

Regular Session, 2012

SENATE BILL NO. 536

BY SENATOR PETERSON

PROBATION/PAROLE. Provides relative to probation and parole supervision fees.
(8/1/12)

1 AN ACT
2 To amend and reenact Children's Code Art. 901.1(A), relative to probation and parole
3 supervision fees; to provide with respect to a reduction in supervision fees; and to
4 provide for related matters.
5 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
6 Section 1. Children's Code Art. 901.1(A) is hereby amended and reenacted to read
7 as follows:
8 Art. 901.1. Probation and parole supervision fees
9 A. When the court suspends the imposition or execution of sentence and
10 places the child or his parent or both on supervised probation or grants the child
11 supervised parole, and the probationer or parolee is to be supervised by the
12 Department of Public Safety and Corrections or any other agency, the court shall
13 order payment, as a condition of probation or parole, of a monthly supervision fee.
14 The supervision fee imposed shall ~~be not less than ten nor more than one hundred~~
15 **not exceed ten** dollars per month and shall be payable to the department or other
16 supervising agency to defray the costs of supervision. These funds are only to
17 supplement the level of funds that would ordinarily be available from regular state

1 or other appropriations.

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Angela L. De Jean.

DIGEST

Present law provides that when the court suspends the imposition or execution of sentence and places the child or his parent or both on supervised probation or grants the child supervised parole, and the probationer or parolee is to be supervised by the DPS&C or any other agency, the court shall order payment, as a condition of probation or parole, of a monthly supervision fee.

Present law provides that the supervision fee imposed shall be not less than \$10 nor more than \$100 per month and shall be payable to the department or other supervising agency to defray the costs of supervision.

Present law provides that these funds are only to supplement the level of funds that would ordinarily be available from regular state or other appropriations.

Proposed law retains present law but provides that the supervision fee shall not exceed \$10.

Effective August 1, 2012.

(Amends Ch.C. Art. 901.1(A))