

HOUSE BILL No. 2200

By Committee on Local Government

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AN ACT concerning municipal courts; relating to penalties for violations of an ordinance; amending K.S.A. 12-4510 and repealing the existing section.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:

Section 1. K.S.A. 12-4510 is hereby amended to read as follows: 12-4510. (a) When a sentence of imprisonment is pronounced, the municipal judge or the clerk of the municipal court shall prepare and deliver to the chief of police a copy of the entry of judgment, duly certified by such judge or clerk, which shall be sufficient authority to such chief of police to execute the sentence and confine the accused person to jail for the time specified, or until further order of the court.

(b) When a fine is levied as punishment, the municipal judge or clerk of the municipal court shall issue a statement setting forth the amount of the fine and the manner of payment. Failure to pay in the manner specified may constitute contempt of court.

(c) *A release under this section shall not discharge a person from liability to pay the fine or costs adjudged against them. The clerk of the municipal court may file a certified copy of the judgment for fine and costs in the limited actions department of the district court which may be collected by execution as on a judgment.*

Sec. 2. K.S.A. 12-4510 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the statute book.