2 **HB 1395** - S AMD 000716

3 By Senator Erwin

4 WITHDRAWN 4/16/93

- 5 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the 6 following:
- 7 "Sec. 1. RCW 26.04.160 and 1985 c 82 s 2 are each amended to read 8 as follows:
- 9 (1) Application for ((such)) <u>a</u> marriage license must be made and
- 10 filed with the appropriate county auditor upon blanks to be provided by
- 11 the county auditor for that purpose, which application shall be under
- 12 the oath of each of the applicants, and each application shall state
- 13 the name, address at the time of execution of application, age,
- 14 birthplace, whether single, widowed or divorced, and whether under
- 15 control of a guardian, residence during the past six months: PROVIDED,
- 16 That each county may require such other and further information on said
- 17 application as it shall deem necessary.
- 18 (2) The county legislative authority may impose an additional fee
- 19 up to one dollar on a marriage license for the purpose of funding
- 20 <u>family services such as family support centers.</u>
- 21 **Sec. 2.** RCW 36.18.020 and 1992 c 54 s 1 are each amended to read 22 as follows:
- Clerks of superior courts shall collect the following fees for their official services:
- 25 (1) The party filing the first or initial paper in any civil
- 26 action, including an action for restitution, or change of name, shall
- 27 pay, at the time said paper is filed, a fee of one hundred ten dollars
- 28 except in proceedings filed under RCW 26.50.030 or 49.60.227 where the
- 29 petitioner shall pay a filing fee of twenty dollars, or an unlawful
- 30 detainer action under chapter 59.18 or 59.20 RCW where the plaintiff
- 31 shall pay a filing fee of thirty dollars. If the defendant serves or
- 32 files an answer to an unlawful detainer complaint under chapter 59.18
- 33 or 59.20 RCW, the plaintiff shall pay, prior to proceeding with the
- 34 unlawful detainer action, an additional eighty dollars which shall be
- 35 considered part of the filing fee. The thirty dollar filing fee under

- 1 this subsection for an unlawful detainer action shall not include an
- 2 order to show cause or any other order or judgment except a default
- 3 order or default judgment in an unlawful detainer action. The county
- 4 <u>legislative authority may impose an additional fee up to fifteen</u>
- 5 dollars on any petition for dissolution of marriage, legal separation,
- 6 or a declaration concerning the validity of a marriage, for the purpose
- 7 of funding family services such as family support centers.
- 8 (2) Any party, except a defendant in a criminal case, filing the 9 first or initial paper on an appeal from a court of limited 10 jurisdiction or any party on any civil appeal, shall pay, when said 11 paper is filed, a fee of one hundred ten dollars.
- 12 (3) The party filing a transcript or abstract of judgment or 13 verdict from a United States court held in this state, or from the 14 superior court of another county or from a district court in the county 15 of issuance, shall pay at the time of filing, a fee of fifteen dollars.
- 16 (4) For the filing of a tax warrant by the department of revenue of 17 the state of Washington, a fee of five dollars shall be paid.
- 18 (5) For the filing of a petition for modification of a decree of 19 dissolution, a fee of twenty dollars shall be paid.
- 20 (6) The party filing a demand for jury of six in a civil action, 21 shall pay, at the time of filing, a fee of fifty dollars; if the demand 22 is for a jury of twelve the fee shall be one hundred dollars. If, 23 after the party files a demand for a jury of six and pays the required 24 fee, any other party to the action requests a jury of twelve, an 25 additional fifty-dollar fee will be required of the party demanding the 26 increased number of jurors.
- (7) For filing any paper, not related to or a part of any proceeding, civil or criminal, or any probate matter, required or permitted to be filed in the clerk's office for which no other charge is provided by law, or for filing a petition, written agreement, or memorandum as provided in RCW 11.96.170, the clerk shall collect two dollars.
- 33 (8) For preparing, transcribing or certifying any instrument on 34 file or of record in the clerk's office, with or without seal, for the 35 first page or portion thereof, a fee of two dollars, and for each 36 additional page or portion thereof, a fee of one dollar. For 37 authenticating or exemplifying any instrument, a fee of one dollar for 38 each additional seal affixed.

- 1 (9) For executing a certificate, with or without a seal, a fee of 2 two dollars shall be charged.
- 3 (10) For each garnishee defendant named in an affidavit for 4 garnishment and for each writ of attachment, a fee of five dollars 5 shall be charged.
- 6 (11) For approving a bond, including justification thereon, in 7 other than civil actions and probate proceedings, a fee of two dollars 8 shall be charged.
- 9 (12)In probate proceedings, the party instituting 10 proceedings, shall pay at the time of filing the first paper therein, a fee of one hundred ten dollars: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, A fee of two 11 dollars shall be charged for filing a will only, when no probate of the 12 13 will is contemplated. Except as provided for in subsection (13) of this section a fee of two dollars shall be charged for filing a 14 15 petition, written agreement, or memorandum as provided in RCW 16 11.96.170.
- 17 (13) For filing any petition to contest a will admitted to probate 18 or a petition to admit a will which has been rejected, or a petition 19 objecting to a written agreement or memorandum as provided in RCW 20 11.96.170, there shall be paid a fee of one hundred ten dollars.
- 21 (14) For the issuance of each certificate of qualification and each 22 certified copy of letters of administration, letters testamentary or 23 letters of guardianship there shall be a fee of two dollars.
- 24 (15) For the preparation of a passport application there shall be 25 a fee of four dollars.
- 26 (16) For searching records for which a written report is issued 27 there shall be a fee of eight dollars per hour.
- (17) Upon conviction or plea of guilty, upon failure to prosecute an appeal from a court of limited jurisdiction as provided by law, or upon affirmance of a conviction by a court of limited jurisdiction, a defendant in a criminal case shall be liable for a fee of one hundred ten dollars.
- 33 (18) With the exception of demands for jury hereafter made and 34 garnishments hereafter issued, civil actions and probate proceedings 35 filed prior to midnight, July 1, 1972, shall be completed and governed 36 by the fee schedule in effect as of January 1, 1972: PROVIDED, That no 37 fee shall be assessed if an order of dismissal on the clerk's record be 38 filed as provided by rule of the supreme court.

1 (19) No fee shall be collected when a petition for relinquishment 2 of parental rights is filed pursuant to RCW 26.33.080 or for forms and 3 instructional brochures provided under RCW 26.50.030.

4 **Sec. 3.** RCW 43.08.250 and 1992 c 54 s 3 are each amended to read 5 as follows:

The money received by the state treasurer from fees, fines, 6 7 forfeitures, penalties, reimbursements or assessments by any court organized under Title 3 or 35 RCW, or chapter 2.08 RCW, shall be 8 9 deposited in the public safety and education account which is hereby created in the state treasury. The legislature shall appropriate the 10 funds in the account to promote traffic safety education, highway 11 12 safety, criminal justice training, crime victims' compensation, education, the judicial information 13 judicial system, 14 representation of indigent persons, <u>family support centers</u>, winter 15 recreation parking, and state game programs. During the fiscal biennium ending June 30, 1993, the legislature may appropriate moneys 16 from the public safety and education account for the purposes of local 17 18 jail population data collection under RCW 10.98.130, the department of 19 corrections' county partnership program under RCW 72.09.300, the treatment alternatives to street crimes program, the criminal 20 litigation unit of the attorney general's office, and contracts with 21 22 county officials to provide support enforcement services."

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On page 1, line 2 of the title, after "services;" strike the remainder of the title and insert "and amending RCW 26.04.160, 36.18.020, and 43.08.250."

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