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L.D. 641
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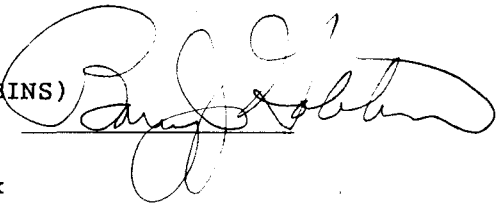
SENATE AMENDMENT " A " to S.P. 251, L.D. 641, Bill, "An Act to Implement Civil Penalties for Passing Worthless Instruments"

Amend the bill in that part designated "§6071." in subsection 2 by striking out all of the last sentence (page 1, lines 35 to 37 in L.D.) and inserting in its place the following:

'In the event of court action, the court may award reasonable attorney's fees to the prevailing party.'

STATEMENT OF FACT

This amendment clarifies when attorney's fees may be awarded in cases involving worthless instruments. The court's discretion in awarding fees is not impaired.

(Senator HOBBS)
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