

House Bill 1197 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Burchett of the 176<sup>th</sup>, Corbett of the 174<sup>th</sup>, and Sainz of the 180<sup>th</sup>

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To authorize the Magistrate Court of Charlton County to impose and collect county law  
2 library fees as part of the court costs in the magistrate court; to provide for practices and  
3 procedures connected therewith; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date;  
4 to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 For the purposes of providing funds for those uses specified in Code Section 36-15-7 of the  
8 Official Code of Georgia Annotated, the chief magistrate of the Magistrate Court of Charlton  
9 County is authorized pursuant to Code Section 15-10-86 to impose a county law library fee  
10 upon all cases in such court as authorized and defined in Code Section 36-15-9 of the Official  
11 Code of Georgia Annotated, in addition to all other legal costs.

12 **SECTION 2.**

13 The amount of the fee to be imposed shall be no greater than the sum authorized in Code  
14 Section 36-15-9 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated.

15 **SECTION 3.**

16 All of the provisions of Chapter 15 of Title 36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated  
17 shall apply to and govern the Magistrate Court of Charlton County.

18 **SECTION 4.**

19 This Act shall become effective 30 days after its approval by the Governor or upon its  
20 becoming law without such approval.

21 **SECTION 5.**

22 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.