## THE CODE OF CRIMINAL PROCEDURE (EXCERPT) Act 175 of 1927

## 774.26c Account in financial institution for money received in criminal cases; deposits and withdrawals; secured deposits; limitation on acceptable assets; "financial institution" defined.

Sec. 26c. (1) Each municipal court shall maintain a separate account in a financial institution for money received in criminal cases. All money received in criminal cases shall be deposited in the account daily if the receipts exceed \$500.00, or whenever the receipts exceed \$500.00.

- (2) Withdrawals from the account shall be made only by check and only for the purposes of making a deposit with the county treasurer, making refunds or transfers of cash bail bonds, making payments for restitution, or making refunds to defendants in case of an error.
- (3) Assets acceptable for pledging to secure deposits of municipal court funds are limited to any of the following:
- (a) Assets considered acceptable to the state treasurer under section 3 of 1855 PA 105, MCL 21.143, to secure deposits of state surplus funds.
  - (b) Any of the following:
  - (i) Securities issued by the federal home loan mortgage corporation.
  - (ii) Securities issued by the federal national mortgage association.
  - (iii) Securities issued by the government national mortgage association.
  - (c) Other securities considered acceptable to the municipal court and the financial institution.
- (4) As used in this section, "financial institution" means a state or nationally chartered bank or a state or federally chartered savings and loan association, savings bank, or credit union whose deposits are insured by an agency of the United States government and which maintains a principal office or branch office located in this state under the laws of this state or the United States.

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