

Bill No. CS for CS for SB 2542, 1st Eng.

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Senator Smith moved the following amendment:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 98, between lines 14 and 15, insert:

Section 58. Section 903.286, Florida Statutes, is created to read:

903.286 Return of cash bond; requirement to withhold unpaid fines, fees, and court costs.--Notwithstanding the provisions of s. 903.31(2), the clerk of the court shall withhold from the return of a cash bond posted on behalf of a criminal defendant by a person other than a bail bond agent licensed pursuant to chapter 648 sufficient funds to pay any unpaid court fees, court costs, and criminal penalties. In the event that sufficient funds are not available to pay all unpaid court fees, court costs, and criminal penalties, the clerk of the court shall immediately obtain payment from the defendant or enroll the defendant in a payment plan pursuant to s. 28.246.

(Redesignate subsequent sections.)

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2 And the title is amended as follows:

3 On page 12, line 1, after the semicolon, insert:

4 all appeals arising from such an action; creating s.
5 903.286, F.S.; authorizing the clerk to withhold sufficient
6 funds to pay any unpaid court fees, court costs, and criminal
7 penalties under certain circumstances; authorizing the clerk
8 to obtain payment from the defendant or enroll the defendant
9 in a payment plan under certain circumstances;

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