

SENATE BILL 2233

By Crowe

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-6-104, relative to county clerk fees.

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

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-6-104, is amended by re-designating the current language as subsection (a) and adding the following language as a new subsection (b) and (c):

(b)

(1) The county clerks, as deputies to the commissioner under § 55-3-114, shall be entitled to the following fees from the department, to be paid on a regular basis as determined by the commissioner, for the following services:

(A) For issuing certificates of title pursuant to § 55-3-114, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) per month; or

(B) The fee under subdivision (b)(1) shall be the sum of four hundred dollars (\$400) per month, provided that the county clerk scans documents related to the issuance of titles and submits such images to the department electronically.

(2) Such funds shall not revert to the county general fund at the end of a budget year if not expended.

(c) In the event that the number of certificates of title issued by a county clerk in a calendar month divided by the number of applications for a certificate of title received by that county clerk in that calendar month yields a ratio of less than fifty-one percent (51%), then the applicable amount provided for in subsection (b) shall be reduced to the

amount that results from multiplying the applicable amount in subsection (b) by the ratio calculated in this subsection (c).

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.