

HB 917

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1 A bill to be entitled
 2 An act relating to domestic violence; amending s. 938.08,
 3 F.S.; increasing a surcharge assessed for violations of
 4 specified criminal offenses; providing for deposit of the
 5 additional funds into the Domestic Violence Trust Fund;
 6 providing an effective date.

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 8 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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 10 Section 1. Section 938.08, Florida Statutes, is amended to
 11 read:

12 938.08 Additional cost to fund programs in domestic
 13 violence.—In addition to any sanction imposed for a violation of
 14 s. 784.011, s. 784.021, s. 784.03, s. 784.041, s. 784.045, s.
 15 784.048, s. 784.07, s. 784.08, s. 784.081, s. 784.082, s.
 16 784.083, s. 784.085, s. 794.011, or for any offense of domestic
 17 violence described in s. 741.28, the court shall impose a
 18 surcharge of \$301 ~~\$201~~. Payment of the surcharge shall be a
 19 condition of probation, community control, or any other court-
 20 ordered supervision. The sum of \$185 ~~\$85~~ of the surcharge shall
 21 be deposited into the Domestic Violence Trust Fund established
 22 in s. 741.01. The clerk of the court shall retain \$1 of each
 23 surcharge that the clerk of the court collects as a service
 24 charge of the clerk's office. The remainder of the surcharge
 25 shall be provided to the governing board of the county and must
 26 be used only to defray the costs of incarcerating persons
 27 sentenced under s. 741.283 and provide additional training to
 28 law enforcement personnel in combating domestic violence.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010.