

Department of Planning and Budget
2003 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number HB2425

House of Origin ☒ Introduced ☐ Substitute ☐ Engrossed

Second House ☐ In Committee ☐ Substitute ☐ Enrolled

2. Patron Marrs

3. Committee Courts of Justice

4. Title Fees collected by circuit court clerks.

5. Summary/Purpose: Add a \$10 fee to each filing of an action at law and each chancery case to be used for payment of juror fees through a local non-reverting fund, and provide that no clerk's fee is to be charged on estates under \$15,000 (currently \$5,000).

6. No Fiscal Impact.

7. Budget amendment necessary: No.

8. Fiscal implications: According to the Compensation Board, the proposed legislation would not have a fiscal impact since this fee is designated as a local fee to support the increasing costs of juries. Jury costs are supported through local funding.

9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: Circuit court clerks statewide.

10. Technical amendment necessary: No.

11. Other comments: None.

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cc: Secretary of Administration