

**SENATE BILL NO. 699**

September 21, 1999, Introduced by Senator DINGELL and referred  
to the Committee on Judiciary.

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled  
"Revised judicature act of 1961,"  
by amending section 2543 (MCL 600.2543), as amended by 1986 PA  
308.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1       Sec. 2543. (1) The circuit court reporters or recorders  
2 shall be entitled to demand and receive per page for a transcript  
3 ordered by any person the sum of ~~-\$1.75-~~ \$3.00 per original page  
4 and 30 cents per page for each copy, unless a lower rate is  
5 agreed upon. For a transcript ordered by the circuit judge,  
6 reporters or recorders shall be entitled to receive from the  
7 county the same compensation.

8       (2) Only if the transcript is desired for the purpose of  
9 moving for a new trial or preparing a record for appeal shall the  
10 amount of reporters' or recorders' fees paid for the transcript

1 be recovered IN THE COURT OF APPEALS OR SUPREME COURT as a ~~part~~  
2 ~~of the taxable costs~~ COST of the prevailing party in the  
3 motion. ~~, in the court of appeals or the supreme court.~~