33 Government Code, as added by this Act.

14-34 SECTION 26. (a) Section 814.103, Government Code, as
14-35 amended by this Act, and Section 814.1031, Government Code, as
14-36 added by this Act, apply only to an annuity payment made on or after
14-37 September 1, 2005.

14-38 (b) The Employees Retirement System of Texas shall
14-39 recompute an annuity that first became payable before September 1,
14-40 2005, as though Section 814.103, Government Code, as amended by
14-41 this Act, and Section 814.1031, as added by this Act, were in effect
14-42 on the date the annuity first became payable.

14-43 (c) The first payment of the recomputed annuity is payable
14-44 on the first payment date occurring on or after September 1, 2005.

14-45 SECTION 27. Sections 834.102 and 839.102, Government Code,
14-46 as amended by this Act, apply only to a benefit payment made by the
14-47 Judicial Retirement System of Texas Plan One or the Judicial
14-48 Retirement System of Texas Plan Two, on or after September 1, 2005.

14-49 SECTION 28. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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