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9 A BILL  
10 TO BE ENTITLED  
11 AN ACT  
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13 Relating to Jackson County; to amend Section 4 of  
14 Act 2019-215 of the 2019 Regular Session, providing for  
15 additional court costs in the county; to provide for the  
16 proceeds to be deposited in a fund established by the circuit  
17 court clerk.

18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

19 Section 1. Section 4 of Act 2019-215 of the 2019  
20 Regular Session, is amended to read as follows:

21 "Section 4. The Circuit Clerk of Jackson County  
22 shall collect the additional court costs assessed as provided  
23 in Section 3 in the same manner as other court costs are  
24 collected and deposit the proceeds monthly in the Jackson  
25 County Judicial Employees Fund, which shall be established in  
26 ~~the county treasury. The fund shall be~~ and administered by the  
27 circuit court clerk. The presiding circuit judge shall direct

1 the expenditures from the fund solely to provide staffing for  
2 the office of the circuit clerk and the courts of Jackson  
3 County as the presiding circuit judge and circuit clerk  
4 jointly determine is necessary for the offices of the judges  
5 and clerk in Jackson County for the administration of the  
6 judicial system in a timely and efficient manner."

7 Section 2. This act shall become effective  
8 immediately following its passage and approval by the  
9 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.