

2023 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 150

BY REPRESENTATIVE BRYANT

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 13:2590(A)(1), (2), (3), (23), and (30), relative to justice of the
3 peace court costs; to provide for an increase in court costs collected by a justice of
4 the peace for the filing and service of certain pleadings and judgments in civil
5 matters; and to provide for related matters.

6 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

7 Section 1. R.S. 13:2590(A)(1), (2), (3), (23), and (30) are hereby amended and
8 reenacted to read as follows:

9 §2590. Security for costs

10 A. A justice of the peace may demand and receive up to the following
11 amounts in all civil matters:

12 (1) New suit: one hundred thirty dollars, and twenty dollars per additional
13 defendant.

14 (2) Eviction proceeding: one hundred twenty dollars, and twenty dollars per
15 additional defendant.

16 (3) Writ of execution: ~~forty~~ sixty dollars, and twenty dollars per additional
17 defendant.

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19 (23) Service of judgment: ~~twenty~~ thirty dollars per party.

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