

1 HB567
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3 By Representatives Wood, Boyd, Brown and Hurst (N & P)
4 RFD: Local Legislation
5 First Read: 27-APR-11

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2 ENROLLED, An Act,

3 Relating to Calhoun County; providing for the
4 assessment and collection of a drug and violent crime
5 reduction fee payable to the Calhoun/Cleburne Drug and Violent
6 Crime Task Force in all criminal cases in the amount of
7 twenty-five dollars (\$25); and providing for the disbursement
8 of the fund.

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

10 Section 1. In all juvenile, traffic, criminal, and
11 quasi-criminal cases in the juvenile, district, circuit, and
12 municipal courts in Calhoun County, a docket fee in the amount
13 of twenty-five dollars (\$25), hereinafter referred to as a
14 drug and violent crime reduction fee, shall be assessed in
15 each case. The fees, when collected, shall be distributed
16 monthly as follows: In the case of municipalities, two dollars
17 (\$2) per case to the municipal court clerk's office, three
18 dollars (\$3) per case to the chief of police for use by the
19 police department, and twenty dollars (\$20) to the
20 Calhoun/Cleburne Drug and Violent Crime Task Force; in the
21 case of district and circuit court, two dollars (\$2) per case
22 to the circuit court clerk's office, three dollars (\$3) per
23 case to the Calhoun County Commission and twenty dollars (\$20)
24 to the Calhoun/Cleburne Drug and Violent Crime Task Force.

1 Section 2. The drug and violent crime reduction fee
2 shall be collected in all criminal cases where the defendant
3 is adjudged guilty, a bond forfeited, a penalty imposed, or
4 where there is issued any alias or capias warrant of arrest.
5 The drug and violent crime reduction fee shall be in addition
6 to and not in lieu of any other fees or costs. The drug and
7 violent crime reduction fee shall not be waived or remitted
8 unless the defendant proves to the reasonable satisfaction of
9 the sentencing judge that the defendant is not capable of
10 paying the fee within the reasonably foreseeable future.

11 Section 3. The drug and violent crime reduction fee
12 may be expended, as the Board of the Calhoun/Cleburne Drug and
13 Violent Crime Task Force sees fit, for the payment of any and
14 all expenses incurred by the Calhoun/Cleburne Drug and Violent
15 Crime Task Force law enforcement and in the discharge of the
16 duties of the task force.

17 Section 4. This act shall become effective
18 immediately following its passage and approval by the
19 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in
and was passed by the House 03-MAY-11.

Greg Pappas
Clerk

Senate

24-MAY-11

Passed