

ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2012
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB722

Hearing Date: Friday February 24, 2012
Committee On: Judiciary
Introducer: Coash
One Liner: Authorize fines or costs to be deducted from a defendant's cash bond

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

Vote Results:

Aye: 8 Senators Ashford, Coash, Council, Harr, Larson, Lathrop, Lautenbaugh, McGill
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Proponents:

SEN. COLBY COASH
KERRY EAGAN

Representing:

INTRODUCER
LANCASTER COUNTY

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

Legislative Bill 722 would amend statute section 29-2206 to provide for fines or costs owed by an offender to be deducted from the cash bond posted by the offender.

Explanation of amendments:

Committee Amendment AM 2327 would strike "cash" from page 2, line 25 to clarify that the new provision applies to all bonds. The amendment would also limit the application of the new provision to the extent that a bond is not otherwise encumbered by a valid lien, levy, execution or assignment to counsel of record or the person who posted the bond.

Brad Ashford, Chairperson