

Hall of the House of Representatives
94th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2023
Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1027

TO REQUIRE VOTER APPROVAL OF CERTAIN TAX LEVIES; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL
CORRECTIONS.

Amendment No. 3 to House Bill 1027

Amend House Bill No. 1027 as engrossed H2/1/23 (version: 02/01/2023 9:49:13 AM):

Page 1, line 10, delete "CORRECTIONS;" and substitute "CORRECTIONS; TO
DECLARE AN EMERGENCY;"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety, and substitute the following:

"TO REQUIRE VOTER APPROVAL OF CERTAIN TAX
LEVIES; TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS;
AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 9, delete line 11, and substitute the following:

"this act that are enacted on or after the effective date of this act."

SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the
General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that Arkansans suffer from a higher
state and local tax burden than any state in the southeastern region of the
United States; that Arkansans are economically burdened by having the third
highest combined state and local sales tax rate in the entire country; and
that this act is immediately necessary because delaying the implementation of
this act would result in even more economic distress on the citizens of
Arkansans. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being
immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and
safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor,
the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the
bill; or



(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

The Amendment was read _____
By: Representative Ray
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