

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

State of Arkansas
84th General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1032

By: Representative Hutchinson

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR CLEANUP OF METHAMPHETAMINE
LABORATORIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR CLEANUP OF
METHAMPHETAMINE LABORATORIES.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 8, Chapter 7, Subchapter 2 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

8-7-227. Methamphetamine laboratory cleanup.

(a) Methamphetamine, its salts, and precursors and ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, or phenylpropanolamine, and their salts, optical isomers, and salts of optical isomers, alone or in a mixture shall be treated as hazardous materials.

(b) The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality may employ any of its powers under the Arkansas Hazardous Waste Management Act of 1979 to enter, investigate and clean up any property used in the manufacture of methamphetamine.

(c) The first three thousand dollars (\$3,000) of any fine levied against a person who is found guilty of or who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to manufacture of methamphetamine, § 5-64-401(a)(1)(i), or possession of drug paraphernalia with the intent to manufacture methamphetamine, § 5-64-403(c)(5), shall be deposited in the Emergency Response Fund as provided by § 8-7-410 to be used for cleanup of laboratories, sites, or substances used in the manufacture of



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