

CHAPTER 119

COURTS

SENATE BILL 09-038

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AN ACT**CONCERNING TECHNICAL CHANGES TO JUDICIAL FEES.**

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

SECTION 1. Repeal. 13-32-101 (1) (c) (III) (C), Colorado Revised Statutes, is repealed as follows:

13-32-101. Docket fees in civil actions - judicial stabilization cash fund - support registry fund created - repeal. (1) At the time of first appearance in all civil actions and special proceedings in all courts of record, except in the supreme court and the court of appeals, and except in the probate proceedings in the district court or probate court of the city and county of Denver, and except as provided in subsection (3) of this section and in sections 13-32-103 and 13-32-104, there shall be paid in advance the total docket fees, as follows:

(c) (III) Except as provided in subparagraph (IV) of this paragraph (c):

(C) ~~This subparagraph (HH) is repealed, effective July 1, 2010.~~

SECTION 2. 14-10-120.5 (1), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

14-10-120.5. Petition - fee - assessment - displaced homemakers fund. (1) There shall be assessed against a nonindigent petitioner a fee of five dollars for each filing of a petition for dissolution of marriage, DECLARATION OF INVALIDITY OF MARRIAGE, LEGAL SEPARATION, OR DECLARATORY JUDGMENT CONCERNING THE STATUS OF MARRIAGE. All such fees collected shall be transmitted to the state treasurer for deposit in the displaced homemakers fund created pursuant to section 8-15.5-108, C.R.S.

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

SECTION 3. Effective date - applicability. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009, and shall apply to petitions filed on or after said date.

SECTION 4. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: April 16, 2009