

State of Arkansas  
90th General Assembly  
Regular Session, 2015

# A Bill

SENATE BILL 131

By: Senator D. Johnson  
By: Representative Vines

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 26 OF  
THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING TAXATION; AND FOR OTHER  
PURPOSES.

### Subtitle

TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 26  
OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING TAXATION.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 26-57-610(b)(4), concerning the disposition of insurance premium taxes, is repealed as obsolete.

~~(4) Amounts collected under §§ 26-57-604 and 26-57-605 above the forecasted level for insurance premium taxes set by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State under § 10-3-1404(a)(1)(A) shall be credited by the Treasurer of State to the Arkansas Medicaid Program Trust Fund and shall be disbursed and used for the sole purpose of increasing per diem reimbursement for general hospital inpatient services provided to Medicaid beneficiaries and to increase private duty nursing rates for registered nurses and licensed practical nurses in home health agencies in the following amounts:~~

FY 2006 \_\_\_\_\_ FY 2007

~~(A) Raise the capitated daily rate for hospitals to a maximum~~

~~of \$850 . . . . . \$6,500,000 \_\_\_\_\_ \$6,500,000~~

~~(B) Medicaid private duty nursing rate increase for~~



~~registered nurses and licensed~~

~~practical nurses . . . . . \$200,000 ————— \$200,000.~~

SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. The enactment and adoption of this act shall not repeal, expressly or impliedly, the acts passed at the regular session of the Ninetieth General Assembly. All such acts shall have the full force and effect, and so far as those acts intentionally vary from or conflict with any provision contained in this act, those acts shall have the effect of subsequent acts and as amending or repealing the appropriate parts of the Arkansas Code of 1987.

**APPROVED: 04/06/2015**