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3 By Representative Simpson (N & P)
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9 A BILL
10 TO BE ENTITLED
11 AN ACT
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13 Relating to the City of Satsuma in Mobile County; to
14 provide for a warrant recall fee to allow a municipal
15 magistrate or judge for the City of Satsuma to recall, under
16 certain conditions, a failure to appear warrant.

17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

18 Section 1. (a) Notwithstanding any law to the
19 contrary, a municipal magistrate of the City of Satsuma may
20 assess a defendant with a warrant recall fee that shall be
21 paid in order for a municipal judge or magistrate to recall a
22 failure to appear warrant arising from any municipal ordinance
23 violation against the City of Satsuma.

24 (b) The warrant recall fee shall be one hundred
25 dollars (\$100) and is to be paid by the defendant at the time
26 the warrant is recalled.

1 (c) Nothing herein shall be construed to require the
2 City of Satsuma to recall a warrant that has been issued. All
3 orders to recall a warrant shall be issued solely in the
4 discretion of the municipal judge or magistrate.

5 Section 2. All fees received by the City of Satsuma
6 Municipal Court for the warrant recall fee shall be deposited
7 into the City of Satsuma Corrections Fund and allocated in
8 conformity with subsection (a) of Section 11-47-7.1 of the
9 Code of Alabama 1975.

10 Section 3. This act shall become effective
11 immediately following its passage and approval by the
12 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.