

# SENATE BILL No. 245

March 4, 2003, Introduced by Senator SWITALSKI and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

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~~ **Circuit** court reporters or  
2 recorders ~~shall be~~ **are** entitled to ~~demand and~~ receive **\$3.00**  
3 per page for ~~a~~ **an original** transcript ~~ordered by any person~~  
4 ~~the sum of \$1.75 per original page and 30~~ **50** cents per page  
5 for each copy **of the transcript**, unless a lower rate is agreed  
6 upon. For a transcript ordered by the circuit judge, reporters  
7 or recorders ~~shall be~~ **are** entitled to receive **the same**  
8 **compensation** from the county. ~~the same compensation.~~  
9       (2) ~~Only if the transcript is desired for the purpose of~~  
10 ~~moving for a new trial or preparing a record for appeal shall the~~

1 ~~amount of reporters'~~ **Reporters'** or recorders' fees paid for  
2 ~~the~~ a transcript ~~be recovered~~ **are recoverable** as ~~a part of~~  
3 ~~the~~ taxable costs of ~~the~~ a prevailing party ~~in the~~ on a  
4 motion, in the court of appeals or **in** the supreme court **only if**  
5 the transcript was ordered for the purpose of moving for a new  
6 trial or preparing a record for appeal.