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Payment Agreements Policy Statement

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Pursuant to the provisions of Section 19.2-354 of the 1950 Code of Virginian, this Court AUTHORIZES the Clerk to establish and approve individual payment agreement in accordance with established guidelines approved by the Court.

When the defendant is ordered to pay fines and cost and is unable to pay within 90 days from the date of conviction, or other disposition date, there will be an opportunity to enter payment plans:

Time to Pay Agreement Authorized by Clerk:

- Phase One:
 - The Clerk is authorized to establish and approve Payment agreements for an additional 90 days (total of 180 days) from Disposition/Deferral Date.
 - A (DC-210) Time to Pay Agreement shall be signed.
 - A one-time \$10.00 Time to Pay Fee will be assessed.
- Phase Two:
 - When the defendant needs more time than the above additional 90 days, a Petition for Payment Agreement for Fines and Costs or Request to Modify Existing Agreement (form DC-211) is required, to assess the defendant's ability to pay.
 - A down payment of 10% is required when fines and costs are \$500 or less.
 - A down payment of 5% is required when fines and costs are more than \$500.
- > Additional Time/ Request to Modify an Existing Payment Agreement/ Additional time to pay Restitution:
 - Additional time to pay can be requested by filing a motion and the court date will be set to appear in court. The agreement will be handled by the Judge. Once the Judge has addressed the request and authorized the payment, the Clerk of Court will provide a copy to the Defendant and the Finance Department will update FAS.

In addition to the payment plans referenced above, there may be an option to participate in the Community Service Program to discharge fines and cost, for more information please ask Clerks Office.

Thomas P. Sotelo

Chief Judge