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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1602

5 By: Representative Harris
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT CONCERNING A REQUEST FOR PUBLIC RECORDS BY A
9 MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY PERTAINING TO ANOTHER
10 MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND FOR OTHER
11 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 CONCERNING A REQUEST FOR PUBLIC RECORDS
15 BY A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
16 PERTAINING TO ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE
17 GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 25, Chapter 19, Subchapter 1 is amended
24 to add an additional section to read as follows:

25 25-19-111. Request of public records pertaining to a member of the
26 General Assembly.

27 (a)(1) A custodian of public records shall notify a member of the
28 General Assembly if another member of the General Assembly makes a request
29 for public records pertaining to:

30 (A) The member of the General Assembly; or

31 (B) A business in which the member of the General Assembly
32 is an owner, an officer, a director, or a stockholder owning more than ten
33 percent (10%) of the stock in the business.

34 (2)(A) Notice shall be made to the member of the General
35 Assembly within twenty-four (24) hours of the request for public records.

36 (B) The notice shall include the name of the member of the



1 General Assembly making the request for public records.

2 (b) The member of the General Assembly making the request for public
3 records shall notify the custodian at the time of the request that the
4 subject of the request is a:

5 (1) Member of the General Assembly; or

6 (2) Business in which the member of the General Assembly is an
7 owner, an officer, a director, or a stockholder owning more than ten percent
8 (10%) of the stock in the business.

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