



County of Santa Barbara

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Minute Order

December 16, 2025

Present: 5 - Supervisor Lee, Supervisor Capps, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino

PROBATION DEPARTMENT

File Reference No. 25-01070

RE: Consider recommendations regarding an Assembly Bill (AB) 143 Backfill Allocation Spending Report for Fiscal Year (FY) 2024-2025 for Criminal Justice Fees Eliminated by AB 1869, as follows:

- a) Consider and adopt the Report, the Board of Supervisors' Annual Report for FY 2024-2025 as required by Government Code section 29553 subsection (f), documenting the County's spending of State backfill allocations which provide fiscal relief for revenues lost from fees repealed by Chapter 92, Statutes of 2020 (AB 1869);
- b) Authorize the Chair to sign the letter regarding the submission of the above referenced Report, and direct Probation staff to submit the letter and Report to the State of California Director of Finance, the Legislative Analyst's Office, and the Joint Legislative Budget Committee; and
- c) Determine pursuant to California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines 15378(b)(5) that the above actions are not a project subject to CEQA review, because they are government administrative activities that do not result in direct or indirect physical changes to the environment.

A motion was made by Supervisor Hartmann, seconded by Supervisor Nelson, that this matter be acted on as follows:

- a) Considered and adopted;
- b) Authorized; Chair to execute; and
- c) Approved.

The motion carried by the following vote:

Ayes: 5 - Supervisor Lee, Supervisor Capps, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino