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## COMPARISON OF S.B. 106 AS INTRODUCED AND WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

|                                  | FEE IMPOSED  | FEE  | COLLECTED<br>BY           | USE AND DISTRIBUTION OF FEE   |
|----------------------------------|--|------|---------------------------|---|
| BILL AS<br>INTRODUCED            | Commencement of<br>any civil action or<br>proceeding; filing<br>of answer or<br>appearance in any<br>civil action or<br>proceeding | \$20 | County Clerk              | \$5 to County General Fund for use of the District Court for technological purposes   |
|                                  |  |      |                           | \$15 to State Controller for State General Fund, to be distributed to AOC for use by courts for technological purposes  |
| PROPOSED<br>AMENDMENT<br>TO BILL | Following commencement of civil action (not all proceedings), from each additional party answering or appearing in the action      | \$30 | Clerk of Court            | \$8 to County General Fund for use of the District Court for advanced and improved technological purposes (Must not supplant existing budgets for maintenance and support of technology)  |
|                                  |  |      |                           | \$7 to County General Fund in each county that has program for providing legal services without charge to indigent or elderly persons to be divided:  |
|                                  |  |      |                           | \$5 for benefit of indigent persons<br>\$2 for benefit of elderly persons   |
|                                  |  |      |                           | \$10 to State Controller for State General Fund, to be distributed to AOC for use in support and maintenance of state sponsored case management systems, statewide technological purposes and distribution to the courts for technological purposes |
|                                  |  |      |                           | \$5 to State Controller for State General<br>Fund, to be distributed to AOC for<br>payment of services of retired justices and<br>district court judges   |
|                                  | Filing of appeal, special proceeding or petition for rehearing   | \$50 | Clerk of<br>Supreme Court | \$50 to State Controller for State General Fund, to be distributed to AOC for advanced and improved technological purposes in the Supreme Court   |
|                                  | Fees as applied to multi-party cases added to NRS 18.005 as costs  |      |                           |   |

**EXHIBIT D** Senate Committee on Judiciary

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## SB 106 Summary

- ⇒ \$30.00 filing fee for multi-party cases applied to each additional party after the first plaintiff and defendant
- ⇒ Funds to be disbursed as follows
  - \$ 8.00 to the local district court for technology
  - \$ 7.00 to legal aid
    - ♦ \$ 5.00 for indigent persons
    - ♦ \$ 2.00 for elderly persons
  - \$ 10.00 to State Court Administrator for statewide technology purposes and direct distribution to courts
  - \$ 5.00 to Retired Justices and Judges Duty Fund (Assignment of Senior Judges)
- ⇒ Amend NRS 18.005 "Costs" defined. Define fees as applied to multiparty cases as a court costs.
- ⇒ \$50.00 filing fee for appeals and rehearing requests in the Supreme Court for technology.

## **Current Civil Filing Fees For a Complaint**

| Arbitration                      | NRS 19.0315                                      | \$ 5.00   |      |
|----------------------------------|--|---|------|
| County<br>(NRS 3.500, med        | NRS 19.0313 liation; NRS neighborhood justice co | 7.00 enters)                                    |      |
| County                           | NRS 19.013                                       | 56.00   |      |
| General                          | NRS 19.020                                       | 3.00  |      |
| State                            | NRS 19.030                                       | 32.00   |      |
| Legal Aid (indigent persons      | NRS 19.031<br>- \$15.50; elderly persons - 9.50) | 25.00   |      |
| Pro Bono, etc. (pro bono program | NRS 19.0312 ms, programs for abused/neglected cl | <b>5.00</b> hildren, victims of domestic violen | ice) |
|                                  | Total  | \$ 133.00                                       |      |