

**TESTIMONY ON HB 2606  
STATE COURT TECHNOLOGY FUND  
BEFORE THE HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE  
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HB 2606 was introduced on behalf of the Oregon Judicial Department (OJD).

ORS 137.300(1) requires all amounts collected in the state courts as monetary obligations in criminal actions to be deposited in the Criminal Fine Account (CFA). The bill proposes to amend ORS 137.300(3) to allow for an allocation of moneys from the CFA to the State Court Technology Fund (Fund) established under ORS 1.012. The Technology Fund provides for:

- Developing, maintaining and supporting state court electronic applications, services and systems and for providing access to and use of those applications, services and systems; and
- Providing electronic service and filing services.

We anticipate discussions in the Joint Committee on Ways and Means on how best to provide stable funding for the Technology Fund. HB 2606 includes the statutory changes that would allow the CFA to be part of that discussion.

HB 2606 has a subsequent referral to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.