SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 2260

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE SOMMER.

D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To repeal section 304.028, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the brain injury fund.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 304.028, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu 2 thereof, to be known as section 304.028, to read as follows:

304.028. 1. There is hereby created in the state treasury for use by the department of health and senior services a fund to be known as the "Brain Injury Fund". All judgments 2 3 collected pursuant to this section, federal grants, private donations and any other moneys designated for the brain injury fund shall be deposited in the fund. Moneys deposited in the fund 4 shall, upon appropriation by the general assembly to the department of health and senior services, 5 be received and expended by the department for the purpose of transition [and], integration, and 6 provision of medical and community-based services in comprehensive brain injury day 7 8 rehabilitation therapy programs, home and community supports, and social and educational 9 [services or] activities for purposes of outreach and [supports] support to enable individuals 10 with [traumatic] brain injury and their families to live in the community. Notwithstanding the 11 provisions of section 33.080 to the contrary, any unexpended balance in the brain injury fund at the end of any biennium shall not be transferred to the general revenue fund. 12 13 2. In all criminal cases including violations of any county ordinance or any violation of criminal or traffic laws of this state, any county, or municipality, including an infraction, there 14

15 shall be assessed as costs a surcharge in the amount of two dollars. Such surcharge shall not

16 be waived, except no such surcharge shall be collected in any proceeding involving a violation

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- 17 of an ordinance or state law when the proceeding or defendant has been dismissed by the court
- 18 or when costs are to be paid by the state, county or municipality.
- 19 3. Such surcharge shall be collected and distributed by the clerk of the court as provided
- 20 in sections 488.010 to 488.020. The surcharge collected pursuant to this section shall be paid

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21 to the state treasury to the credit of the brain injury fund established in this section.