GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA

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HOUSE BILL 2173

Short Title: Increase Parole Fee.

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Sponsors: Representative Bowman.

Referred to: Judiciary.

May 30, 1990

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

2 AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PROBATION AND PAROLE SUPERVISION FEES

3 FROM FIFTEEN TO TWENTY DOLLARS.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

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Section 1. G.S. 15A-1343(c1) reads as rewritten:

"(c1) Supervision Fee. - Any person placed on supervised probation pursuant to 6 subsection (a) shall pay a supervision fee of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) twenty dollars 7 (\$20.00) per month, unless exempted by the court. The court may exempt a person from 8 9 paying the fee only for good cause and upon written motion of the person placed on supervised probation. No person shall be required to pay more than one supervision fee 10 per month. The court may require that the fee be paid in advance or in a lump sum or 11 sums, and a probation officer may require payment by such methods if he is authorized 12 by subsection (g) to determine the payment schedule. Supervision fees must be paid to 13 the clerk of court for the county in which the judgment was entered or the deferred 14 prosecution agreement was filed. Fees collected under this subsection shall be 15 transmitted to the State for deposit into the State's General Fund." 16

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Sec. 2. G.S. 15A-1374(c) reads as rewritten:

18 "(c) Supervision Fee. – The Commission must require as a condition of parole that 19 the parolee pay a supervision fee of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) twenty dollars (\$20.00) per 20 month. The Commission may exempt a parolee from this condition of parole only if it 21 finds that requiring him to pay the fee will constitute an undue economic burden. The 22 fee must be paid to the clerk of superior court designated by the Commission. The clerk 23 must transmit any money collected pursuant to this subsection to the State to be

- 1 deposited in the General Fund of the State. In no event shall a person released on parole
- 2 be required to pay more than one supervision fee per month."
- 3 Sec. 3. This act shall become effective October 1, 1990, and shall apply to 4 persons convicted of criminal offenses on or after that date.