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Trinidad and Tobago

SENATE

BILL

AN ACT to amend the Electronic Payments into and
out of Court Act, 2018

THE ELECTRONIC PAYMENTS INTO AND OUT OF
COURT (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2021

Explanatory Notes

(These notes form no part of the Bill but are intended only to indicate its general purport)

This Bill seeks to amend the Electronic Payments into and out of Court Act, 2018.

The Bill contains three clauses.

Clause 1 provides for the short title of the Act.

Clause 2 provides for the commencement of the Act.

Clause 3 seeks to amend the Electronic Payments into and out of Court Act, 2018 by inserting a new section 16 to provide for the deduction of bank charges, credit card charges, debit card charges, chargeback and administrative and other fees from the Custodial Bank Account, by agreement between the Judiciary of Trinidad and Tobago and a Financial Intermediary.

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[, 2021]

ENACTED by the Parliament of Trinidad and Tobago Enactment
as follows:

1. This Act may be cited as the Electronic Payments Short title
into and out of Court (Amendment) Act, 2021.
2. This Act shall come into force on such date as is Commencement
fixed by the President by Proclamation.

Act No. 14 of 2018
amended

3. The Electronic Payments into and out of Court Act is amended by inserting after section 15, the following section:

“Deductions
for certain
charges

16. Where electronic payments are made into Court, the Judiciary of Trinidad and Tobago may, by agreement with a Financial Intermediary, cause the bank charges, credit card charges, debit card charges, chargeback, administrative and other fees to be deducted from the Custodial Bank Account referred to in section 5(1) and (2) of the Act.”.

Passed in the Senate this day of ,
2021.

Clerk of the Senate

I confirm the above.

President of the Senate

Passed in the House of Representatives this day
of , 2021.

Clerk of the House

I confirm the above.

Speaker

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