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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1851

By: Representatives Love, Copenhaver, H. Wilkins

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO ALLOW ATTORNEY'S FEES IN ACTIONS ARISING  
FROM CIVIL SERVICE EMPLOYMENT; AND FOR OTHER  
PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

TO ALLOW ATTORNEY'S FEES IN ACTIONS  
ARISING FROM CIVIL SERVICE EMPLOYMENT.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 14-51-308(e)(1)(B), concerning the right of appeal in a municipal civil service commission matter related to the suspension, discharge, or reduction in rank or compensation of a civil service employee, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(iv) The circuit court may award reasonable attorney's fees to the prevailing party for the proceedings in circuit court.

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