HOUSE BILL No. 4680

May 31, 2017, Introduced by Reps. Alexander and Howrylak and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled

"Revised judicature act of 1961,"

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by amending section 2558 (MCL 600.2558), as amended by 2002 PA 429.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

- Sec. 2558. (1) The sheriff is entitled to the fees provided in this section and section 2559.
- 3 (2) The following fees of the sheriff are allowed:
 - (a) For taking a bond if the sheriff is authorized to take the bond, \$1.50; \$10.00; for a certified copy of the bond, if requested, \$1.00.
 - (b) For every certificate on the sale of real estate, \$1.50; \$10.00; and for each copy of the certificate, \$1.50, \$5.00, which, together with the register's fee for filing the certificate, shall MUST be collected as other fees on execution.
 - (c) For taking a bond for the liberties of the jail,

- 1 \$1.50.\$10.00.
- 2 (d) For summoning a jury upon a writ of inquiry, attending the
- 3 jury, and making and returning the inquisition, \$5.00.
- 4 (c) For summoning a jury pursuant to any precept or summons of
- 5 any officer in any special proceeding, \$5.00, and for attending the
- 6 jury when required, \$5.00.
- 7 (D) (f) For bringing up a prisoner upon ON habeas corpus,
- 8 \$3.00, and for traveling each mile from the jail, 15 cents; for
- 9 attending any court with that THE prisoner, \$5.00 per day, plus
- 10 actual necessary expenses.
- 11 (E) (g) For attending before any officer with a prisoner for
- 12 the purpose of having the prisoner surrendered in exoneration of
- 13 his or her bail, or for attending to receive a prisoner so
- 14 surrendered, who was not committed at the time, and receiving that
- 15 THE prisoner into the sheriff's custody, in either case, \$15.00.
- (F) (h) For attending a view, when ordered by the court,
- 17 \$15.00 per day, including the time occupied in going and returning.
- 18 (G) (i) For making and returning an inventory and appraisal to
- 19 the appraisers, \$10.00 \$100.00 for each day actually employed, and
- 20 \$5.00 \$50.00 for each half day. The court, by rule, may adjust a
- 21 schedule fixing the amount of appraisal fees if the court considers
- 22 the statutory fee to be inadequate.
- 23 (H) $\frac{(i)}{(i)}$ For drafting an inventory, $\frac{\$1.25}{10.00}$ for each page
- 24 and for copying the inventory, 10 cents \$1.00 for each page.
- 25 (k) For giving notice for general or special election to the
- 26 inspectors of the different townships and wards of the county,
- 27 \$1.00 for each township or ward, and the expenses of publishing the

- 1 notices required by law, those fees and expenses to be paid by the
- 2 county, as other contingent expenses of the election.
- 3 (l) For attending the supreme court by the order of the court,
- 4 \$10.00 for each day, to be allowed by the state treasurer on the
- 5 certificate of the clerk, and paid out of the state treasury, not
- 6 taxable as costs.
- 7 (I) (m) For attending the circuit court, by the order of the
- 8 court, \$15.00 for each day, except in the county of Wayne; not
- 9 taxable as costs. In the county of Wayne, there shall be paid to
- 10 the deputy sheriffs in actual attendance on the circuit court in
- 11 the county such MUST BE PAID compensation as shall be fixed by the
- 12 board of commissioners in accordance with the county uniform salary
- 13 plan to be allowed and paid as other contingent charges of the
- 14 county are paid; the number of deputies shall MUST not exceed 2 for
- 15 each judge of the third judicial circuit.
- **16 (J)** For summoning grand or petit jurors to attend the
- 17 circuit court, \$2.00 for each juror summoned, not taxable as costs.
- 18 (o) For keeping and providing for a debtor in jail where the
- 19 debtor is unable to support himself or herself, \$1.00 for each day
- or such sum as shall be fixed by the board of commissioners, to be
- 21 paid by the creditor each week, in advance, and which sum the
- 22 creditor shall be entitled to recover from the debtor.
- 23 (K) (p) For posting notices on property for foreclosure sales,
- \$16.00 \$25.00 for each posting, plus mileage.
- 25 (*l*) $\frac{(q)}{(q)}$ For selling lands on the foreclosure of a mortgage by
- 26 advertisement; and executing a deed to the purchaser and for all
- 27 services required on that sale, \$50.00.\$75.00.

- 1 (M) (r) For each adjournment of the sale of land on the
- 2 foreclosure of a mortgage by advertisement, \$8.00.\$15.00.
- 3 (N) (s) For serving notice of a person claiming title under a
- 4 tax deed, in person and by mail, \$16.00 \$25.00 plus mileage
- 5 (3) Mileage allowed under subsection (2) shall MUST be
- 6 computed in the same manner as provided for SERVICE OF process
- 7 served out of the circuit court under section 2559(3).
- 8 (4) Any A sheriff or other officer who demands or receives any
- 9 greater fees or compensation for performing any of the services
- 10 mentioned in this section than $\frac{1}{2}$ allowed by this section τ
- 11 shall, IS, in addition to all other liabilities now provided by
- 12 law, be liable to the party injured, for paying the illegal fees,
- 13 in 3 times the amount so demanded, received, or paid, together with
- 14 all costs of the action.
- 15 (5) Any A sheriff or other officer who neglects or refuses any
- 16 of the services required by law —after the fees specified have
- 17 been tendered , shall be IS liable to the party injured for all
- 18 damages which THAT the party sustains by reason of that THE neglect
- 19 or refusal.
- 20 Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect 90 days
- 21 after the date it is enacted into law.
- 22 Enacting section 2. This amendatory act does not take effect
- 23 unless all of the following bills of the 99th Legislature are
- 24 enacted into law:
- 25 (a) Senate Bill No. ____ or House Bill No. 4681 (request no.
- **26** 00909'17).
- 27 (b) Senate Bill No. or House Bill No. 4682 (request no.

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