THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No.

Session of 2011

INTRODUCED BY GREENLEAF, ERICKSON, RAFFERTY, KASUNIC AND ALLOWAY, JANUARY 12, 2011

REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, JANUARY 12, 2011

AN ACT

- Amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in officers serving 2 process and enforcing orders, providing for municipal police. 3 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 5 hereby enacts as follows: 6 Section 1. Chapter 29 of Title 42 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subchapter to read: 8 SUBCHAPTER D 9 MUNICIPAL POLICE 10 Sec. 2961. Municipal police.
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- 12 § 2961. Municipal police.
- 13 (a) Fee.--If a municipal police officer executes one or more
- 14 warrants or effectuates the payment of fines and costs by
- 15 attempting to execute one or more warrants, the fee for such
- 16 service shall be \$35 per defendant.
- 17 (b) Payment. -- The fee shall be borne by the defendant. The
- fee shall be collected as provided by law for court costs. Once 18

- 1 collected, the fee shall be remitted to the municipality which
- 2 provided the service or to the Commonwealth if no municipal
- 3 police department exists for the municipality.
- 4 (c) Definition. -- As used in this section, the term
- 5 "municipal police officer" shall include the Pennsylvania State
- 6 Police where no municipal police department exists.
- 7 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.