

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.
Act 1444 of the Regular Session

State of Arkansas
89th General Assembly
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As Engrossed: H4/12/13
A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1170

By: Representative Kerr
By: Senator E. Cheatham

For An Act To Be Entitled

*AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE
RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.*

Subtitle

*CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND
FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM AND DECLARING AN
EMERGENCY.*

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

*SECTION 1. The emergency clause in Act 1065 of 2013 is amended to read
as follows:*

*EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of
the State of Arkansas that the local police and fire retirement systems
provide economic security for eligible citizens of Arkansas; that the
statutes need amending to update and clarify existing law; and that these
changes need to be made immediately. Therefore, an emergency is declared to
exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the
public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on ~~July 1, 2013~~:*

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

*(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor,
the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the
bill; or*

*(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is
overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto.*



SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that Act 1065 of 2013 was enacted with an erroneous emergency clause; that the error needs to be rectified as quickly as possible to effect the will of the General Assembly; and that this act is immediately necessary because it will correct and address the error found in the emergency clause of Act 1065 of 2013. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto.

/s/Kerr

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