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3 By Senator Chambliss (N & P)  
4 RFD: Local Legislation  
5 First Read: 25-APR-19

1 SB326

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4 With Notice and Proof

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6 ENROLLED, An Act,

7 Relating to Coosa County; to authorize the judge of  
8 probate to collect fees for the remote access of records  
9 maintained in the office of the judge of probate; and to  
10 provide for the disposition of the funds.

11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

12 Section 1. (a) This section shall apply only in  
13 Coosa County.

14 (b) The judge of probate of the county may charge  
15 and collect fees up to one dollar fifty cents (\$1.50) or the  
16 equivalent of the regularly established photocopy fees,  
17 whichever is greater, for the remote access of records  
18 maintained in the office of the judge of probate.

19 (c) Fees collected pursuant to this section shall be  
20 deposited into a special fund of the judge of probate entitled  
21 the Probate Recording Fund.

22 (d) Fees from the fund may be disbursed at the  
23 discretion of the judge of probate for records retention and  
24 archiving, records reconstruction, records preservation,  
25 records maintenance, including, but not limited to, scanning,

1 photocopying, purchasing, maintaining, and operating recording  
2 equipment, and for the protection of records from  
3 environmental decay and damage.

4 (e) All fees in the fund shall be audited by the  
5 Department of Examiners of Public Accounts in the same manner  
6 as other funds.

7 Section 2. This act shall become effective on the  
8 first day of the third month following its passage and  
9 approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in and passed the Senate.

Patrick Harris,  
Secretary.

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House of Representatives  
Passed: 15-MAY-19

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