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A Bill

SENATE BILL 946

5 By: Senator S. Harrelson
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO ALLOW LOCAL COUNTY GOVERNMENTS TO NEGOTIATE
9 WITH COMMERCIAL INTERESTS SEEKING MASS COPYING OF
10 PUBLIC RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

12 TO ALLOW LOCAL COUNTY GOVERNMENTS TO
13 NEGOTIATE WITH COMMERCIAL INTERESTS
14 SEEKING MASS COPYING OF PUBLIC RECORDS.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 14, Chapter 14, Subchapter 1 is amended
22 to add a new section to read as follows:

23 14-14-112. Bulk copying of public records.

24 (a) In the absence of a county ordinance, a county official may
25 negotiate with a commercial, non-press entity regarding a reasonable fee for
26 mass duplication, copying, or bulk electronic access of public records.

27 (b) A negotiated agreement authorized by this section is not to the
28 exclusion of any right to a public record a person has under this subchapter
29 or the Arkansas Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.
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