

January 29, 1951.
Judiciary No. 1.

House File 242
By CLARK of Marion.

Passed House, Date
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....
Passed Senate, Date.....
Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....
Approved

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend chapter seven hundred seventy-five (775), Code 1950, relating to fees for counsel furnished to defendant in criminal cases.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 Section 1. Chapter seven hundred seventy-five (775),
2 Code 1950, is hereby amended as follows:

3 1. Strike from section seven hundred seventy-five point
4 five (775.5) lines six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9)
5 and ten (10) the following, "twenty dollars (\$20) per day
6 for time actually occupied in court in the trial of defendant.
7 If the prosecution be for any other felony, he shall receive
8 the sum of ten dollars (\$10) in full for services" and insert
9 in lieu thereof the following "forty dollars (\$40) per day
10 for time actually occupied in court in the trial of defendant
11 and for time spent in preparing for said trial. If the
12 prosecution be for any other felony, or indictable misdemeanor,
13 he shall receive the sum of twenty dollars (\$20) per day for
14 time actually occupied in court in the trial of defendant and
15 for time spent in preparing for said trial".

16 2. Strike from section seven hundred seventy-five point

17 six (775.6) line six (6) the period “.” after the word “source”
18 and insert in lieu thereof a comma “,” and add the following
19 “and that the time stated was actually spent in the trial and
20 preparation of the case.”.

EXPLANATION OF H. F. 242

This Act increases the compensation of defendant's attorney in criminal cases and provides for compensation for time spent in preparation for trial.