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H.B. No. 3739

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to the distribution of the consolidated court cost.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 133.102(e), Local Government Code is amended to read as follows:

(e) The comptroller shall allocate the court costs received under this section to the following accounts and funds so that each receives to the extent practicable, utilizing historical data as applicable, the same amount of money the account or fund would have received if the court costs for the accounts and funds had been collected and reported separately, except that the account or fund may not receive less than the following percentages:

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| (1) [abused children's counseling] | 0.0088 percent; |
| (2) crime stoppers assistance | 0.2581 percent; |
| (<u>2</u> [3]) breath alcohol testing | 0.5507 percent; |
| (<u>3</u> [4]) Bill Blackwood Law Enforcement Management Institute | 2.1683 percent; |
| (<u>4</u> [5]) law enforcement officers standards and education | |
| (6) comprehensive rehabilitation | 9.8218 percent; |
| (<u>5</u> [7]) law enforcement and custodial officer supplemental retirement fund | 11.1426 percent; |
| (<u>6</u> [8]) criminal justice planning | 12.5537 percent; |
| (<u>7</u> [9]) an account in the state treasury to be used | |

1 only for the establishment and operation of the Center for the Study
2 and Prevention of Juvenile Crime and Delinquency at Prairie View
3 A&M University 1.2090 percent;
4 (8 [~~10~~]) compensation to victims of crime fund
5 37.6338 percent;
6 (9 [~~11~~]) emergency radio infrastructure account
7 5.5904 percent;
8 (10 [~~12~~]) judicial and court personnel training
9 fund 4.8362 percent;
10 (11 [~~13~~]) an account in the state treasury to be used
11 for the establishment and operation of the Correctional Management
12 Institute of Texas and Criminal Justice Center Account
13 (12 [~~14~~]) fair defense account 17.8448 [~~8.0143~~]
14 percent.

15 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives
16 a vote of two-third of all the members elected to each house, as
17 provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this
18 Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this
19 Act takes effect September 1, 2017.