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9 A BILL  
10 TO BE ENTITLED  
11 AN ACT  
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13 Relating to Escambia County; to amend Section 1 of  
14 Act 2007-343 of the 2007 Regular Session (Acts 2007, p. 611),  
15 to further provide for the court costs in the circuit,  
16 district, juvenile, and small claims court for the Escambia  
17 County Law Library and Judicial Administration Fund.

18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

19 Section 1. Section 1 of Act 2007-343 of the 2007  
20 Regular Session (Acts 2007, p. 611), is amended to read as  
21 follows:

22 "Section 1. In Escambia County, in order to provide  
23 a special fund for the creation and maintenance of the law  
24 library and for the purposes of judicial administration as  
25 further specified in this act, there shall be taxed as  
26 additional court costs the sum of thirty dollars (\$30) in each  
27 civil or quasi-civil action at law, small claims case, suit in

1 equity, criminal case, traffic case, quasi-criminal case,  
2 juvenile court case, proceeding on forfeited bail bond, or a  
3 proceeding on a forfeited bond given in connection with an  
4 appeal from a judgment of conviction in any district or  
5 municipal court to each circuit court or to the juvenile court  
6 hereinafter filed in, arising in, or brought by appeal,  
7 certiorari, or otherwise to the circuit court or district  
8 court or to the juvenile court in Escambia County. The costs  
9 shall be collected as other costs in cases are collected by  
10 the clerk of the court and shall be paid to the Escambia  
11 County Commission. When any part of the costs in a case have  
12 been paid, the amount paid shall first be applied to the  
13 payment of court costs provided by this act before applying  
14 any court costs paid to any other items of court costs."

15 Section 2. This act shall become effective on the  
16 first day of the third month following its passage and  
17 approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.