

HOUSE BILL 269

51ST LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2014

INTRODUCED BY

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AN ACT

RELATING TO PROBATE COURTS; INCREASING THE PROBATE COURT DOCKET FEE; REQUIRING FIVE DOLLARS (\$5.00) OF THE DOCKET FEE TO BE DEPOSITED IN THE JUDICIAL EDUCATION FUND.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. Section 34-7-14 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1923, Chapter 29, Section 1, as amended) is amended to read:

"34-7-14. FEES OF PROBATE COURT CLERKS.--Clerks of the probate courts are entitled to receive the following docket fees in all matters:

A. for docketing each cause, to be paid by the party docketing the cause, [~~thirty dollars (\$30.00)~~] thirty-five dollars (\$35.00), which shall include all costs of the clerks in any cause in the court. Five dollars (\$5.00) of the docket fee shall be deposited in the judicial education fund.

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1 All money collected pursuant to this subsection shall be
2 remitted monthly to the state treasurer; and

3 B. a fee of fifteen cents (\$.15) per folio in
4 addition to the docket fee may be charged for any excess of
5 twenty folios in cases where judgments or decrees or orders
6 exceed twenty folios."

7 SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.--The effective date of the
8 provisions of this act is July 1, 2014.

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