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House Bill 566 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To authorize the Magistrate Court of Decatur County to impose and collect county law
- 2 library fees as part of the court costs in the magistrate court; to provide for practices and
- 3 procedures connected therewith; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date;
- 4 to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

## 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 SECTION 1.

- 7 For the purposes of providing funds for those uses specified in Code Section 36-15-7 of the
- 8 Official Code of Georgia Annotated, the chief magistrate of the Magistrate Court of Decatur
- 9 County is authorized to impose a county law library fee upon all cases in such court as
- authorized and defined in Code Section 36-15-9 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,
- in addition to all other legal costs.
- 12 SECTION 2.
- 13 The amount of the fee to be imposed shall be no greater than the sum authorized in Code
- 14 Section 36-15-9 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated.
- 15 SECTION 3.
- 16 All of the provisions of Chapter 15 of Title 36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated
- shall apply to and govern the Magistrate Court of Decatur County.
- 18 SECTION 4.
- 19 This Act shall become effective 30 days after its approval by the Governor or upon its
- 20 becoming law without such approval.
- SECTION 5.
- 22 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.