
SENATE BILL 6154

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By Senators Costa, McCaslin, Patterson and Gardner

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1 AN ACT Relating to giving the county clerk authorization to accept
2 credit cards; and adding a new section to chapter 36.23 RCW.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

4 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 36.23 RCW
5 to read as follows:

6 County clerks are authorized to accept credit cards, charge cards,
7 debit cards, smart cards, stored value cards, federal wire, and
8 automatic clearinghouse system transactions, or other electronic
9 communication, for payment of all fees and moneys due the court under
10 RCW 36.18.012 through 36.18.020, and for the payment of court-ordered
11 legal financial obligations of criminal defendants which include, but
12 are not limited to, fines, fees, assessments, restitution, and crime
13 victims' compensation. A payer desiring to pay by credit card, charge
14 card, debit card, smart card, stored value card, federal wire, and
15 automatic clearinghouse system transactions, or other electronic
16 communication shall bear the cost of processing the transaction.

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