

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1089 Session of 2015

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AS AMENDED ON SECOND CONSIDERATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, JUNE 23, 2015

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the
2 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in sentencing, further
3 providing for collection of restitution, reparation, fees,
4 costs, fines and penalties.

5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
6 hereby enacts as follows:

7 Section 1. Section 9728(b)(5) of Title 42 of the
8 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

9 § 9728. Collection of restitution, reparation, fees, costs,
10 fines and penalties.

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12 (b) Procedure.--

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14 (5) The [county correctional facility to which the
15 offender has been sentenced or the] Department of Corrections
16 or the correctional facility to which the offender has been
17 sentenced shall [be authorized to] make monetary deductions

1 [from] of at least 25% of the offender's wages and 75% 50% of <--  
2 all deposits made to inmate personal accounts for the purpose  
3 of collecting restitution [or], costs imposed under section  
4 9721(c.1), filing fees to be collected under section 6602(c)  
5 (relating to prisoner filing fees) and any other court-  
6 ordered obligation [or costs imposed under section  
7 9721(c.1)]. Deductions under this paragraph shall be in  
8 addition to the full amount authorized to be collected  
9 pursuant to any order for support. Any amount deducted shall  
10 be transmitted by the Department of Corrections or the county  
11 correctional facility to the probation department of the  
12 county or other agent designated by the county commissioners  
13 of the county with the approval of the president judge of the  
14 county in which the offender was convicted. [The] Each county  
15 correctional facility, in consultation with the Department of  
16 Corrections, shall develop guidelines relating to its  
17 responsibilities under this paragraph. The guidelines shall  
18 be incorporated into any contract entered into with a  
19 contract corrections facility.

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21 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.