

1 SENATE BILL 453

2 **51ST LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2013**

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10 AN ACT

11 RELATING TO JUDICIAL STANDARDS; CREATING THE INVESTIGATION AND
12 TRIAL COST REIMBURSEMENT FUND TO BE USED FOR OPERATING EXPENSES
13 OF THE JUDICIAL STANDARDS COMMISSION; MAKING AN APPROPRIATION.

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15 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

16 SECTION 1. A new section of Chapter 34, Article 10 NMSA
17 1978 is enacted to read:

18 "[NEW MATERIAL] INVESTIGATION AND TRIAL COST REIMBURSEMENT
19 FUND--CREATED--ADMINISTRATION--PURPOSE.--

20 A. The "investigation and trial cost reimbursement
21 fund" is created in the state treasury. The fund consists of
22 reimbursed investigation and trial costs as ordered by the
23 supreme court or the judicial standards commission, other
24 statutory revenues directed to the fund, appropriations, gifts,
25 grants and donations.

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1 B. Money in the fund is appropriated to the
2 judicial standards commission for operating expenses of the
3 commission.

4 C. Payments shall be made from the fund upon
5 warrants drawn by the secretary of finance and administration
6 pursuant to vouchers issued and signed by the judicial
7 standards commission's executive director.

8 D. The fund shall not revert at the end of any
9 fiscal year."

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