

BY: House Judiciary Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 543

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in the sponsor line, strike “and Curran” and substitute “Curran, O’Donnell, Harkins, Bissett, M. Burns, Hutchins, D. Murphy, Jacobs, Watson, C. Mitchell, Kirk, Menes, Howard, Doory, Montague, and Fulton”.

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 1, strike beginning with “requiring” in line 8 down through “fingerprinting” in line 11 and substitute “requiring the Chief Judge of the District Court to establish a certain schedule of prepaid fines for persons charged by citation; allowing persons who do not wish to contest guilt to prepay a fine under certain circumstances; prohibiting a law enforcement officer from deviating from a certain schedule of prepaid fines under certain circumstances”; and in line 20, strike “, 594B-2, and 747A” and substitute “and 594B-2”.

AMENDMENT NO. 3

On page 2, strike in their entirety lines 25 and 26, inclusive; and in lines 27, 29, 31, and 33, strike “(XII)”, “(XIII)”, “(XIV)”, and “(XV)”, respectively, and substitute “(XI)”, “(XII)”, “(XIII)”, and “(XIV)”, respectively.

On page 3, in line 24, strike “(1)”; strike in their entirety lines 27 and 28; in lines 29, 31, 33, and 34, strike “(II)”, “(III)”, “(IV)”, and “(V)”, respectively, and substitute “(1)”, “(2)”, “(3)”, and “(4)”, respectively.

On page 4, in line 1, strike “(VI)” and substitute “(5)”; strike in their entirety lines 3 through 6, inclusive; in lines 7, 9, 10, 12, 15, and 17, strike “(IX)”, “(X)”, “(XI)”, “(XII)”, “(XIII)”, and “(XIV)”, respectively, and substitute “(6)”, “(7)”, “(8)”, “(9)”, “(10)”, and “(11)”, respectively; and strike in their entirety lines 19 through 23, inclusive.

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AMENDMENT NO. 4

On pages 5 and 6, strike in their entirety the lines beginning with line 1 on page 5 through line 2 on page 6, inclusive.

AMENDMENT NO. 5

On page 6, after line 2, insert:

“SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Chief Judge of the District Court shall establish a fine or penalty deposit schedule for persons charged by citation under Article 27, § 594B-2. A person charged by citation under Article 27, § 594B-2 may prepay the fine in the amount established in the schedule if the person does not care to contest guilt in the case. A law enforcement officer may not deviate from the schedule established under this section if the officer charges an individual by citation under Article 27, § 594B-2.”;

and in line 3, strike “2.” and substitute “3.” .