

CHAPTER 1080

FEES COLLECTED BY COUNTY SHERIFFS — REPORT

S.F. 503

AN ACT relating to certain fees collected by the county sheriff.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 331.655, Code 2016, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

NEW SUBSECTION. 5. The Iowa state sheriffs' and deputies' association shall, no later than December 1, 2016, and every six years thereafter, submit to the chairpersons and ranking members of the standing committees on ways and means and to the legislative services agency a report that details, based on at least one year's data from a random sampling of at least ten rural counties and at least six urban counties as determined by the association, the total annual county budget allocation to the sheriff to fulfill those duties for which the sheriff is required to collect a fee under [subsection 1](#), the average cost per service, summons, execution, or other activity by activity category, the revenue generated by collection of those fees by category, and the associated impact on property taxes for each county to fulfill those duties for which the sheriff is required to collect a fee under [subsection 1](#). The standing committees on ways and means shall review the report during the next succeeding legislative session and the committees may sponsor and submit legislative bills for consideration by the general assembly to adjust the fees collected by the sheriff pursuant to [subsection 1](#). For the purposes of [this subsection](#), the term "category" means each separate activity for which the sheriff is required to collect a fee under [subsection 1](#).

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