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This bill increases the fee that a jailer may assess a person who is booked at a county or regional jail. The bill also allows the sheriff to collect the fee from those who are booked and immediately released. The maximum fee is increased from \$10 to \$25.

Paragraph (b) authorizes the jailer to waive the fee for a variety of reasons, most of which are based on the person's indigence.