

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 239 (HB 136)

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Existing law provides for the assessment of a \$45 special cost in each district court in all criminal cases where the defendant has been convicted, has plead guilty or nolo contendere, or has forfeited bond. Existing law also provides for the use and administration of such funds by the district public defender.

Prior law provided that the \$45 special cost shall expire on Aug. 1, 2016. Thereafter, the cost shall be \$35 as provided for in existing law.

New law extends the expiration date of this special cost to Aug. 1, 2017.

Effective August 1, 2016.

(Amends R.S. 15:168(B)(1))