

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SESSION 2007

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SENATE BILL 2056

Short Title: Court Fee Exemption. (Public)

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Sponsors: Senators McKissick; Albertson, Berger of Franklin, Bingham, Boseman, Dorsett, Foriest, Garrou, Goss, Hoyle, Jenkins, Jones, Kinnaird, Nesbitt, Purcell, Shaw, Swindell, and Weinstein.

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Referred to: Appropriations/Base Budget.

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May 28, 2008

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO PROVIDE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS WITH AN EXEMPTION FROM  
2 ADVANCING COURT FEES IN CHILD SUPPORT ACTIONS, CHILD ABUSE  
3 ACTIONS, AND OTHER ACTIONS FILED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF  
4 SOCIAL SERVICES.  
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6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 **SECTION 1.** Section 30.10(d) of S.L. 2007-323 is repealed.

8 **SECTION 2.** G.S. 7A-317 reads as rewritten:

9 "**§ 7A-317. Counties and municipalities not required to advance certain fees.**

10 Counties and municipalities are not required to advance costs for (i) the facilities fee,  
11 the General Court of Justice fee, or the miscellaneous fees enumerated in G.S. 7A-308,  
12 G.S. 7A-308 in child support actions, child abuse actions, and other actions filed by the  
13 Department of Social Services; or (ii) the civil process fees enumerated in  
14 G.S. 7A-311."

15 **SECTION 3.** Section 2 of this act becomes effective July 1, 2008. The  
16 remainder of this act becomes effective June 30, 2008.