

State of Arkansas  
95th General Assembly  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 548

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING WARRANTS OF ARREST; TO REQUIRE THAT NOTICE OF A WARRANT BE SENT TO THE PERSON NAMED IN THE ARREST WARRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING WARRANTS OF ARREST; AND TO REQUIRE THAT NOTICE OF A WARRANT BE SENT TO THE PERSON NAMED IN THE ARREST WARRANT.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-81-104, concerning warrants of arrest generally, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(c) When a warrant of arrest is issued, a copy of the warrant shall be sent by certified mail to the current or last known address of the person for whom the warrant is issued within:

- (1) Ten (10) days for a misdemeanor offense or a violation; or
- (2) Sixty (60) days for a felony offense.

