One Hundred Second Legislature - First Session - 2011

Introducer's Statement of Intent

Chairperson: Senator Brad Ashford

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: January 26, 2011

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

To increase all court filing fees and costs by \$20. These increased fees will supplement the Supreme Court budget and thereby reduce cuts and court closures that may result from any reductions in General Fund appropriations to the Supreme Court. This \$20 increase would generate approximately \$7 million of annual revenue.

Principal Introducer:	
	Senator Brenda Council