

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

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2274

By: Representative Hammer

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES TO REVOKE THE ELIGIBILITY FOR UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS FOR A RECIPIENT WHO REPEATEDLY MISSES REQUIRED JOB INTERVIEW APPOINTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AUTHORIZE REVOCATION OF THE ELIGIBILITY FOR UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OF A RECIPIENT WHO REPEATEDLY MISSES REQUIRED JOB INTERVIEW APPOINTMENTS.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 11, Chapter 10, Subchapter 5, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

11-10-545. Disqualification – Repeated missed required job interviews.

(a) The Director of the Department of Workforce Services shall develop a program in conjunction with other state agencies to suspend the eligibility of an individual for benefits under this chapter if the individual fails to appear for three (3) or more scheduled job interviews in a forty-five day period.

(b) The director shall adopt rules to implement this section.

/s/Hammer

