

HB 3443 -- COURT COSTS

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Currently, the court collects as a court cost \$7 for the statewide court automation fund. This bill increases the amount to \$10. The bill specifies that, starting January 1, 2027, and every January thereafter, the fee associated with all civil cases and certain criminal cases assessed as court costs will be adjusted annually for inflation based on the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers rounded to the nearest whole dollar. The annual adjustment will apply to all cases filed on or after January 1st of the year in which the adjustment was made.