

HOUSE SUBSTITUTE FOR  
SENATE BILL NO. 1252

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled  
"Revised judicature act of 1961,"  
by amending section 2543 (MCL 600.2543), as amended by 1986 PA  
308.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1       Sec. 2543. (1) The circuit court reporters or recorders  
2 ~~shall be~~ **are** entitled to demand and receive per page for a  
3 transcript ordered by any person the sum of \$1.75 per original  
4 page and 30 cents per page for each copy, unless a lower rate is  
5 agreed upon. For a transcript ordered by the circuit judge,  
6 reporters or recorders ~~shall be~~ **are** entitled to receive from  
7 the county the same compensation. **The supreme court, by**  
8 **administrative order or court rule, may authorize the payment to**  
9 **circuit court reporters or recorders the sum of \$3.00 per**  
10 **original page and 50 cents per page for each copy for transcripts**

1 ordered and timely filed as part of a program of differentiated  
2 case management for appeals of civil cases in which the circuit  
3 court either grants or denies summary disposition. If a  
4 transcript ordered under a program of differentiated case  
5 management is not timely filed, the circuit court reporter or  
6 recorder is not entitled to receive the increased rate for that  
7 transcript.

8 (2) Only if the transcript is desired for the purpose of  
9 moving for a new trial or preparing a record for appeal shall the  
10 amount of reporters' or recorders' fees paid for the transcript  
11 be recovered as a part of the taxable costs of the prevailing  
12 party in the motion, in the court of appeals or the supreme  
13 court.