

1 AN ACT concerning counties.

2 Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,  
3 represented in the General Assembly:

4 Section 5. The Counties Code is amended by changing  
5 Sections 3-5018, 3-5036, 4-2002, 4-2002.1, 4-4001, and 5-1113  
6 as follows:

7 (55 ILCS 5/3-5018) (from Ch. 34, par. 3-5018)

8 (Text of Section before amendment by P.A. 91-893)

9 Sec. 3-5018. Fees. The recorder elected as provided for  
10 in this Division shall receive such fees as are or may be  
11 provided for him by law, in case of provision therefor:  
12 otherwise he shall receive the same fees as are or may be  
13 provided in this Section, except when increased by county  
14 ordinance pursuant to the provisions of this Section, to be  
15 paid to the county clerk for his services in the office of  
16 recorder for like services. No filing fee shall be charged  
17 for providing informational copies of financing statements to  
18 the recorder pursuant to subsection (8) of Section 9-403 of  
19 the Uniform Commercial Code.

20 For recording deeds or other instruments \$12 for the  
21 first 4 pages thereof, plus \$1 for each additional page  
22 thereof, plus \$1 for each additional document number therein  
23 noted. The aggregate minimum fee for recording any one  
24 instrument shall not be less than \$12.

25 For recording deeds or other instruments wherein the  
26 premises affected thereby are referred to by document number  
27 and not by legal description a fee of \$1 in addition to that  
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4 mortgage, lease or lien document, a \$7 fee shall be charged  
5 for the recording of each such mortgage, lease or lien  
6 document after the first one.

7 For recording maps or plats of additions or subdivisions  
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9 spreading of the same of record in map case or other proper  
10 books) or plats of condominiums \$50 for the first page, plus  
11 \$1 for each additional page thereof except that in the case  
12 of recording a single page, legal size 8 1/2 x 14, plat of  
13 survey in which there are no more than two lots or parcels of  
14 land, the fee shall be \$12. In each county where such maps  
15 or plats are to be recorded, the recorder may require the  
16 same to be accompanied by such number of exact, true and  
17 legible copies thereof as the recorder deems necessary for  
18 the efficient conduct and operation of his office.

19 For certified copies of records the same fees as for  
20 recording, but in no case shall the fee for a certified copy  
21 of a map or plat of an addition, subdivision or otherwise  
22 exceed \$10.

23 Each certificate of such recorder of the recording of the  
24 deed or other writing and of the date of recording the same  
25 signed by such recorder, shall be sufficient evidence of the  
26 recording thereof, and such certificate including the  
27 indexing of record, shall be furnished upon the payment of  
28 the fee for recording the instrument, and no additional fee  
29 shall be allowed for the certificate or indexing.

30 The recorder shall charge an additional fee, in an amount  
31 equal to the fee otherwise provided by law, for recording a  
32 document (other than a document filed under the Plat Act or  
33 the Uniform Commercial Code) that does not conform to the  
34 following standards:

1           (1) The document shall consist of one or more  
 2 individual sheets measuring 8.5 inches by 11 inches, not  
 3 permanently bound and not a continuous form. Graphic  
 4 displays accompanying a document to be recorded that  
 5 measure up to 11 inches by 17 inches shall be recorded  
 6 without charging an additional fee.

7           (2) The document shall be legibly printed in black  
 8 ink, by hand, type, or computer. Signatures and dates  
 9 may be in contrasting colors if they will reproduce  
 10 clearly.

11           (3) The document shall be on white paper of not  
 12 less than 20-pound weight and shall have a clean margin  
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 14 each side. Margins may be used for non-essential  
 15 notations that will not affect the validity of the  
 16 document, including but not limited to form numbers, page  
 17 numbers, and customer notations.

18           (4) The first page of the document shall contain a  
 19 blank space, measuring at least 3 inches by 5 inches,  
 20 from the upper right corner.

21           (5) The document shall not have any attachment  
 22 stapled or otherwise affixed to any page.

23 A document that does not conform to these standards shall not  
 24 be recorded except upon payment of the additional fee  
 25 required under this paragraph. This paragraph, as amended by  
 26 this amendatory Act of 1995, applies only to documents dated  
 27 after the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1995.

28           The county board of any county may provide for an  
 29 additional charge of \$3 for filing every instrument, paper,  
 30 or notice for record, in order to defray the cost of the  
 31 county recorder's operations relating to computer,  
 32 micrographics, or any other means of automation of books and  
 33 records. ~~converting--the--county-recorder's-document-storage~~  
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1           A special fund shall be set up by the treasurer of the  
2 county and such funds collected pursuant to the preceding  
3 paragraph Public-Act-83-1321 shall be used solely for the  
4 costs and necessary expenses incurred by a county recorder to  
5 implement and maintain the automation of books and records by  
6 computer, micrographics, or any other means, including but  
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12           The county board of any county that provides and  
13 maintains a countywide map through a Geographic Information  
14 System (GIS) may provide for an additional charge of \$3 for  
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16 to defray the cost of implementing or maintaining the  
17 county's Geographic Information System. Of that amount, \$2  
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19 of the county, and any moneys collected pursuant to this  
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24 remaining \$1 must be deposited into the recorder's special  
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32 board may, however, by ordinance, increase the fees allowed  
33 by this Section and collect such increased fees from all  
34 persons and entities other than officers, agencies,

1 departments and other instrumentalities of the State if the  
2 increase is justified by an acceptable cost study showing  
3 that the fees allowed by this Section are not sufficient to  
4 cover the cost of providing the service.

5 A statement of the costs of providing each service,  
6 program and activity shall be prepared by the county board.  
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8 to public examination and audit. All direct and indirect  
9 costs, as defined in the United States Office of Management  
10 and Budget Circular A-87, may be included in the  
11 determination of the costs of each service, program and  
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13 (Source: P.A. 90-300, eff. 1-1-98; 91-791, eff. 6-9-00;  
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15 91-886, eff. 1-1-01; 91-893, eff. 7-1-01; revised 9-7-00.)

16 (55 ILCS 5/3-5036) (from Ch. 34, par. 3-5036)

17 Sec. 3-5036. Records open to inspection. All records,  
18 indices, abstract and other books kept in the office of any  
19 recorder, and all instruments filed therein and all  
20 instruments deposited or left for recordation therein shall,  
21 during the office hours, be open for public inspection and  
22 examination; and all persons shall have free access for  
23 inspection and examination to such records, indices, books  
24 and instruments, which the recorders shall be bound to  
25 exhibit to those who wish to inspect or examine the same; and  
26 all persons shall have the right to take memoranda and  
27 abstracts thereof without fee or reward. This Section is  
28 subject to the provisions of "The Local Records Act".

29 Records, indices, abstracts, and other books kept in the  
30 office of the recorder, and all instruments filed, deposited,  
31 or left there for recordation, may be made available on a Web  
32 site maintained by the county recorder on the World Wide Web.  
33 Making records available on the World Wide Web does not alter

1 or satisfy any duties of the county recorder to keep,  
 2 maintain, or otherwise make available records of the office  
 3 as required by law. A reasonable fee may be assessed against  
 4 any person who may access or copy records from a World Wide  
 5 Web site maintained by the county recorder.

6 (Source: P.A. 86-962.)

7 (55 ILCS 5/4-2002) (from Ch. 34, par. 4-2002)  
 8 Sec. 4-2002. State's attorney fees in counties under  
 9 3,000,000 population. This Section applies only to counties  
 10 with fewer than 800,000 ~~3,000,000~~ inhabitants.

11 (a) State's attorneys shall be entitled to the following  
 12 fees, however, the fee requirement of this subsection does  
 13 not apply to county boards:

14 For each conviction in prosecutions on indictments for  
 15 first degree murder, second degree murder, involuntary  
 16 manslaughter, criminal sexual assault, aggravated criminal  
 17 sexual assault, aggravated criminal sexual abuse, kidnapping,  
 18 arson and forgery, \$30. All other cases punishable by  
 19 imprisonment in the penitentiary, \$30.

20 For each conviction in other cases tried before judges of  
 21 the circuit court, \$15; except that if the conviction is in a  
 22 case which may be assigned to an associate judge, whether or  
 23 not it is in fact assigned to an associate judge, the fee  
 24 shall be \$10.

25 For preliminary examinations for each defendant held to  
 26 bail or recognizance, \$10.

27 For each examination of a party bound over to keep the  
 28 peace, \$10.

29 For each defendant held to answer in a circuit court on a  
 30 charge of paternity, \$10.

31 For each trial on a charge of paternity, \$30.

32 For each case of appeal taken from his county or from the  
 33 county to which a change of venue is taken to his county to

1 the Supreme or Appellate Court when prosecuted or defended by  
2 him, \$50.

3 For each day actually employed in the trial of a case,  
4 \$25; in which case the court before whom the case is tried  
5 shall make an order specifying the number of days for which a  
6 per diem shall be allowed.

7 For each day actually employed in the trial of cases of  
8 felony arising in their respective counties and taken by  
9 change of venue to another county, \$25; and the court before  
10 whom the case is tried shall make an order specifying the  
11 number of days for which said per diem shall be allowed; and  
12 it is hereby made the duty of each State's attorney to  
13 prepare and try each case of felony arising when so taken by  
14 change of venue.

15 For assisting in a trial of each case on an indictment  
16 for felony brought by change of venue to their respective  
17 counties, the same fees they would be entitled to if such  
18 indictment had been found for an offense committed in his  
19 county, and it shall be the duty of the State's attorney of  
20 the county to which such cause is taken by change of venue to  
21 assist in the trial thereof.

22 For each case of forfeited recognizance where the  
23 forfeiture is set aside at the instance of the defense, in  
24 addition to the ordinary costs, \$10 for each defendant.

25 For each proceeding in a circuit court to inquire into  
26 the alleged mental illness of any person, \$10 for each  
27 defendant.

28 For each proceeding in a circuit court to inquire into  
29 the alleged dependency or delinquency of any child, \$10.

30 For each day actually employed in the hearing of a case  
31 of habeas corpus in which the people are interested, \$25.

32 All the foregoing fees shall be taxed as costs to be  
33 collected from the defendant, if possible, upon conviction.  
34 But in cases of inquiry into the mental illness of any person

1 alleged to be mentally ill, in cases on a charge of paternity  
2 and in cases of appeal in the Supreme or Appellate Court,  
3 where judgment is in favor of the accused, the fees allowed  
4 the State's attorney therein shall be retained out of the  
5 fines and forfeitures collected by them in other cases.

6 Ten per cent of all moneys except revenue, collected by  
7 them and paid over to the authorities entitled thereto, which  
8 per cent together with the fees provided for herein that are  
9 not collected from the parties tried or examined, shall be  
10 paid out of any fines and forfeited recognizances collected  
11 by them, provided however, that in proceedings to foreclose  
12 the lien of delinquent real estate taxes State's attorneys  
13 shall receive a fee, to be credited to the earnings of their  
14 office, of 10% of the total amount realized from the sale of  
15 real estate sold in such proceedings. Such fees shall be  
16 paid from the total amount realized from the sale of the real  
17 estate sold in such proceedings.

18 State's attorneys shall have a lien for their fees on all  
19 judgments for fines or forfeitures procured by them and on  
20 moneys except revenue received by them until such fees and  
21 earnings are fully paid.

22 No fees shall be charged on more than 10 counts in any  
23 one indictment or information on trial and conviction; nor on  
24 more than 10 counts against any one defendant on pleas of  
25 guilty.

26 The Circuit Court may direct that of all monies received,  
27 by restitution or otherwise, which monies are ordered paid to  
28 the Department of Public Aid or the Department of Human  
29 Services (acting as successor to the Department of Public Aid  
30 under the Department of Human Services Act) as a direct  
31 result of the efforts of the State's attorney and which  
32 payments arise from Civil or Criminal prosecutions involving  
33 the Illinois Public Aid Code or the Criminal Code, the  
34 following amounts shall be paid quarterly by the Department

1 of Public Aid or the Department of Human Services to the  
2 General Corporate Fund of the County in which the prosecution  
3 or cause of action took place:

4 (1) where the monies result from child support  
5 obligations, not more than 25% of the federal share of  
6 the monies received,

7 (2) where the monies result from other than child  
8 support obligations, not more than 25% of the State's  
9 share of the monies received.

10 (b) A municipality shall be entitled to a \$10  
11 prosecution fee for each conviction for a violation of The  
12 Illinois Vehicle Code prosecuted by the municipal attorney  
13 pursuant to Section 16-102 of that Code which is tried before  
14 a circuit or associate judge and shall be entitled to a \$10  
15 prosecution fee for each conviction for a violation of a  
16 municipal vehicle ordinance or nontraffic ordinance  
17 prosecuted by the municipal attorney which is tried before a  
18 circuit or associate judge. Such fee shall be taxed as costs  
19 to be collected from the defendant, if possible, upon  
20 conviction. A municipality shall have a lien for such  
21 prosecution fees on all judgments or fines procured by the  
22 municipal attorney from prosecutions for violations of The  
23 Illinois Vehicle Code and municipal vehicle ordinances or  
24 nontraffic ordinances.

25 For the purposes of this subsection (b), "municipal  
26 vehicle ordinance" means any ordinance enacted pursuant to  
27 Sections 11-40-1, 11-40-2, 11-40-2a and 11-40-3 of the  
28 Illinois Municipal Code or any ordinance enacted by a  
29 municipality which is similar to a provision of Chapter 11 of  
30 The Illinois Vehicle Code.

31 (Source: P.A. 88-572, eff. 8-11-94; 89-507, eff. 7-1-97.)

32 (55 ILCS 5/4-2002.1) (from Ch. 34, par. 4-2002.1)

33 Sec. 4-2002.1. State's attorney fees in counties of

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2     only to counties with 800,000 ~~3,7000,7000~~ or more inhabitants.

3           (a) State's attorneys shall be entitled to the following  
4     fees:

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11           For each conviction in other cases tried before judges of  
12    the circuit court, \$30; except that if the conviction is in a  
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16           For preliminary examinations for each defendant held to  
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21    charge of paternity, \$20.

22           For each trial on a charge of paternity, \$60.

23           For each case of appeal taken from his county or from the  
24    county to which a change of venue is taken to his county to  
25    the Supreme or Appellate Court when prosecuted or defended by  
26    him, \$100.

27           For each day actually employed in the trial of a case,  
28    \$50; in which case the court before whom the case is tried  
29    shall make an order specifying the number of days for which a  
30    per diem shall be allowed.

31           For each day actually employed in the trial of cases of  
32    felony arising in their respective counties and taken by  
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31 (2) where the monies result from other than child  
32 support obligations, not less than 25% of the State's  
33 share of the monies received.

34 (b) A municipality shall be entitled to a \$10



1 prosecution fee for each conviction for a violation of the  
2 Illinois Vehicle Code prosecuted by the municipal attorney  
3 pursuant to Section 16-102 of that Code which is tried before  
4 a circuit or associate judge and shall be entitled to a \$10  
5 prosecution fee for each conviction for a violation of a  
6 municipal vehicle ordinance prosecuted by the municipal  
7 attorney which is tried before a circuit or associate judge.  
8 Such fee shall be taxed as costs to be collected from the  
9 defendant, if possible, upon conviction. A municipality  
10 shall have a lien for such prosecution fees on all judgments  
11 or fines procured by the municipal attorney from prosecutions  
12 for violations of the Illinois Vehicle Code and municipal  
13 vehicle ordinances.

14 For the purposes of this subsection (b), "municipal  
15 vehicle ordinance" means any ordinance enacted pursuant to  
16 Sections 11-40-1, 11-40-2, 11-40-2a and 11-40-3 of the  
17 Illinois Municipal Code or any ordinance enacted by a  
18 municipality which is similar to a provision of Chapter 11 of  
19 the Illinois Vehicle Code.

20 (Source: P.A. 89-507, eff. 7-1-97.)

21 (55 ILCS 5/4-4001) (from Ch. 34, par. 4-4001)

22 Sec. 4-4001. County Clerks; counties of first and second  
23 class. The fees of the county clerk in counties of the first  
24 and second class, except when increased by county ordinance  
25 pursuant to the provisions of this Section, shall be:

26 For each official copy of any process, file, record or  
27 other instrument of and pertaining to his office, 50¢ for  
28 each 100 words, and \$1 additional for certifying and sealing  
29 the same.

30 For filing any paper not herein otherwise provided for,  
31 \$1, except that no fee shall be charged for filing a  
32 Statement of economic interest pursuant to the Illinois  
33 Governmental Ethics Act or reports made pursuant to Article 9

1 of The Election Code.

2 For issuance of fireworks permits, \$2.

3 For issuance of liquor licenses, \$5.

4 For filing and recording of the appointment and oath of  
5 each public official, \$3.

6 For officially certifying and sealing each copy of any  
7 process, file, record or other instrument of and pertaining  
8 to his office, \$1.

9 For swearing any person to an affidavit, \$1.

10 For issuing each license in all matters except where the  
11 fee for the issuance thereof is otherwise fixed, \$4.

12 For issuing each marriage license, the certificate  
13 thereof, and for recording the same, including the recording  
14 of the parent's or guardian's consent where indicated, \$15.

15 For taking and certifying acknowledgments to any  
16 instrument, except where herein otherwise provided for, \$1.

17 For issuing each certificate of appointment or  
18 commission, the fee for which is not otherwise fixed by law,  
19 \$1.

20 For cancelling tax sale and issuing and sealing  
21 certificates of redemption, \$3.

22 For issuing order to county treasurer for redemption of  
23 forfeited tax, \$2.

24 For trying and sealing weights and measures by county  
25 standard, together with all actual expenses in connection  
26 therewith, \$1.

27 For services in case of estrays, \$2.

28 The following fees shall be allowed for services  
29 attending the sale of land for taxes, and shall be charged as  
30 costs against the delinquent property and be collected with  
31 the taxes thereon:

32 For services in attending the tax sale and issuing  
33 certificate of sale and sealing the same, for each tract or  
34 town lot sold, \$4. The County Board of any county of the

1 first or second class may by ordinance authorize the County  
 2 Clerk to impose an additional \$10 charge for issuing each  
 3 certificate of sale for the sole purpose of defraying the  
 4 cost of converting the County Clerk's tax extension and  
 5 redemption system to computers and micrographics and for  
 6 maintaining this system. The County Board of any county of  
 7 the first or second class may by ordinance authorize the  
 8 County Treasurer to establish a special fund for deposit of  
 9 the additional charge. Moneys in the special fund shall be  
 10 used solely to provide the equipment, material, and necessary  
 11 expenses incurred to help defray the cost of implementing and  
 12 maintaining the tax extension and redemption system.

13 For making list of delinquent lands and town lots sold,  
 14 to be filed with the Comptroller, for each tract or town lot  
 15 sold, 10¢.

16 ~~The foregoing fees allowed by this Section are the~~  
 17 ~~maximum fees that may be collected from any officer, agency,~~  
 18 ~~department or other instrumentality of the State. The county~~  
 19 ~~board may, however, by ordinance, increase the fees allowed~~  
 20 ~~by this Section and collect such increased fees from all~~  
 21 ~~persons and entities other than officers, agencies,~~  
 22 ~~departments and other instrumentalities of the State if the~~  
 23 ~~increase is justified by an acceptable cost study showing~~  
 24 ~~that the fees allowed by this Section are not sufficient to~~  
 25 ~~cover the cost of providing the service.~~

26 ~~A Statement of the costs of providing each service,~~  
 27 ~~program and activity shall be prepared by the county board.~~  
 28 ~~All supporting documents shall be public record and subject~~  
 29 ~~to public examination and audit. All direct and indirect~~  
 30 ~~costs, as defined in the United States Office of Management~~  
 31 ~~and Budget Circular A-87, may be included in the~~  
 32 ~~determination of the costs of each service, program and~~  
 33 ~~activity.~~

34 The county clerk in all cases may demand and receive the

1 payment--of--all--fees--for--services--in--advance--so--far--as--the  
2 same--can--be--ascertained--

3 The county board of any county of the first or second  
4 class may by ordinance authorize the county clerk to impose  
5 an additional \$2 charge for certified copies of vital records  
6 as defined in Section 1 of the Vital Records Act, for the  
7 sole purpose of defraying the cost of converting the county  
8 clerk's document storage system for vital records as defined  
9 in Section 1 of the Vital Records Act to computers or  
10 micrographics, and for maintaining such system.

11 The county board of any county of the first or second  
12 class may by ordinance authorize the county treasurer to  
13 establish a special fund for deposit of the additional  
14 charge. Moneys in the special fund shall be used solely to  
15 provide the equipment, material and necessary expenses  
16 incurred to help defray the cost of implementing and  
17 maintaining such document storage system.

18 The fees allowed by this Section are the maximum fees  
19 that may be collected from any officer, agency, department,  
20 or other instrumentality of the State. The county board may,  
21 however, by ordinance, increase the fees allowed by this  
22 Section and collect these increased fees from all persons and  
23 entities other than officers, agencies, departments, and  
24 other instrumentalities of the State if the increase is  
25 justified by an acceptable cost study showing that the fees  
26 allowed by this Section are not sufficient to cover the cost  
27 of providing the service.

28 A Statement of the costs of providing each service,  
29 program, and activity shall be prepared by the county board.  
30 All supporting documents shall be public records and subject  
31 to public examination and audit. All direct and indirect  
32 costs, as defined in the United States Office of Management  
33 and Budget Circular A-87, may be included in the  
34 determination of the costs of each service, program, and

1 activity.

2 The county clerk in all cases may demand and receive the  
3 payment of all service fees in advance so far as these fees  
4 can be ascertained in advance.

5 (Source: P.A. 86-962.)

6 (55 ILCS 5/5-1113) (from Ch. 34, par. 5-1113)

7 Sec. 5-1113. Ordinance and rules to execute powers;  
8 limitations on punishments. The county board may pass all  
9 ordinances and make all rules and regulations proper or  
10 necessary, to carry into effect the powers granted to  
11 counties, with such fines or penalties as may be deemed  
12 proper except where a specific provision for a fine or  
13 penalty is provided by law. No fine or penalty, however,  
14 except civil penalties provided for failure to make returns  
15 or to pay any taxes levied by the county shall exceed \$750  
16 \$500.

17 (Source: P.A. 86-962.)

18 Section 95. No acceleration or delay. Where this Act  
19 makes changes in a statute that is represented in this Act  
20 by text that is not yet or no longer in effect, the use of  
21 that text does not accelerate or delay the taking effect of  
22 (i) the changes made by this Act or (ii) provisions derived  
23 from any other Public Act.

24 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect on  
25 July 1, 2001.