

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

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**A Bill**

HOUSE BILL 1748

By: Representatives D. Whitaker, *McCollum, Pilkington, Brown*

### **For An Act To Be Entitled**

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON SUNDAY; TO ALLOW THE GOVERNING BODY OF A CITY OR COUNTY TO CALL A REFERENDUM ELECTION FOR THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON SUNDAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

### **Subtitle**

TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON SUNDAY; AND TO ALLOW THE GOVERNING BODY OF A CITY OR COUNTY TO CALL A REFERENDUM ELECTION FOR THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON SUNDAY.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 3-3-210(b)(1)(A)(i) and (ii), concerning the calling of a referendum election within a city or county for the sale of alcoholic beverages on Sunday, are amended to read as follows:

(i) A referendum election may be called in a city by a petition filed with the city clerk signed by fifteen percent (15%) of the qualified electors who cast a vote in the city for the Office of Governor in the last general election in which the office appeared on the ballot or by a resolution adopted by a two-thirds majority vote of the governing body of the city; or

(ii) A referendum election may be called in a county by a petition filed with the county clerk signed by fifteen percent (15%) of



the qualified electors who cast a vote in the county for the Office of Governor in the last general election in which the office appeared on the ballot or by a resolution adopted by a two-thirds majority vote of the quorum court.

*/s/D. Whitaker*