

## PUBLIC NOTICE

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## **ASSEMBLY BILL 1869: CRIMINAL FEES**

**SAN BERNARDINO, CA**– Pursuant to <u>Assembly Bill 1869</u>, legislation repeals several administrative fees related to the processing of criminal cases and eliminates outstanding debt incurred as a result of those fees.

Specifically, it repeals statutes associated with public defender fees, costs of arrest (booking and screening fees), and alternative custody fees (work furlough, home detention, and electronic monitoring). It also repeals the probation department investigation/progress report fee, the interstate compact supervision fee, and the requirement that a probationer pay the reasonable costs of processing their request to move prior to their transfer to another state.

Effective July 1, 2021, courts no longer have authority to impose or collect the following fees:

- Government Code:
- § 27712 (public defense fee)
- § 27753 (cost of counsel)
- § 29550(c) (criminal justice administration fee)
- § 29550(f) (administrative screening fee and citation processing fee)
- § 29550.1 (criminal justice administration fee)
- § 29550.2 (county booking fee)
- § 29550.3 (city booking fee)

• Penal Code:

- § 987.4 (minor public defense fee)
- § 987.5 (public defense registration fee)
- § 987.8 (public defense fee)
- § 1203 (interstate compact supervision)
- § 1203.016(g) (adult home detention administrative fee)
- § 1203.018(j) (electronic monitoring administrative fee)
- § 1203.1b (probation department investigation/progress report fee)
- § 1203.1e (parole supervision fee)
- § 1208.2(b) (program administrative fee)
- § 1210.15 (continuous electronic monitoring fee)
- § 3010.8 (parole continuous electronic monitoring fee)
- § 4024.2(e) (work furlough administrative fee)
- § 6266 (work furlough program fee)

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Nancy CS Eberhardt Court Executive Officer Effective July 1, 2021, the unpaid balance of those court-imposed costs (pursuant to section 27712, section 29550(c) or (f), and sections 29550.1, 29550.2, and 29550.3) is unenforceable and uncollectible. All cases with an outstanding balance for the above noted fees has been adjusted to repeal the outstanding balance of those fees.

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