
DIGEST

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HB No. 16

Abstract: Authorizes an increase of \$10 in court costs for violations of municipal ordinances in the mayor's court in the town of Sterlington.

Present law (R.S. 33:441) authorizes a mayor, as the presiding officer of a mayor's court, to impose court costs, not to exceed \$30 for each offense, on any defendant convicted of a violation of a municipal ordinance.

Proposed law authorizes the mayor for the town of Sterlington to impose additional court costs not to exceed \$10 for each offense on any defendant convicted of a violation of a municipal ordinance.

Proposed law requires that the additional costs be allocated to the Sterlington Police Dept.

(Adds R.S. 33:447.9)