

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 103—COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

(ON BEHALF OF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS)

FEBRUARY 12, 2001

Referred to Concurrent Committees on Judiciary
and Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Makes various changes to fees charged by justice of the peace and municipal court judge. (BDR 1-526)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.
Effect on the State: No.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in ***bolded italics*** is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to the judiciary; increasing the fee charged by a justice of the peace and municipal court judge for performing a marriage; imposing a fee to be charged by a justice of the peace and municipal court judge for renewing a civil judgment; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

- 1 **Section 1.** NRS 4.060 is hereby amended to read as follows:
2 4.060 1. Except as otherwise provided in this section, each justice of
3 the peace shall charge and collect the following fees:
4 (a) On the commencement of any action or proceeding in
5 the justice's court, other than in actions commenced pursuant
6 to chapter 73 of NRS, to be paid by the party commencing the
7 action:
8 If the sum claimed does not exceed \$1,000..... \$28.00
9 If the sum claimed exceeds \$1,000 but does not exceed
10 \$2,500..... 50.00
11 If the sum claimed exceeds \$2,500 but does not exceed
12 \$4,500..... 100.00
13 If the sum claimed exceeds \$4,500 but does not exceed
14 \$6,500..... 125.00
15 If the sum claimed exceeds \$6,500 but does not exceed
16 \$7,500..... 150.00
17 In all other civil actions 28.00



1	(b) For the preparation and filing of an affidavit and order in an action	
2	commenced pursuant to chapter 73 of NRS:	
3	If the sum claimed does not exceed \$1,000.....	25.00
4	If the sum claimed exceeds \$1,000 but does not exceed	
5	\$2,500.....	45.00
6	If the sum claimed exceeds \$2,500 but does not exceed	
7	\$5,000.....	65.00
8	(c) On the appearance of any defendant, or any number of defendants	
9	answering jointly, to be paid him or them on filing the first paper in the	
10	action, or at the time of appearance:	
11	In all civil actions.....	12.00
12	For every additional defendant, appearing separately.....	6.00
13	(d) No fee may be charged where a defendant or defendants appear in	
14	response to an affidavit and order issued pursuant to the provisions of	
15	chapter 73 of NRS.	
16	(e) For the filing of any paper in intervention.....	6.00
17	(f) For the issuance of any writ of attachment, writ of	
18	garnishment, writ of execution or any other writ designed to	
19	enforce any judgment of the court.....	6.00
20	(g) For filing a notice of appeal, and appeal bonds.....	12.00
21	One charge only may be made if both papers are filed at the	
22	same time.	
23	(h) For issuing supersedeas to a writ designed to enforce a	
24	judgment or order of the court.....	12.00
25	(i) For preparation and transmittal of transcript and papers on	
26	appeal.....	12.00
27	(j) For celebrating a marriage and returning the certificate to the	
28	county recorder.....	35.00 50.00
29	(k) For entering judgment by confession.....	6.00
30	(l) For preparing any copy of any record, proceeding or paper,	
31	for each page.....	30
32	(m) For each certificate of the clerk, under the seal of the court.....	3.00
33	(n) For searching records or files in his office, for each year.....	1.00
34	(o) For filing and acting upon each bail or property bond.....	40.00
35	(p) For renewing a civil judgment.....	10.00
36	2. A justice of the peace shall not charge or collect any of the fees set	
37	forth in subsection 1 for any service rendered by him to the county in	
38	which his township is located.	
39	3. A justice of the peace shall not charge or collect the fee pursuant to	
40	paragraph (j) of subsection 1 if he performs a marriage ceremony in a	
41	commissioner township.	
42	4. Except as otherwise provided by an ordinance adopted pursuant to	
43	the provisions of NRS 244.207, the justice of the peace shall, on or before	
44	the fifth day of each month, account for and pay to the county treasurer all	
45	fees collected during the preceding month, except for the fees he may	
46	retain as compensation and the fees he is required to pay to the state	
47	treasurer pursuant to subsection 5.	
48	5. The justice of the peace shall, on or before the fifth day of each	
49	month, pay to the state treasurer half of the fees collected pursuant to	



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- 1 paragraph (o) of subsection 1 during the preceding month. The state
- 2 treasurer shall deposit the money in the fund for the compensation of
- 3 victims of crime.
- 4 **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2001.

