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A BILL

То	amend section 2929.18 and to enact section	1
	2125.05 of the Revised Code to require a felony	2
	offender of an OVI-caused aggravated vehicular	3
	homicide to pay child maintenance when the	4
	victim is a parent, legal guardian, or custodian	5
	of a minor child, to allow child maintenance to	6
	be awarded in a wrongful death action when the	7
	offender is deceased, and to name this act the	8
	Sam Knisley Family Support Act.	9

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That section 2929.18 be amended and section	10
2125.05 of the Revised Code be enacted to read as follows:	11
Sec. 2125.05. (A) In addition to compensatory damages, a	12
court may award child maintenance in a civil action for wrongful	13
death in a case in which both of the following apply:	14
(1) The wrongful death is found to have been proximately	15
caused by the deceased defendant's felony violation of division	16
(A)(1)(a) of section 2903.06 of the Revised Code.	17

(2) At the time of death, the deceased victim was the	18
parent of at least one surviving minor child.	19
(B) For each minor child of the victim, the court may	20
order the payment of child maintenance until the child reaches	21
eighteen years of age.	22
(C) The court shall determine an amount of child	23
maintenance that is reasonable and necessary for the maintenance	24
of each child after considering all relevant factors, including	25
all of the following:	26
(1) The financial needs and resources of the child;	27
(2) The financial resources and needs of the surviving	28
parent, including the state if the child is in the custody of a	29
<pre>public children services agency;</pre>	30
(3) The standard of living to which the child is	31
<pre>accustomed;</pre>	32
(4) The physical and emotional condition of the child and	33
<pre>the child's educational needs;</pre>	34
(5) The child's physical and legal custody arrangements;	35
(6) The reasonable work-related child care expenses of the	36
surviving parent.	37
(D) The court shall order that child maintenance payments	38
be made from the defendant's estate to the clerk of courts as	39
trustee for remittance to the child's surviving parent. The	40
clerk shall remit the payments to the surviving parent within	41
three business days of receipt by the clerk. The clerk shall	42
deposit all payments not later than the next business day after	43
receipt.	44

(E) For purposes of this section, "parent" includes a	45
legal custodian or guardian of a child.	46
Sec. 2929.18. (A) Except as otherwise provided in this	47
division and in addition to imposing court costs pursuant to	48
section 2947.23 of the Revised Code, the court imposing a	49
sentence upon an offender for a felony may sentence the offender	50
to any financial sanction or combination of financial sanctions	51
authorized under this section or, in the circumstances specified	52
in section 2929.32 of the Revised Code, may impose upon the	53
offender a fine in accordance with that section, and shall	54
sentence the offender to make restitution pursuant to this	55
section and section 2929.281 of the Revised Code. The victim has	56
a right not to seek restitution. Financial However, the court	57
shall order the financial sanction specified in division (A)(2)	58
of this section, if applicable, in addition to any other	59
financial sanction or combination of financial sanctions imposed	60
under this section. Subject to division (A)(2) of this section,	61
financial sanctions that either are required to be or may be	62
imposed pursuant to this section include, but are not limited	63
to, the following:	64
(1) Restitution by the offender to the victim of the	65
offender's criminal offense or the victim's estate, in an amount	66
based on the victim's economic loss. In open court, the court	67
shall order that full restitution be made to the victim, to the	68
adult probation department that serves the county on behalf of	69
the victim, to the clerk of courts, or to another agency	70
designated by the court. At sentencing, the court shall	71
determine the amount of restitution to be made by the offender.	72
The victim, victim's representative, victim's attorney, if	73
applicable, the prosecutor or the prosecutor's designee, and the	74
offender may provide information relevant to the determination	75

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of the amount of restitution. The amount the court orders as	76
restitution shall not exceed the amount of the economic loss	77
suffered by the victim as a direct and proximate result of the	78
commission of the offense. If the court imposes restitution for	79
the cost of accounting or auditing done to determine the extent	80
of economic loss, the court may order restitution for any amount	81
of the victim's costs of accounting or auditing provided that	82
the amount of restitution is reasonable and does not exceed the	83
value of property or services stolen or damaged as a result of	84
the offense. The court shall hold a hearing on restitution if	85
the offender, victim, victim's representative, or victim's	86
estate disputes the amount. The court shall determine the amount	87
of full restitution by a preponderance of the evidence. All	88
restitution payments shall be credited against any recovery of	89
economic loss in a civil action brought by the victim or the	90
victim's estate against the offender.	91

The court may order that the offender pay a surcharge of not more than five per cent of the amount of the restitution otherwise ordered to the entity responsible for collecting and processing restitution payments.

The victim, victim's estate, or victim's attorney, if 96 applicable, may file a motion or request that the prosecutor in 97 the case file a motion, or the offender may file a motion, for 98 modification of the payment terms of any restitution ordered. If 99 the court grants the motion, it may modify the payment terms as 100 it determines appropriate but shall not reduce the amount of 101 restitution ordered, except as provided in division (A) of 102 section 2929.281 of the Revised Code. The court shall not 103 discharge restitution until it is fully paid by the offender. 104

(2) Except (2) (a) For any felony violation of division (A) 105

(1) (a) of section 2903.06 of the Revised Code, the court shall	106
order restitution in the form of child maintenance if the	107
offender was convicted of or pleaded guilty to that violation	108
and at the time of the offense the deceased victim was the	109
parent, legal custodian, or guardian of at least one surviving	110
minor child. For each minor child of the victim, the offender	111
shall pay child maintenance until the child reaches eighteen	112
years of age.	113
(b) The court shall determine the amount of child	114
maintenance that is reasonable and necessary for the maintenance	115
of each child after considering all relevant factors, including	116
all of the following:	117
(i) The financial needs and resources of the child;	118
(ii) The financial resources and needs of the surviving	119
parent, legal custodian, or guardian of the child, including the	120
state if the child is in the custody of a public children	121
services agency;	122
(iii) The standard of living to which the child is	123
accustomed;	124
(iv) The physical and emotional condition of the child and	125
the child's educational needs;	126
(v) The child's physical and legal custody arrangements;	127
(vi) The reasonable work-related child care expenses of	128
the surviving parent, legal custodian, or guardian.	129
(c) The court shall order that child maintenance payments	130
be made to the clerk of courts as trustee for remittance to the	131
child's surviving parent, legal custodian, or guardian. The	132
clerk shall remit the payments to the surviving parent, legal	133

custodian, or guardian within three business days of receipt by	134
the clerk. The clerk shall deposit all payments not later than	135
the next business day after receipt.	136
(d) If the offender is ordered to pay child maintenance	137
under this section and is incarcerated and unable to pay the	138
required child maintenance, the offender shall have not more	139
than one year after the release from incarceration to begin	140
payment and may enter a payment plan with the court to address	141
any arrearage. If the child maintenance payments are set to	142
terminate but the offender's obligation is not paid in full, the	143
child maintenance payments shall continue until the entire	144
arrearage is paid.	145
(e) If a parent, legal guardian, or custodian brings a	146
civil action against the offender prior to the ordering of child	147
maintenance under this section and obtains a judgment covering	148
the costs of child maintenance in the civil action, no child	149
maintenance shall be ordered under this section.	150
(f) If an offender is ordered to pay child maintenance	151
under this section and a parent, legal quardian, or custodian	152
subsequently brings a civil action against the offender and	153
obtains a judgment covering the costs of child maintenance, the	154
child maintenance amount shall be offset by the amount of the	155
judgment awarded in the civil action.	156
(3) Except as provided in division (B)(1), (3), or (4) of	157
this section, a fine payable by the offender to the state, to a	158
political subdivision, or as described in division (B)(2) of	159
this section to one or more law enforcement agencies, with the	160
amount of the fine based on a standard percentage of the	161
offender's daily income over a period of time determined by the	162
court and based upon the seriousness of the offense. A fine	163

ordered under this division shall not exceed the maximum	164
conventional fine amount authorized for the level of the offense	165
under division $\frac{(A)(3)}{(A)(4)}$ of this section.	166
$\frac{(3)}{(4)}$ Except as provided in division (B)(1), (3), or (4)	167
of this section, a fine payable by the offender to the state, to	168
a political subdivision when appropriate for a felony, or as	169
described in division (B)(2) of this section to one or more law	170
enforcement agencies, in the following amount:	171
(a) For a felony of the first degree, not more than twenty	172
thousand dollars;	173
(b) For a felony of the second degree, not more than	174
fifteen thousand dollars;	175
(c) For a felony of the third degree, not more than ten	176
thousand dollars;	177
chousand dollars,	111
(d) For a felony of the fourth degree, not more than five	178
thousand dollars;	179
(e) For a felony of the fifth degree, not more than two	180
thousand five hundred dollars.	181
$\frac{(4)-(5)}{(5)}$ A state fine or costs as defined in section	182
2949.111 of the Revised Code.	183
2343.111 of the Nevisca coae.	100
$\frac{(5)(a)(6)(a)}{(6)(a)}$ Reimbursement by the offender of any or all	184
of the costs of sanctions incurred by the government, including	185
the following:	186
(i) All or part of the costs of implementing any community	187
control sanction, including a supervision fee under section	188
2951.021 of the Revised Code;	189
(ii) All or part of the costs of confinement under a	190
(11) All or part of the costs of continement linder a	191

sanction imposed pursuant to section 2929.14, 2929.142, or	191
2929.16 of the Revised Code, provided that the amount of	192
reimbursement ordered under this division shall not exceed the	193
total amount of reimbursement the offender is able to pay as	194
determined at a hearing and shall not exceed the actual cost of	195
the confinement;	196
(iii) All or part of the cost of purchasing and using an	197
immobilizing or disabling device, including a certified ignition	198
interlock device, or a remote alcohol monitoring device that a	199
court orders an offender to use under section 4510.13 of the	200
Revised Code.	201
(b) If the offender is sentenced to a sanction of	202
confinement pursuant to section 2929.14 or 2929.16 of the	203
Revised Code that is to be served in a facility operated by a	204
board of county commissioners, a legislative authority of a	205
municipal corporation, or another local governmental entity, if,	206
pursuant to section 307.93, 341.14, 341.19, 341.23, 753.02,	207
753.04, 753.16, 2301.56, or 2947.19 of the Revised Code and	208
section 2929.37 of the Revised Code, the board, legislative	209
authority, or other local governmental entity requires prisoners	210
to reimburse the county, municipal corporation, or other entity	211
for its expenses incurred by reason of the prisoner's	212
confinement, and if the court does not impose a financial	213
sanction under division $\frac{(A)(5)(a)(ii)}{(A)(6)(a)(ii)}$ of this	214
section, confinement costs may be assessed pursuant to section	215
2929.37 of the Revised Code. In addition, the offender may be	216
required to pay the fees specified in section 2929.38 of the	217
Revised Code in accordance with that section.	218
(c) Reimbursement by the offender for costs pursuant to	219

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section 2929.71 of the Revised Code;

(d) Reimbursement by the offender for costs pursuant to	221
section 2917.321 of the Revised Code.	222
(B)(1) For a first, second, or third degree felony	223
violation of any provision of Chapter 2925., 3719., or 4729. of	224
the Revised Code, the sentencing court shall impose upon the	225
offender a mandatory fine of at least one-half of, but not more	226
than, the maximum statutory fine amount authorized for the level	227
of the offense pursuant to division $\frac{(A)(3)-(A)(4)}{(A)(4)}$ of this	228
section. If an offender alleges in an affidavit filed with the	229
court prior to sentencing that the offender is indigent and	230
unable to pay the mandatory fine and if the court determines the	231
offender is an indigent person and is unable to pay the	232
mandatory fine described in this division, the court shall not	233
impose the mandatory fine upon the offender.	234
(2) Any mandatory fine imposed upon an offender under	235
division (B)(1) of this section and any fine imposed upon an	236
offender under division $\frac{(A)(2)-(A)(3)}{(A)(3)}$ or $\frac{(3)-(4)}{(4)}$ of this section	237
for any fourth or fifth degree felony violation of any provision	238
of Chapter 2925., 3719., or 4729. of the Revised Code shall be	239
paid to law enforcement agencies pursuant to division (F) of	240
section 2925.03 of the Revised Code.	241
(3) For a fourth degree felony OVI offense and for a third	242
degree felony OVI offense, the sentencing court shall impose	243
upon the offender a mandatory fine in the amount specified in	244
division (G)(1)(d) or (e) of section 4511.19 of the Revised	245
Code, whichever is applicable. The mandatory fine so imposed	246
shall be disbursed as provided in the division pursuant to which	247
it is imposed.	248
(4) Notwithstanding any fine otherwise authorized or	249
required to be imposed under division $\frac{A}{A}$ (2) A (3) or A (4)	250

or (B)(1) of this section or section 2929.31 of the Revised Code	251
for a violation of section 2925.03 of the Revised Code, in	252
addition to any penalty or sanction imposed for that offense	253
under section 2925.03 or sections 2929.11 to 2929.18 of the	254
Revised Code and in addition to the forfeiture of property in	255
connection with the offense as prescribed in Chapter 2981. of	256
the Revised Code, the court that sentences an offender for a	257
violation of section 2925.03 of the Revised Code may impose upon	258
the offender a fine in addition to any fine imposed under	259
division $\frac{(A)(2)-(A)(3)}{(A)(3)}$ or $\frac{(3)-(4)}{(4)}$ of this section and in	260
addition to any mandatory fine imposed under division (B)(1) of	261
this section. The fine imposed under division (B)(4) of this	262
section shall be used as provided in division (H) of section	263
2925.03 of the Revised Code. A fine imposed under division (B)	264
(4) of this section shall not exceed whichever of the following	265
is applicable:	266

- (a) The total value of any personal or real property in 267 which the offender has an interest and that was used in the 268 course of, intended for use in the course of, derived from, or 269 realized through conduct in violation of section 2925.03 of the 270 Revised Code, including any property that constitutes proceeds 271 derived from that offense; 272
- (b) If the offender has no interest in any property of the 273 type described in division (B)(4)(a) of this section or if it is 274 not possible to ascertain whether the offender has an interest 275 in any property of that type in which the offender may have an 276 interest, the amount of the mandatory fine for the offense 277 imposed under division (B)(1) of this section or, if no 278 mandatory fine is imposed under division (B)(1) of this section, 279 the amount of the fine authorized for the level of the offense 280 imposed under division $\frac{(A)(3)}{(A)(4)}$ of this section. 281

(5) Prior to imposing a fine under division (B)(4) of this	282
section, the court shall determine whether the offender has an	283
interest in any property of the type described in division (B)	284
(4)(a) of this section. Except as provided in division (B)(6) or	285
(7) of this section, a fine that is authorized and imposed under	286
division (B)(4) of this section does not limit or affect the	287
imposition of the penalties and sanctions for a violation of	288
section 2925.03 of the Revised Code prescribed under those	289
sections or sections 2929.11 to 2929.18 of the Revised Code and	290
does not limit or affect a forfeiture of property in connection	291
with the offense as prescribed in Chapter 2981. of the Revised	292
Code.	293

(6) If the sum total of a mandatory fine amount imposed 294 for a first, second, or third degree felony violation of section 295 2925.03 of the Revised Code under division (B)(1) of this 296 section plus the amount of any fine imposed under division (B) 297 (4) of this section does not exceed the maximum statutory fine 298 amount authorized for the level of the offense under division 299 $\frac{A}{A}$ (A) (4) of this section or section 2929.31 of the Revised 300 Code, the court may impose a fine for the offense in addition to 301 the mandatory fine and the fine imposed under division (B)(4) of 302 this section. The sum total of the amounts of the mandatory 303 fine, the fine imposed under division (B)(4) of this section, 304 and the additional fine imposed under division (B)(6) of this 305 section shall not exceed the maximum statutory fine amount 306 authorized for the level of the offense under division (A) (3) 307 (A)(4) of this section or section 2929.31 of the Revised Code. 308 The clerk of the court shall pay any fine that is imposed under 309 division (B)(6) of this section to the county, township, 310 municipal corporation, park district as created pursuant to 311 section 511.18 or 1545.04 of the Revised Code, or state law 312

enforcement agencies in this state that primarily were	313
responsible for or involved in making the arrest of, and in	314
prosecuting, the offender pursuant to division (F) of section	315
2925.03 of the Revised Code.	316
(7) If the sum total of the amount of a mandatory fine	317
imposed for a first, second, or third degree felony violation of	318
section 2925.03 of the Revised Code plus the amount of any fine	319
imposed under division (B)(4) of this section exceeds the	320
maximum statutory fine amount authorized for the level of the	321
offense under division $\frac{A}{A}$ $\frac{A}{A}$ of this section or section	322
2929.31 of the Revised Code, the court shall not impose a fine	323
under division (B)(6) of this section.	324
(8)(a) If an offender who is convicted of or pleads guilty	325
to a violation of section 2905.01, 2905.02, 2907.21, 2907.22, or	326
2923.32, division (A)(1) or (2) of section 2907.323 involving a	327
minor, or division (B)(1), (2), (3), (4), or (5) of section	328
2919.22 of the Revised Code also is convicted of or pleads	329
guilty to a specification of the type described in section	330
2941.1422 of the Revised Code that charges that the offender	331
knowingly committed the offense in furtherance of human	332
trafficking, the sentencing court shall sentence the offender to	333
a financial sanction of restitution by the offender to the	334
victim or the victim's estate, with the restitution including	335
the costs of housing, counseling, and medical and legal	336
assistance incurred by the victim as a direct result of the	337
offense and the greater of the following:	338
(i) The gross income or value to the offender of the	339
victim's labor or services;	340
(ii) The value of the victim's labor as guaranteed under	341

the minimum wage and overtime provisions of the "Federal Fair

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Labor Standards Act of 1938," 52 Stat. 1060, 20 U.S.C. 207, and	343
state labor laws.	344
(b) If a court imposing sentence upon an offender for a	345
felony is required to impose upon the offender a financial	346
sanction of restitution under division (B)(8)(a) of this	347
section, in addition to that financial sanction of restitution,	348
the court may sentence the offender to any other financial	349
sanction or combination of financial sanctions authorized under	350
this section, including a restitution sanction under division	351
(A)(1) of this section.	352
(9) In addition to any other fine that is or may be	353
imposed under this section, the court imposing sentence upon an	354
offender for a felony that is a sexually oriented offense or a	355
child-victim oriented offense, as those terms are defined in	356
section 2950.01 of the Revised Code, may impose a fine of not	357
less than fifty nor more than five hundred dollars.	358
(10) For a felony violation of division (A) of section	359
2921.321 of the Revised Code that results in the death of the	360
police dog or horse that is the subject of the violation, the	361
sentencing court shall impose upon the offender a mandatory fine	362
from the range of fines provided under division $\frac{A}{A}$ (A) (4) of	363
this section for a felony of the third degree. A mandatory fine	364
imposed upon an offender under division (B)(10) of this section	365
shall be paid to the law enforcement agency that was served by	366
the police dog or horse that was killed in the felony violation	367
of division (A) of section 2921.321 of the Revised Code to be	368
used as provided in division (E)(1)(b) of that section.	369
(11) In addition to any other fine that is or may be	370
imposed under this section, the court imposing sentence upon an	371

offender for any of the following offenses that is a felony may

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impose a fine of not less than seventy nor more than five	373
hundred dollars, which, except as provided in division (B)(12)	374
of this section, shall be transmitted to the treasurer of state	375
to be credited to the address confidentiality program fund	376
created by section 111.48 of the Revised Code:	377
(a) Domestic violence;	378
(b) Menacing by stalking;	379
(c) Rape;	380
(d) Sexual battery;	381
(e) Trafficking in persons;	382
(f) A violation of section 2905.01, 2905.02, 2907.21,	383
2907.22, or 2923.32, division (A)(1) or (2) of section 2907.323	384
involving a minor, or division (B)(1), (2), (3), (4), or (5) of	385
section 2919.22 of the Revised Code, if the offender also is	386
convicted of a specification of the type described in section	387
2941.1422 of the Revised Code that charges that the offender	388
knowingly committed the offense in furtherance of human	389
trafficking.	390
(12)(a) A court that imposes a fine under division (B)(11)	391
of this section may retain up to twenty-five per cent of amounts	392
collected in satisfaction of the fine to cover administrative	393
costs.	394
(b) A court that imposes a fine under division (B)(11) of	395
this section may assign up to twenty-five per cent of amounts	396
collected in satisfaction of the fine to reimburse the	397
prosecuting attorney for costs associated with prosecution of	398
the offense.	399
(C)(1) Except as provided in section 2951.021 of the	400

Revised Code, the offender shall pay reimbursements imposed upon	401
the offender pursuant to division $\frac{A}{A}$ $\frac{B}{A}$ $\frac{A}{A}$ $\frac{B}{A}$ $\frac{A}{A}$ $\frac{B}{A}$ of this	402
section to pay the costs incurred by a county pursuant to any	403
sanction imposed under this section or section 2929.16 or	404
2929.17 of the Revised Code or in operating a facility used to	405
confine offenders pursuant to a sanction imposed under section	406
2929.16 of the Revised Code to the county treasurer. The county	407
treasurer shall deposit the reimbursements in the sanction cost	408
reimbursement fund that each board of county commissioners shall	409
create in its county treasury. The county shall use the amounts	410
deposited in the fund to pay the costs incurred by the county	411
pursuant to any sanction imposed under this section or section	412
2929.16 or 2929.17 of the Revised Code or in operating a	413
facility used to confine offenders pursuant to a sanction	414
imposed under section 2929.16 of the Revised Code.	415

(2) Except as provided in section 2951.021 of the Revised 416 Code, the offender shall pay reimbursements imposed upon the 417 offender pursuant to division $\frac{A}{A} = \frac{A}{5} \cdot \frac{A}{A} = A$ (A) (6) (a) of this 418 section to pay the costs incurred by a municipal corporation 419 pursuant to any sanction imposed under this section or section 420 2929.16 or 2929.17 of the Revised Code or in operating a 421 facility used to confine offenders pursuant to a sanction 422 imposed under section 2929.16 of the Revised Code to the 423 treasurer of the municipal corporation. The treasurer shall 424 deposit the reimbursements in a special fund that shall be 425 established in the treasury of each municipal corporation. The 426 municipal corporation shall use the amounts deposited in the 427 fund to pay the costs incurred by the municipal corporation 428 pursuant to any sanction imposed under this section or section 429 2929.16 or 2929.17 of the Revised Code or in operating a 430 facility used to confine offenders pursuant to a sanction 431

imposed under section 2929.16 of the Revised Code.

(3) Except as provided in section 2951.021 of the Revised 433

Code, the offender shall pay reimbursements imposed pursuant to 434

division (A) (5) (a) (A) (6) (a) of this section for the costs 435

incurred by a private provider pursuant to a sanction imposed 436

under this section or section 2929.16 or 2929.17 of the Revised 437

Code to the provider. 438

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(D) Except as otherwise provided in this division, a 439 financial sanction imposed pursuant to division (A) or (B) of 440 this section is a judgment in favor of the state or a political 441 subdivision in which the court that imposed the financial 442 sanction is located, and the offender subject to the financial 443 sanction is the judgment debtor. A financial sanction of 444 reimbursement imposed pursuant to division (A)(5)(a)(ii)(A)(6) 445 (a) (ii) of this section upon an offender who is incarcerated in 446 a state facility or a municipal jail is a judgment in favor of 447 the state or the municipal corporation, and the offender subject 448 to the financial sanction is the judgment debtor. A financial 449 sanction of reimbursement imposed upon an offender pursuant to 450 this section for costs incurred by a private provider of 4.51 452 sanctions is a judgment in favor of the private provider, and the offender subject to the financial sanction is the judgment 453 debtor. A financial sanction of a mandatory fine imposed under 454 division (B)(10) of this section that is required under that 455 division to be paid to a law enforcement agency is a judgment in 456 favor of the specified law enforcement agency, and the offender 457 subject to the financial sanction is the judgment debtor. A 458 financial sanction of restitution imposed pursuant to division 459 (A) (1), (A) (2), or (B) (8) of this section is an order in favor 460 of the victim of the offender's criminal act or, with respect to 461 division (A)(2) of this section, in favor of the parent, legal 462

custodian, or guardian of a surviving minor child of the victim	463
of the offender's criminal act that can be collected through a	464
certificate of judgment as described in division (D)(1) of this	465
section, through execution as described in division (D)(2) of	466
this section, or through an order as described in division (D)	467
(3) of this section, and the offender shall be considered for	468
purposes of the collection as the judgment debtor. Imposition of	469
a financial sanction and execution on the judgment does not	470
preclude any other power of the court to impose or enforce	471
sanctions on the offender. Once the financial sanction is	472
imposed as a judgment or order under this division, the $\operatorname{victim}_{\overline{I}}$	473
or parent, legal custodian, or quardian of a surviving minor	474
child of the victim if division (A)(2) of this section applies,	475
private provider, state, or political subdivision may do any of	476
the following:	477
(1) Obtain from the clerk of the court in which the	478
judgment was entered, at no cost, a certificate of judgment that	479
shall be in the same manner and form as a certificate of	480
judgment issued in a civil action;	481
(2) Obtain execution of the judgment or order through any	482
available procedure, including:	483
(a) An execution against the property of the judgment	484
debtor under Chapter 2329. of the Revised Code;	485
(b) An execution against the person of the judgment debtor	486
under Chapter 2331. of the Revised Code;	487
(c) A proceeding in aid of execution under Chapter 2333.	488
of the Revised Code, including:	489
(i) A proceeding for the examination of the judgment	490
debtor under sections 2333 N9 to 2333 12 and sections 2333 15 to	191

2333.27 of the Revised Code;	492
(ii) A proceeding for attachment of the person of the	493
judgment debtor under section 2333.28 of the Revised Code;	494
(iii) A creditor's suit under section 2333.01 of the	495
Revised Code.	496
(d) The attachment of the property of the judgment debtor	497
under Chapter 2715. of the Revised Code;	498
(e) The garnishment of the property of the judgment debtor	499
under Chapter 2716. of the Revised Code.	500
(3) Obtain an order for the assignment of wages of the	501
judgment debtor under section 1321.33 of the Revised Code.	502
(E) A court that imposes a financial sanction upon an	503
offender may hold a hearing if necessary to determine whether	504
the offender is able to pay the sanction or is likely in the	505
future to be able to pay it.	506
(F) Each Except as otherwise provided in division (A)(2)	507
of this section, each court imposing a financial sanction upon	508
an offender under this section or under section 2929.32 of the	509
Revised Code may designate the clerk of the court or another	510
person to collect the financial sanction. The clerk or other	511
person authorized by law or the court to collect the financial	512
sanction may enter into contracts with one or more public	513
agencies or private vendors for the collection of, amounts due	514
under the financial sanction imposed pursuant to this section or	515
section 2929.32 of the Revised Code. Before entering into a	516
contract for the collection of amounts due from an offender	517
pursuant to any financial sanction imposed pursuant to this	518
section or section 2929.32 of the Revised Code, a court shall	519
comply with sections 307.86 to 307.92 of the Revised Code.	520

(G) If a court that imposes a financial sanction under	521
division (A) or (B) of this section finds that an offender	522
satisfactorily has completed all other sanctions imposed upon	523
the offender and that all restitution that has been ordered has	524
been paid as ordered, the court may suspend any financial	525
sanctions imposed pursuant to this section or section 2929.32 of	526
the Revised Code that have not been paid.	527
(H) No financial sanction imposed under this section or	528
section 2929.32 of the Revised Code shall preclude a victim from	529
bringing a civil action against the offender.	530
(I) If the court imposes restitution, fines, fees, or	531
incarceration costs on a business or corporation, it is the duty	532
of the person authorized to make disbursements from the assets	533
of the business or corporation to pay the restitution, fines,	534
fees, or incarceration costs from those assets.	535
(J) If an offender is sentenced to pay restitution, a	536
fine, fee, or incarceration costs, the clerk of the sentencing	537
court, on request, shall make the offender's payment history	538
available to the prosecutor, victim, victim's representative,	539
victim's attorney, if applicable, the probation department, and	540
the court without cost.	541
Section 2. That existing section 2929.18 of the Revised	542
Code is hereby repealed.	543
Section 3. This act shall be known as the Sam Knisley	544
Family Support Act.	545