

by reason of poverty to pay the cost of the application and of appeal, he may file, with the court making the order from which appeal is sought, a petition under oath alleging the fact of his poverty and his inability to defray the expense of making application and of appealing. The court upon being satisfied of the defendant's poverty shall sign an order directing that all costs, including but not limited to, all court costs, the cost of preparing the transcript of testimony, the cost of preparing and transmitting the record, and the cost of the briefs, appendices and printed record extract necessary in connection with the appeal shall be paid by the political subdivision from which the appeal is taken and that the record shall be transmitted to the [Court of Appeals] *Court of Special Appeals* at the expense of the political subdivision. A copy of the order shall be included in the record transmitted to the [Court of Appeals] *Court of Special Appeals* and the payment of all filing fees to the Clerk of the [Court of Appeals] *Court of Special Appeals* in connection with the appeal are waived. If counsel prosecuting the appeal on behalf of the defendant has been appointed as such counsel by the court making the order appealed from or by the [Court of Appeals] *Court of Special Appeals*, the [Court of Appeals] *Court of Special Appeals* may allow him a fee in an amount which the Court shall think proper for his services in the appeal, the fee to be paid by the political subdivision.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That Sections 14 and 15 of Article 36 of the said Code (1965 Replacement Volume), title "Fees of Officers", subtitle "Clerks of Court", be and they are hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, and all to read as follows:

Article 36

14. The Clerks of the Court of Appeals of Maryland *and of the Court of Special Appeals* may charge and shall be entitled to receive the fees hereinafter set forth for the performance of [his] *their* duties, as follows:

- (1) For filing the record in any appeal and all duties incident thereto, \$20.00;
- (2) For filing a motion for reargument and all duties incident thereto, \$5.00;
- (3) For a certificate under seal of the admission of any attorney, \$5.00;
- (4) For any copy of a certificate under seal of the admission of any attorney, \$1.00;
- (5) For furnishing copies of laws per hundred words, 12½¢;
- (6) For rendering any services required or necessarily incident to the duties of the office, and not hereinabove covered, the clerk may make such charges as are reasonable and appropriate;
- (7) For furnishing copies of opinions, \$2.00, when ordered in advance, or \$3.00 if ordered thereafter.

15. In all cases of appeal to the Court of Appeals *and to the Court of Special Appeals*, [both at law and in equity,] the clerk of the court from which said appeal is taken shall charge but ten cents per hundred words and no more for making up the record of same, and when typewritten copies of any of the papers, or of the testimony