

**PUBLIC CHAPTER NO. 644**

**HOUSE BILL NO. 736**

**By Representatives Hardaway, Towns**

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1122

By Senator Norris

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 18, relative to clerks of courts.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 18, Chapter 1, Part 1, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

Section 18-1-1\_\_\_\_.

(a) When a judgment is required by order of a general sessions, circuit or chancery court, or by agreement of the parties, to be paid to the court through the applicable court clerk, the clerk, upon request of the debtor, shall provide the debtor with a copy of the judgment entered by the court or the agreement between the parties.

(b) Upon the request of the debtor, the clerk shall provide the debtor with a receipt for any amount paid by the debtor to the clerk in discharge of the judgment or the agreement between the parties.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: March 4, 2010**

  
KENT WILLIAMS, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

  
RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 17th day of March 2010



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PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR