

SENATE AMENDMENT 1 TO hb1675.

adding the following Senate sponsor line on line 6 of page 1:

"By: Senator Hill"

AND

by adding the following two new sections on line 29 of page 1:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Annotated 13-4-204 is amended to read as follows:

"13-4-204. Destruction of original.

When any document is recorded by the means prescribed by § 13-4-201, the original may be destroyed unless the document is over fifty (50) years old and handwritten or its preservation is otherwise required by law."

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code Annotated § 13-4-301 is amended to read as follows:

"13-4-301. Retention required - Destruction.

(a) All counties of the State of Arkansas shall maintain the records named in this subchapter for the period of time provided for herein, after which time the records may be destroyed, but in no case shall said records be destroyed until at least one (1) year after an audit by the Division of Legislative Audit or any private auditor is completed and approved.

(b) No record of any kind over fifty (50) years old will be destroyed before written notice by the custodian of the records in question has been furnished to the Arkansas History Commission, describing the scope and nature of said records, at least sixty (60) days prior to the destruction of the records.

(c) Before any record shall be destroyed, the custodian of the record shall document the date and type of document.

(d) If a record is photographically transferred to other media of a permanent nature, the original documents may be destroyed, except that no handwritten records over fifty (50) years old shall be destroyed."

AND

by appropriately renumbering subsequent sections of the bill.