
The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Michael Bell. The following digest, which does not constitute a part of the legislative instrument, was prepared by Carla S. Roberts.

SB 113 Engrossed

DIGEST
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Tarver

Present law requires the court to order payment out of the court fund to the interpreter for his services at a fixed reasonable amount in civil proceedings, except in cases of domestic abuse where a protective order is sought.

Present law specifies that the amount paid out of the court fund may be taxed by the court as costs of court to be reimbursed to the fund.

Proposed law eliminates the authorization that the amount paid out of the court fund to the interpreter to be cast as court costs to be reimbursed to the fund. Proposed law eliminates the authorization for the court to cast as court costs the amount paid to interpreters in cases of domestic abuse when a protective order is sought.

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends C.C.P. Art. 192.2(B))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

Committee Amendments Proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary A to the original bill

1. Eliminates authorization of the court to cast interpreter fees as court costs in cases of domestic abuse where a protective order is sought.