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Johnson

HB No. 295

Abstract: Authorizes an increase of \$85 in court costs for violations of municipal ordinances in the Mayor's Court of the town of Mansura.

<u>Present law</u> (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.

<u>Proposed law</u> authorizes the mayor for the town of Mansura to impose additional court costs not to exceed \$85 for each offense on any defendant convicted of a violation of a municipal ordinance.

(Adds R.S. 33:447.11)