

HOUSE BILL 906

By Doggett

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40, Chapter 24, relative to the collection of moneys owed by a criminal defendant.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-24-105(a), is amended by deleting the last sentence of the subsection and substituting:

The following shall be the allocation formula for moneys paid into court: the first moneys paid in any case shall first be credited toward the payment of restitution owed to the victim, if any, and once restitution has been paid in full, the next moneys shall be credited toward payment of litigation taxes, and once litigation taxes have been paid, the next moneys shall be credited toward payment of costs; then additional moneys shall be credited toward payment of the fine.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2021, the public welfare requiring it.