

AN ACT relating to court costs.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

➔SECTION 1. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 23A IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

(1) Any person who is ordered by a circuit court to enter into:

(a) A sex offender treatment program operated or approved by the Department of Corrections or the Sex Offender Risk Assessment Advisory Board;

(b) Treatment services for domestic violence offenders operated or approved by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services;

(c) Anger management classes operated or approved by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services; or

(d) An alcohol or drug abuse treatment program;

Shall pay to the circuit clerk, a one-time fee of five (\$5) dollars prior to entry into the program, class or service

(2) This fee shall be in addition to any other costs the person is required to pay pursuant to KRS Chapter 23A or by court order.

(3) The circuit clerk's office shall collect and disburse the fee to the Crime Victims Compensation Board for the administration and operation of the Crime Victims Compensation Fund.

➔SECTION 2. A NEW SECTION OF KRS CHAPTER 24A IS CREATED TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

(1) Any person who is ordered by a district court to enter into:

(a) Treatment services for domestic violence offenders operated or approved by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services;

(b) Anger management classes operated or approved by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services; or

(c) An alcohol or drug abuse treatment program;

Shall pay to the circuit clerk, a one-time fee of five dollars (\$5) dollars prior to entry into the program, class, or service

(2) This fee shall be in addition to any other costs the person is required to pay pursuant to KRS Chapter 24A or by court order.

(3) The circuit clerk's office shall collect and disburse the fee to the Crime Victims Compensation Board for the administration and operation of the Crime Victims Compensation Fund.