NOTE: This bill has been prepared for the signatures of the appropriate legislative officers and the Governor. To determine whether the Governor has signed the bill or taken other action on it, please consult the legislative status sheet, the legislative history, or the Session Laws.



**HOUSE BILL 17-1252** 

BY REPRESENTATIVE(S) Ginal, Becker K., Herod, Kennedy; also SENATOR(S) Hill, Jahn.

CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF COURT COSTS FROM PERSONS WHO ARE CONVICTED OF CRIMINAL OFFENSES.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

**SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 18-1.3-701, **amend** (2) introductory portion and (2)(j.5); and **repeal** (2)(j) as follows:

- **18-1.3-701. Judgment for costs and fines.** (2) The costs assessed pursuant to subsection (1) of this section or section 16-18-101 <del>C.R.S.,</del> may include:
- (j) On proper motion of the prosecuting attorney and at the discretion of the court, any other reasonable and necessary costs incurred by the prosecuting attorney or Colorado state patrol that are directly the result of the successful prosecution of the defendant for a violation of section 42-4-1301, C.R.S., including the costs resulting from the collection and analysis of any chemical test upon the defendant pursuant to section 42-4-1301.1, C.R.S., which costs shall be reimbursed by the defendant directly to the Colorado state patrol.

(j.5) On proper motion of the prosecuting attorney and at the discretion of the court, any other reasonable and necessary costs incurred by the prosecuting attorney or law enforcement agency other than the Colorado state patrol that are directly the result of the successful prosecution of the defendant, for a violation of section 42-4-1301, C.R.S., including the costs resulting from the collection and analysis of any chemical test upon the defendant pursuant to section 42-4-1301.1, C.R.S., which costs the court shall assess against the defendant, collect from the defendant, and transfer to the PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OR law enforcement agency. that performed the chemical tests.

**SECTION 2.** Act subject to petition - effective date. This act takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly (August 9, 2017, if adjournment sine die is on May 10, 2017); except that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take effect unless

| and, in such case, will take effect on the date<br>the vote thereon by the governor. |   |
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