

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

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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 547

By: Senator Maloch

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY FOR THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

CONCERNING THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY FOR THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-21-135 is amended to read as follows:  
16-21-135. The Thirteenth Judicial District.

~~(a) Effective until July 1, 2017, the The Thirteenth Judicial District shall be a Division B Judicial District.~~

~~(b) Effective July 1, 2017, the Thirteenth Judicial District shall be a Division A Judicial District.~~

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the Thirteenth Judicial District should be a Division B Judicial District; that the fiscal year starts on July 1, 2017; and it is necessary for budgeting purposes that this act become effective on July 1, 2017. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2017.

