

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the
2 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for
3 surcharge for deposit into the Access to Justice Account.

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

6 Section 1. Section 3733.1(a) and (c) of Title 42 of the
7 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended to read:

8 § 3733.1. Surcharge.

9 (a) Imposition of surcharge.--In addition to each fee
10 imposed under section 3733(a.1) (relating to deposits into
11 account), except as set forth in subsection (b), the following
12 apply:

13 (1) A surcharge of [~~\$11.25~~] \$9.25 shall be charged and
14 collected. This paragraph shall expire December 31, 2014.

15 (2) A permanent fee of \$2.25 shall be charged and
16 collected.

17 (3) A permanent fee of \$2 shall be charged and
18 collected.

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2 (c) Allocation and appropriation.--

3 (1) The surcharge under subsection (a) (1) [shall be
4 allocated as follows:

5 (i) One dollar shall be deposited into the Access to
6 Justice Account.

7 (ii) The remainder of money] shall be deposited into
8 a separate reserve account within the Judicial Computer
9 System Augmentation Account. Notwithstanding section 3732
10 (relating to utilization of funds in account), money
11 deposited under this [subparagraph] paragraph is hereby
12 appropriated to the Supreme Court, upon compliance with
13 Article XV of the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176),
14 known as The Fiscal Code, for the operation of the
15 Judicial Department.

16 (2) The fee under subsection (a) (2) shall be deposited
17 into the Criminal Justice Enhancement Account.

18 (3) The fee under subsection (a) (3) shall be deposited
19 into the Access to Justice Account.

20 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 30 days.