1 State of Arkansas   *As Engrossed: H2/5/15*
2 90th General Assembly   A Bill
3 Regular Session, 2015   HOUSE BILL 1210
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5 By: Representatives Lundstrum, Ballinger, Beck, Bentley, Boyd, Branscum, Brown, Collins, Cozart,
6 Davis, Deffenbaugh, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eubanks, C. Fite, G. Hodges, Jean,
7 Ladyman, McNair, B. Overbey, Petty, Richmond, Sabin, Scott, Sorvillo, Wallace
8 By: Senators J. Hendren, Irvin
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10 ## For An Act To Be Entitled
11   AN ACT TO ALLOW MUNICIPALITIES TO CONTRACT FOR FIRE
12   SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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15 ## Subtitle
16   TO ALLOW MUNICIPALITIES TO CONTRACT FOR
17   FIRE SERVICE.
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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 § 14-53-101 is amended to read as follows:
23   14-53-101. Establishment in cities.
24   (a)(1) ~~The~~ Except as provided in subdivision (a)(2) of this section,
25 the city council shall establish fire departments and provide them with
26 proper engines and such other equipment as shall be necessary to extinguish
27 fires and preserve the property of the city and of the inhabitants from
28 conflagration.
29   (2) In lieu of establishing its own fire department under this
30 section, the city council by ordinance may enter into a *contract or*
31 *interlocal agreement for* city fire protection with an existing fire
32 department certified by the Arkansas Fire Protection Services Board.
33   (b) The city council shall promulgate ~~such~~ rules ~~and regulations~~ to
34 govern the fire department ~~as it shall deem~~ that the city council deems
35 expedient.
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2   */s/Lundstrum*

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