

ORIGINAL SENATE
FILE NO. 0058

ENROLLED ACT NO. 16, SENATE

FIFTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING
2004 BUDGET SESSION

AN ACT relating to circuit courts; eliminating requirement for accounts holding fines, costs and forfeitures to be interest bearing; and providing for an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

Section 1. W.S. 5-9-149 is amended to read:

5-9-149. Bank accounts.

The accounting system established by the director of the state department of audit may provide for bank accounts for each circuit court in which money received by the circuit court may be deposited and disbursed as provided therein, and for such records, reports and procedures as the director requires. Money received as fines, forfeitures or court costs may not be deposited in the same bank account as money received in civil matters. If a bank account is established into which fines, costs or forfeitures are deposited, the accounting system established by the director shall require, where available, the use of accounts in a financial institution listed in W.S. 9-4-817(a) which may earn interest, in which the deposits are subject to payment upon demand and which are insured or secured as provided in W.S. 9-4-817(c). Interest earned on deposits of fines and forfeitures in such accounts shall be forwarded monthly to the county treasurer and credited to the county public school fund. Interest earned on all other deposits in such accounts shall be forwarded to the state treasurer quarterly and credited to the victim's compensation account within the earmarked revenue fund.

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Section 2. This act is effective immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution.

(END)

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Governor

TIME APPROVED: _____
DATE APPROVED: _____

I hereby certify that this act originated in the Senate.

Chief Clerk