

1 HB219  
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3 By Representative Grimsley (N & P)  
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9 A BILL  
10 TO BE ENTITLED  
11 AN ACT  
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13 Relating to Henry County, to amend Section 45-34-231  
14 of the Code of Alabama 1975, relating to the service fee for  
15 the law enforcement fund; to further provide for a service of  
16 process fee for personal service of process by the sheriff for  
17 the delivery of a summons or legal document; and to provide  
18 for distribution of the revenues.

19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

20 Section 1. Section 45-34-231 of the Code of Alabama  
21 1975, is amended to read as follows:

22 "§45-34-231.

23 "(a) ~~This section shall only apply to Henry County.~~

24 In Henry County, a service of process fee of thirty dollars  
25 (\$30) shall be collected for service or attempted service of  
26 any papers or documents requiring personal service by the

1 sheriff or any deputy sheriff arising out of any civil or  
2 criminal action.

3 " (b) ~~In addition to any other fee imposed by law, an~~  
4 ~~additional fee of ten dollars (\$10) shall be assessed for~~  
5 ~~delivery by the sheriff of any summons or other pleading or~~  
6 ~~document arising out of any civil or criminal proceeding in~~  
7 ~~the circuit court or district court of the county. When~~  
8 ~~collected by the clerk of the court, the fees shall be~~  
9 ~~remitted by the clerk to the Sheriff's Law Enforcement Fund~~  
10 ~~for law enforcement purposes and to discharge the duties of~~  
11 ~~the office of sheriff as determined by the sheriff in the~~  
12 ~~public interest. All funds generated by this section shall be~~  
13 ~~paid to the Henry County Sheriff's Office to be used for law~~  
14 ~~enforcement purposes only. These funds will be in addition to~~  
15 ~~any other funding sources for the Henry County Sheriff's~~  
16 ~~Office and may not reduce or replace those funds."~~

17 Section 2. All laws or parts of laws which conflict  
18 with this act are repealed.

19 Section 3. This act shall become effective on the  
20 first day of the third month following its passage and  
21 approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.