1   State of Arkansas

A Bill

2   90th General Assembly

3   Regular Session, 2015   HOUSE BILL 1249

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5   By: Representative Baine

6   By: Senator Hester

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8   **For An Act To Be Entitled**

9   AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF A COUNTY QUORUM

10   COURT TO REVISE, ADOPT, AND CODIFY ORDINANCES; AND

11   FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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14   **Subtitle**

15   CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF A COUNTY

16   QUORUM COURT TO REVISE, ADOPT, AND CODIFY

17   ORDINANCES.

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

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22   SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 14-14-903(d), concerning the record of

23   proceedings of a county quorum court, is amended to read as follows:

24   (d) Codification of Ordinances. ~~No later than 1980 and at~~ (1) At

25   five-year intervals ~~thereafter~~, ~~all county~~ county ordinances of a general and

26   permanent nature enacted in each of the several counties shall be compiled

27   into a uniform code and published.

28   (2)(A) A quorum court may codify county ordinances and revise

29   the codification of county ordinances at other periodic times as it considers

30   necessary.

31   (B) The county ordinance adopting the codification or

32   revision:

33   (i) Shall be enacted and published in accordance

34   with the requirements for the passage of county ordinances under this

35   subchapter; and

36   (ii) May provide for the repeal of certain county

1 ordinances and parts of county ordinances by the deletion or omission of them

2 from the codification or revision.

3   (3) A quorum court shall file a code of county ordinances and

4 subsequent revisions to the code of county ordinances with the county clerk

5 under § 14-14-909(b).

6   (4) A code of county ordinances is prima facie evidence of the

7 law contained within it.

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