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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 387

By: Senator Crowell

By: Representative Cavanaugh

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CERTAIN REPORTS OF OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING ENTITIES; TO REPEAL THE LAW REQUIRING OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING ENTITIES TO SUBMIT A REPORT CONCERNING THE NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS GRANTED AUTOMATIC OCCUPATIONAL LICENSURE AND EXPEDITED OCCUPATIONAL LICENSURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

TO REPEAL THE LAW REQUIRING OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING ENTITIES TO SUBMIT A REPORT CONCERNING THE NUMBER OF INDIVIDUALS GRANTED AUTOMATIC OCCUPATIONAL LICENSURE AND EXPEDITED OCCUPATIONAL LICENSURE.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 17-4-110 is amended to read as follows:

17-4-110. Responsibilities of occupational licensing entities.

An occupational licensing entity shall:

(1) Submit proposed rules authorized under § 17-4-106 to the Administrative Rules Subcommittee of the Legislative Council for review and approval before the proposed rules are promulgated under the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.;

(2) If the proposed rules are not approved as required under § 17-4-109, provide automatic occupational licensure to an individual listed in § 17-4-104; and

(3) Post prominently on the occupational licensing entity's



website a link entitled "Military Member Licensure" that directly leads to information applicable to an individual listed in § 17-4-104; and

~~(4) Provide to the House Committee on Aging, Children and Youth, Legislative and Military Affairs an annual report stating the number of individuals granted automatic occupational licensure and expedited occupational licensure under this chapter.~~

**APPROVED: 4/3/25**