SECOND REGULAR SESSION

HOUSE BILL NO. 2647

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE FRAKER.

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

To repeal sections 221.160 and 550.030, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections relating to the reimbursement of certain criminal costs.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Sections 221.160 and 550.030, RSMo, are repealed and two new sections enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as sections 221.160 and 550.030, to read as follows:

221.160. When a person is charged with a felony offense, the expenses of imprisonment of [any criminal prisoner] the person, such as accrue before conviction from the date felony charges are filed against the person by the county prosecutor and those which 4 accrue after conviction, shall be paid [in the same manner as other costs of prosecution are directed to be paid; and those which accrue after conviction shall be paid as is directed by the law 6 regulating criminal proceedings] by the state in the amount of one hundred percent of expenses reimbursed in accordance with section 221.105. The costs associated with the electronic monitoring of an individual under section 221.025, charged with or found guilty of a felony offense, paid for by the county shall be reimbursed by the state in the amount 10 of one hundred percent of expenses. When a person is charged with a misdemeanor offense, the expenses of imprisonment, such as accrue before sentencing and after 11 conviction, shall be paid by the county. Payment of imprisonment expenses shall be made 12 13 by the county or state and the prisoner shall reimburse the same after payments made by 14 the county or state as provided by law.

550.030. When the defendant is sentenced to imprisonment in the county jail **for violating a county ordinance or misdemeanor offense**, or to pay a fine, or both, and is unable to pay the costs, the county in which the indictment was found or information filed shall pay the

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

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- 4 costs, [except such as were incurred on the part of the defendant] and may seek reimbursement
- 5 from the defendant as provided by law. When the defendant is sentenced to imprisonment
- 6 in the county jail for violating a felony offense, or to pay a fine, or both, and is unable to
- 7 pay the costs, the state shall pay the costs, and may seek reimbursement from the

8 defendant as provided by law.

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