## Senate File 593 - Introduced

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SENATE FILE BY COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS (SUCCESSOR TO SF 395) (SUCCESSOR TO SSB 1265) Passed Senate, Date Passed House, Date \_\_\_\_\_ Vote: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_ Passed House, Date Vote: Ayes \_\_\_\_\_ Nays \_\_\_\_ Approved \_\_\_\_ A BILL FOR 1 An Act relating to the assessment of civil and criminal court fees and penalties. 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA: 4 TLSB 1374SZ 82 5 jm/je/5PAG LIN 1 Section 1. Section 602.8106, subsection 1, Code 2007, is 2 amended by adding the following new paragraph: 3 NEW PARAGRAPH. h. For a probation revocation, the fee 4 shall be the same amount as the fee for filing and docketing a 5 complaint, information, or citation for the underlying case 6 from which the revocation arises. 1 Sec. 2. Section 633.31, subsection 2, paragraph c, Code 8 2007, is amended to read as follows:
9 c. For filing and indexing a transcript ...... 5.00 1 9 1 1 10 1 11 Sec. 3. Section 908.11, Code 2007, is amended by adding 1 12 the following new subsection: NEW SUBSECTION. 5. Notwithstanding any other provision of 1 13 1 14 law to the contrary, if the court revokes the probation of a 1 15 defendant who received a deferred judgment and imposes a fine, 1 16 the court shall reduce the amount of the fine by an amount 1 17 equal to the amount of the civil penalty previously assessed 1 18 against the defendant pursuant to section 907.14.
1 19 EXPLANATION 1 20 This bill relates to assessing civil and criminal court 1 21 fees and penalties. 1 22 The bill provides that the clerk of the district court 1 23 shall collect a fee for a probation revocation proceeding 1 24 equal to the fee for filing and docketing a complaint, 25 information, or citation in the underlying case from which the 1 26 revocation arises. The bill increases the fee for filing and indexing a 1 28 transcript in a probate proceeding from \$5 to \$50. 1 29 Under the bill, if the court revokes the probation of a 1 30 defendant who receives a deferred judgment and imposes a fine, 1 31 the court shall reduce the amount of the fine by an amount 1 32 equal to the amount of the civil penalty previously assessed 1 33 against the defendant pursuant to Code section 907.14.