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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "B" to H.P. 874, L.D. 1153, Bill, "An Act to Increase Certain Civil Process Fees"

Amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph B in the first line (page 1, line 6 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "\$8" and inserting in its place the following: '\$6'

Further amend the bill in section 1 in paragraph B in the 2nd line (page 1, line 7 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "\$16" and inserting in its place the following: '\$12'

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the summary the following:

FISCAL NOTE

The Department of Environmental Protection will incur some minor additional costs to pay increased civil process fees. These costs can be absorbed within the department's existing budgeted resources.'

SUMMARY

This is the minority amendment of the committee. It increases the fee that may be charged by sheriffs and deputies for service of civil process on behalf of the State to \$6 or to \$12 if service is made in hand. This amendment adds a fiscal note to the bill.