

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

State of Arkansas  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2112

By: Representative Walker

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO PROTECT STATE EMPLOYEES FROM A HOSTILE WORK ENVIRONMENT; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING GRIEVANCES FILED BY STATE EMPLOYEES; TO AMEND THE PROCEDURES FOR CERTAIN APPEALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

TO PROTECT STATE EMPLOYEES FROM A HOSTILE WORK ENVIRONMENT; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING GRIEVANCES FILED BY STATE EMPLOYEES; AND TO AMEND THE PROCEDURES FOR CERTAIN APPEALS.

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

SECTION 1. The purpose of this act is to prevent a state agency from utilizing appeals in the grievance process as a method of avoiding responsibility to state employees by amending the law concerning certain procedures, and to protect state employees from a hostile work environment.

