

Prior law provided relative to Municipal Court of New Orleans. Specified position titles and monthly salaries of various deputy clerks in the Municipal Court of New Orleans.

New law removes references to specific salaries and retains prior law requiring that there shall not be less than 20 deputy clerks and other employees of the Municipal Court of New Orleans, and that all salaries of the clerks and deputy clerks of the Municipal Court of New Orleans shall be paid by the city of New Orleans.

Prior law provided that in Municipal Court of New Orleans cases in which a defendant is convicted after trial or after he pleads guilty or who forfeits his bond, the Municipal Court of New Orleans shall tax as costs a nonrefundable sum of \$15, which shall be in addition to all other fines, costs or forfeitures lawfully imposed.

New law provides that in cases of their jurisdiction, the Municipal Court of New Orleans shall assess costs against defendant convicted after trial or after he pleads guilty or who forfeits his bond.

New law increases the sum the defendant shall pay from \$15 to \$30.

Effective August 1, 2012.

(Amends R.S. 13:2497 and 2500.2(A)(1))