STATE OF NEW YORK

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2025-2026 Regular Sessions

IN ASSEMBLY

January 23, 2025

Introduced by M. of A. SANTABARBARA -- read once and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

AN ACT to amend the surrogate's court procedure act, in relation to eliminating certain will filing fees

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Subdivision 9 of section 2402 of the surrogate's court procedure act, as amended by section 30 of part J of chapter 62 of the laws of 2003, is amended to read as follows:

9. For filing:

	Fee Rate
(i) a demand for trial by jury in any proceeding, SCPA 502	$150.00
(ii) objections to the probate of a will SCPA 1410	150.00
(iii) a note of issue in any proceeding	45.00
(iv) objection or answer in any action or proceeding other than probate	75.00
(v) [~~a will for safekeeping pursuant to section 2507 of this act except that the court in any county may reduce or dispense with such fee~~	~~45.00~~
~~(vi)~~] a bond, including any additional bond:	
less than $10,000	20.00
$10,000 and over	30.00

§ 2. This act shall take effect on the ninetieth day after it shall have become a law.

EXPLANATION--Matter in *italics* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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