

1 AN ACT relating to elections.

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

3 ➔Section 1. KRS 64.012 is amended to read as follows:

4 The county clerk shall receive for the following services the following fees:

5 (1) (a) Recording and indexing of a:

- 6 1. Deed of trust or assignment for the benefit of creditors;
- 7 2. Deed;
- 8 3. Real estate mortgage;
- 9 4. Deed of assignment;
- 10 5. Real estate option;
- 11 6. Power of attorney;
- 12 7. Revocation of power of attorney;
- 13 8. Lease which is recordable by law;
- 14 9. Deed of release of a mortgage or lien under KRS 382.360;
- 15 10. United States lien;
- 16 11. Release of a United States lien;
- 17 12. Release of any recorded encumbrance other than state liens;
- 18 13. Lis pendens notice concerning proceedings in bankruptcy;
- 19 14. Lis pendens notice;
- 20 15. Mechanic's and artisan's lien under KRS Chapter 376;
- 21 16. Assumed name;
- 22 17. Notice of lien issued by the Internal Revenue Service;
- 23 18. Notice of lien discharge issued by the Internal Revenue Service;
- 24 19. Original, assignment, amendment, or continuation financing statement;
- 25 20. Making a record for the establishment of a city, recording the plan or plat
- 26 thereof, and all other service incident;
- 27 21. Survey of a city, or any part thereof, or any addition to or extensions of

1 the boundary of a city;

2 22. Recording with statutory authority for which no specific fee is set, except  
3 a military discharge; and

4 23. Filing with statutory authority for which no specific fee is set.

5 For all items in this subsection if the entire thereof does not exceed  
6 three (3) pages ..... \$12.00

7 And, for all items in this subsection exceeding three (3) pages,  
8 for each additional page ..... \$3.00

9 And, for all items in this subsection for each additional reference  
10 relating to same instrument ..... \$4.00

11 (b) The twelve dollar (\$12) fee imposed by paragraph (a) of this subsection shall  
12 be divided as follows:

- 13 1. Six dollars (\$6) shall be retained by the county clerk; and
- 14 2. Six dollars (\$6) shall be paid to the affordable housing trust fund  
15 established in KRS 198A.710 and shall be remitted by the county clerk  
16 within ten (10) days following the end of the quarter in which the fee was  
17 received. Each remittance to the affordable housing trust fund shall be  
18 accompanied by a summary report on a form prescribed by the Kentucky  
19 Housing Corporation.

20 (2) Recording and indexing a file-stamped copy of documents set forth in KRS 14A.2-  
21 040(1) or (2) that have been filed first with the Secretary of State:

22 (a) The entire record thereof does not exceed three (3) pages ..... \$10.00

23 (b) And, exceeding three (3) pages, for each additional page ..... \$3.00

24 (3) Recording wills or other probate documents pursuant to KRS  
25 Chapter 392 or 394 ..... \$ 8.00

26 (4) Recording court ordered name changes pursuant to KRS Chapter 401 ..... \$ 8.00

27 (5) For noting a security interest on a certificate of title pursuant to

1       KRS Chapter 186A ..... \$12.00

2   (6) For filing the release of collateral under a financing statement

3       and noting same upon the face of the title pursuant to KRS Chapter

4       186 or 186A ..... \$5.00

5   (7) Filing or recording state tax or other state liens ..... \$5.00

6   (8) Filing release of a state tax or other state lien ..... \$5.00

7   (9) Marginal release, noting release of any lien, mortgage, or redemption

8       other than a deed of release ..... \$8.00

9   (10) Acknowledging or notarizing any deed, mortgage, power of attorney,

10       or other written instrument required by law for recording and certifying

11       same ..... \$4.00

12   (11) Recording a land use restriction according to KRS 100.3681 ..... \$15.00

13   (12) Recording plats, maps, and surveys, not exceeding 24 inches by

14       36 inches, per page ..... \$20.00

15   (13) Recording a bond, for each bond ..... \$10.00

16   (14) Each bond required to be taken or prepared by the clerk ..... \$4.00

17   (15) Copy of any bond when ordered ..... \$3.00

18   (16) Administering an oath and certificate thereof ..... \$5.00

19   (17) Issuing a license for which no other fee is fixed by law ..... \$8.00

20   (18) Issuing a solicitor's license ..... \$15.00

21   (19) Marriage license, indexing, recording, and issuing certificate thereof ..... \$24.00

22   (20) Every order concerning the establishment, changing, closing, or

23       discontinuing of roads, to be paid out of the county levy when

24       the road is established, changed, closed, or discontinued, and by

25       the applicant when it is not ..... \$3.00

26   (21) Registration of licenses for professional persons required to register

27       with the county clerk ..... \$10.00

1 (22) Certified copy of any record ..... \$5.00  
2 Plus fifty cents (\$.50) per page after three (3) pages

3 (23) Filing certification required by KRS 65.070(2)(a) ..... \$5.00

4 (24) Filing notification and declaration and petition of candidates  
5 for Commonwealth's attorney ..... \$200.00

6 (25) Filing notification and declaration and petition of candidates for office in cities with  
7 a population equal to or less than one thousand (1,000), based upon the most  
8 recent federal decennial census, and candidates for county  
9 and independent boards of education ..... \$20.00

10 (26) Filing notification and declaration and petition of candidates for  
11 boards of soil and water conservation districts ..... \$20.00

12 (27) Filing notification and declaration and petition of candidates for  
13 other office ..... \$50.00

14 (28) Filing declaration of intent to be a write-in candidate for office, other than a  
15 municipal office in a city with a population equal to or less than one thousand  
16 (1,000), based upon the most recent federal decennial census ..... \$50.00

17 (29) Filing declaration of intent to be a write-in candidate for municipal office in a  
18 city with a population equal to or less than one thousand (1,000), based upon the  
19 most recent federal decennial census..... \$20.00

20 ~~(30)~~~~(29)~~ Filing petitions for elections, other than nominating petitions ..... \$50.00

21 ~~(31)~~~~(30)~~ Notarizing any signature, per signature ..... \$2.00

22 ~~(32)~~~~(31)~~ Filing bond for receiving bodies under KRS 311.310 ..... \$10.00

23 ~~(33)~~~~(32)~~ Noting the assignment of a certificate of delinquency and recording  
24 and indexing the encumbrance under KRS 134.126 or 134.127 ..... \$27.00

25 ~~(34)~~~~(33)~~ Filing a going-out-of-business permit under KRS 365.445 ..... \$50.00

26 ~~(35)~~~~(34)~~ Filing a renewal of a going-out-of-business permit under KRS 365.445 \$50.00

27 ~~(36)~~~~(35)~~ Filing a grain warehouseman's license under KRS 359.050 ..... \$10.00

- 1 ~~(37)~~~~(36)~~ Filing and processing a transient merchant permit under KRS 365.680 .. \$25.00
- 2       ➔Section 2. KRS 118.255 is amended to read as follows:
- 3 (1) The Secretary of State shall receive a fee of five hundred dollars (\$500) for a
- 4 candidate for statewide elected state office or the Congress, two hundred dollars
- 5 (\$200) for a candidate for Commonwealth's attorney, the General Assembly, or the
- 6 District Court, Circuit Court, Court of Appeals, or Supreme Court~~, twenty dollars~~
- 7 ~~(\$20) for candidates for a city office~~, fifty dollars (\$50) for other candidates who
- 8 file with the Secretary of State for each notification and declaration and petition filed
- 9 with him, and fifty dollars (\$50) for a write-in candidate for office, to be paid by the
- 10 candidate, or the candidate's representative, when the notification and declaration
- 11 and petition or declaration of intent is filed.
- 12 (2) The county clerk shall receive a fee pursuant to KRS 64.012 for each notification
- 13 and declaration and petition filed with him to be paid by the candidate at the time of
- 14 the filing.