

2019 Regular Session

SENATE BILL NO. 102

BY SENATOR ERDEY

COURTS. Authorizes an increase in court costs in the mayor's court of the town of Livingston. (gov sig)

1 AN ACT

2 To enact R.S. 33:447.16, to authorize certain court costs in the mayor's court of the town of  
3 Livingston; and to provide for related matters.

4 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

5 Section 1. R.S. 33:447.16 is hereby enacted to read as follows:

6 **§447.16. Mayor's court; town of Livingston; court costs**

7 **Notwithstanding R.S. 33:441(A) nor any law to the contrary, the mayor**  
8 **of the town of Livingston may impose court costs not to exceed fifty dollars for**  
9 **each offense, as defined by ordinance, on any defendant convicted of a violation**  
10 **of a municipal ordinance.**

11 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not  
12 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature  
13 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If  
14 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become  
15 effective on the day following such approval.

The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Jerry J. Guillot.

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DIGEST

SB 102 Engrossed

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Present law, relative to mayor's court, authorizes the mayor to impose court costs not to exceed \$30 for each offense on any defendant convicted of a violation of a municipal ordinance.

Proposed law provides that notwithstanding present law, the mayor of the town of Livingston may impose court costs not to exceed \$50 dollars for each offense on any defendant convicted of a violation of a municipal ordinance.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Adds R.S. 33:447.16)