



H.B. 456

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(As Introduced)

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BILL SUMMARY

- Authorizes the clerk of a municipal, mayor's, or county court to retain a poundage fee of 5% of any fines or costs established by law and not by the court for receiving and disbursing those fines or costs.
- Requires that poundage fees retained pursuant to the bill be used solely for the expenses of operating or administering the clerk's office.

CONTENT AND OPERATION

Poundage fees

The bill authorizes the clerk of a municipal, mayor's, or county court to retain a poundage fee of 5% of any fines or costs established by law and not by the court for receiving and disbursing those fines or costs. The money collected must be used solely for the expenses of operating or administering the clerk's office. The clerk must forward all payments of the fines and costs, minus the poundage fees, as prescribed by law. (R.C. 1901.314, 1905.06, and 1907.04.)

HISTORY

ACTION	DATE
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