

**Assembly Bill No. 1796**

CHAPTER 171

An act to add Section 1463.17 to the Penal Code, relating to fines and forfeitures.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1796, Mazzoni. Fines and forfeitures: alcohol and drug testing.

Existing law requires that in the County of Sonoma, among others, \$50 for each conviction of specified Vehicle Code violations are required to be deposited in a special account for exclusive allocation by the administrator of the county's alcoholism program, with the approval of the board of supervisors, for alcohol programs and services for the general population.

This bill would add provisions to authorize the County of Sonoma, with the approval of the board of supervisors, to deposit \$50 for each conviction of specified Vehicle Code violations in a special account to be used exclusively to pay the cost incurred by the county, or a city or special district within the county, for performing analysis of blood, breath, or urine for alcohol content or for the presence of drugs, or for services related to the testing.

The bill would provide that these provisions would not reduce the county's remittance to the state required under existing law.

*The people of the State of California do enact as follows:*

SECTION 1. Section 1463.17 is added to the Penal Code, to read:

1463.17. (a) In a county of the 19th class, notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, of the moneys deposited with the county treasurer pursuant to Section 1463, fifty dollars (\$50) for each conviction of a violation of Section 23103, 23104, 23152, or 23153 of the Vehicle Code shall be deposited in a special account to be used exclusively to pay the cost incurred by the county or a city or special district within the county, with approval of the board of supervisors, for performing analysis of blood, breath, or urine for alcohol content or for the presence of drugs, or for services related to the testing.

(b) The application of this section shall not reduce the county's remittance to the state specified in paragraph (2) of subdivision (b) of Section 77201 of, and paragraph (2) of subdivision (b) of, Section 77201.1 of the Government Code.

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