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Act No. 107 (H.611). Crimes and criminal procedures; victims

An act relating to compensation for victims of crime

This act clarifies that when the Victims Compensation Board awards compensation to a crime victim, the State is subrogated to the rights of the victim and has a lien against the perpetrator in the amount of the award, less any fines imposed by the court.

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