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   **<u>§447.16. Mayor's court; town of Livingston; court costs</u>**

7   **<u>Notwithstanding R.S. 33:441(A) or any other provision of law to the</u>**

8   **<u>contrary, the mayor of the town of Livingston may impose court costs not to</u>**

9   **<u>exceed fifty dollars for each offense, as defined by ordinance, on any defendant</u>**

10   **<u>convicted of a violation of a municipal ordinance.</u>**

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.

DIGEST

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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)

Summary Senate Floor Amendment to the engrossed bill

        1.   Makes legislative bureau technical correction.

Coding: Words which are ~~struck through~~ are deletions from existing law;
words in **boldface type and underscored** are additions.