
DIGEST

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Abstract: Requires 30% of funds collected by the city court of Morgan City for indigent defense services to be deposited into a special fund.

Present law (R.S. 15:168) requires the collection of court costs in courts of original criminal jurisdiction in the amount of \$45.00 until Aug. 1, 2016, and \$35.00 thereafter. Provides that such funds shall be used and administered by the district public defender.

Proposed law retains present law except it requires 30% of those funds collected by the city court of Morgan City to be deposited into a special fund.

(Adds R. S. 13:2005(D))