

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

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A Bill

SENATE BILL 175

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For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 11 OF
THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING LABOR AND INDUSTRIAL
RELATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE
11 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING LABOR
AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 11-10-310(f), concerning the Director of the Division of Workforce Services and personnel of the Division of Workforce Services, is reenacted to ratify the decision by the Arkansas Code Revision Commission to change references to “this section” to “this subsection and subsection (e) of this section” in order to correct reference errors to read as follows:

(f) If the division requests continuation of a growth pool position as established under this subsection and subsection (e) of this section, the position shall be requested as a new position in the division’s next budget request. Determining the maximum number of employees and the maximum amount of appropriation and general revenue funding for a state agency each fiscal year is the prerogative of the General Assembly. This is usually accomplished by delineating such maximums in the appropriation act or acts for a state agency and the general revenue allocations authorized for each fund and fund account by amendment to the Revenue Stabilization Law, § 19-5-101 et seq. Further, the General Assembly has determined that the division may operate



more efficiently if some flexibility is provided to the division authorizing broad powers under this subsection and subsection (e) of this section. Therefore, it is both necessary and appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight by requiring prior approval of the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee as provided by this subsection and subsection (e) of this section. The requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee is not a severable part of this subsection and subsection (e) of this section. If the requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, this entire subsection and subsection (e) of this section are void.

SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. CONSTRUCTION AND LEGISLATIVE INTENT.

It is the intent of the General Assembly that:

(1) The enactment and adoption of this act shall not expressly or impliedly repeal an act passed during the regular session of the Ninety-Fifth General Assembly;

(2) To the extent that a conflict exists between an act of the regular session of the Ninety-Fifth General Assembly and this act:

(A) The act of the regular session of the Ninety-Fifth General Assembly shall be treated as a subsequent act passed by the General Assembly for the purposes of:

(i) Giving the act of the regular session of the Ninety-Fifth General Assembly its full force and effect; and

(ii) Amending or repealing the appropriate parts of the Arkansas Code of 1987; and

(B) Section 1-2-107 shall not apply; and

(3) This act shall make only technical, not substantive, changes to the Arkansas Code of 1987.