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ENROLLED, An Act,

Relating to Washington County; providing for the assessment and collection of a solicitor's fee payable to the Solicitor's Fund in civil cases; and to provide for the distribution of the solicitor's fee.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. (a) In all civil cases in the circuit and district courts in Washington County, a docket fee, hereinafter referred to as a solicitor's fee, shall be assessed in each case. The solicitor's fee in civil cases shall be in the same amount as the docket fee or court cost which is assessed in civil cases in Washington County and distributed to the Fair Trial Tax Fund. The fees, when collected, shall be distributed monthly as follows: Three dollars (\$3) from each case to the office of circuit clerk to be deposited into the Circuit Clerk's Fund and used as provided by law for the operation of the office of the circuit clerk and the remainder of each fee to the solicitor's fund or district attorney's fund in the county or to the fund in the county that may be hereafter prescribed by law for the solicitor's fee.

(b) The solicitor's fee may be expended by the district attorney for the payment of any and all expenses incurred and for any legitimate law enforcement purpose.

1 Section 2. This act shall become effective on the
2 first day of the third month following its passage and
3 approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in
and was passed by the House 03-MAY-11.

Greg Pappas
Clerk

Senate

24-MAY-11

Passed