

1 SB358  
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3 By Senators Blackwell and Orr  
4 RFD: Finance and Taxation General Fund  
5 First Read: 13-FEB-14

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7 A BILL  
8 TO BE ENTITLED  
9 AN ACT

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11 Relating to the Administrative Office of Courts; to  
12 require quarterly reporting by the Administrative Director of  
13 Courts containing the total amount of court costs, docket  
14 fees, fines, and other fees that each court waived or remitted  
15 during the quarter.

16 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

17 Section 1. The Administrative Director of Courts  
18 shall provide a report at the end of each quarter of the  
19 fiscal year for each circuit and district court containing a  
20 complete accounting of all court costs, docket fees, fines,  
21 any other fees due to the court, and any other fees the  
22 Administrative Director of Courts deems appropriate that were  
23 waived or remitted by the court during the quarterly reporting  
24 period. The quarterly report shall provide the total number  
25 of cases in which such amounts were waived or remitted, as  
26 well as the total amount waived or remitted, for all civil and

1 criminal cases, including traffic cases, for each circuit and  
2 district court. The quarterly report shall provide this  
3 information based on the type of case in which such amounts  
4 were waived or remitted. The Administrative Director of Courts  
5 shall submit such reports to the Chairs of the Senate  
6 Committee on Finance and Taxation General Fund and the House  
7 Ways and Means General Fund Committee, the Legislative Fiscal  
8 Officer, and the State Budget Officer.

9 Section 2. This act shall become effective on the  
10 October 1, 2014 following its passage and approval by the  
11 Governor or its otherwise becoming law.

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committee on Finance and Taxation General Fund ... 13-FEB-14

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Yeas 25  
Nays 2

Patrick Harris  
Secretary