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HR 1038

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5 By: Representative McKenzie  
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7 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

8 TO AMEND THE RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
9 THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND TO AMEND THE  
10 PROCESS FOR SELECTION OF CHAIRPERSONS AND VICE  
11 CHAIRPERSONS OF STANDING AND SELECT COMMITTEES OF THE  
12 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.  
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15 **Subtitle**

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21 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL  
22 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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24 SECTION 1. Section 54.(c)(1) of the Rules of the House of  
25 Representatives of the Ninety-Third General Assembly, concerning selection of  
26 committee chairpersons and vice chairpersons, is amended to read as follows:

27 54.(c)(1) With the exception of the House Budget Committee, The the  
28 Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint a chairperson and a  
29 vice chairperson of ~~each standing committee and~~ each select committee who  
30 shall serve at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House of Representatives.  
31 Selection of a chairperson and vice chairperson of each standing committee  
32 and the House Budget Committee shall occur during the committee selection  
33 process, wherein positions on standing committees available for selection  
34 shall include the positions of chairperson and vice chairperson. Only a  
35 member of the majority party may serve as the chairperson of a standing  
36 committee and the House Budget Committee. The Speaker, in consultation with



1 the chairperson of each standing committee, shall appoint from the membership  
2 of each permanent subcommittee, a chairperson and vice chairperson provided  
3 however that the vice chairperson of the standing committee may be the  
4 chairperson of a permanent subcommittee. No member of the House of  
5 Representatives, with the exception of each House standing committee vice  
6 chairperson, shall be chairperson or vice chairperson of more than one (1)  
7 standing committee, select committee, or permanent subcommittee.

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