

SENATE BILL NO. 141

103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATOR BLACK.

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KRISTINA MARTIN, Secretary

AN ACT

To repeal sections 57.952, 57.955, and 488.024, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof three new sections relating to the sheriffs' retirement system.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Sections 57.952, 57.955, and 488.024, RSMo, are repealed and three new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 57.952, 57.955, and 488.024, to read as follows:

57.952. 1. There is hereby authorized a "Sheriffs' Retirement Fund" which shall be under the management of **[a]** **the** board **[of directors]** **as** described in section 57.958. The board **[of directors]** shall be responsible for the administration and the investment of the funds of such sheriffs' retirement fund. The general assembly and the governing body of a county may appropriate funds for deposit in the sheriffs' retirement fund. If insufficient funds are generated to provide the benefits payable pursuant to the provisions of sections 57.949 to 57.997, the board shall proportion the benefits according to the funds available.

2. The board may accept gifts, donations, grants, and bequests from public or private sources to the sheriffs' retirement fund.

3. Each county shall make the payroll deductions for member contributions mandated under section 57.961, and the

EXPLANATION-Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

17 county shall transmit such moneys to the board for deposit
18 into the sheriffs' retirement fund.

57.955. 1. There shall be assessed and collected a
2 surcharge of three dollars in all civil actions filed in the
3 courts of this state [and in all criminal cases including
4 violation of any county ordinance or any violation of
5 criminal or traffic laws of this state, including
6 infractions, but no such surcharge shall be assessed when
7 the costs are waived or are to be paid by the state, county
8 or municipality or when a criminal proceeding or the
9 defendant has been dismissed by the court. For purposes of
10 this section, the term "county ordinance" shall not include
11 any ordinance of the city of St. Louis]. The clerk
12 responsible for collecting court costs in civil [and
13 criminal] cases, shall collect and disburse such amounts as
14 provided by sections 488.010 to 488.020. Such funds shall
15 be payable to the sheriffs' retirement fund. Moneys
16 credited to the sheriffs' retirement fund shall be used only
17 for the purposes provided for in sections 57.949 to 57.997
18 and for no other purpose.

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20 bequests from public or private sources to the sheriffs'
21 retirement fund.

488.024. As provided by section 57.955, there shall be
2 assessed and collected a surcharge of three dollars in all
3 civil actions filed in the courts of this state [and in all
4 criminal cases including violation of any county ordinance
5 or any violation of criminal or traffic laws of this state,
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