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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1910

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5 By: Representative Christiansen

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF
9 THE ARKANSAS FIRE PROTECTION SERVICES BOARD; AND FOR
10 OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

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14 TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY
15 OF THE ARKANSAS FIRE PROTECTION SERVICES
16 BOARD.

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

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20 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 20-22-804, concerning the duties and powers
21 of the Arkansas Fire Protection Services Board, is amended to add an
22 additional subsection to read as follows:

23 (c)(1) The Arkansas Fire Protection Services Board may revoke the
24 certification of any firefighter who has been convicted of a felony under §
25 17-3-102.

26 (2) Before the Arkansas Fire Protection Services Board revokes
27 the certification of a firefighter under this subsection, the firefighter may
28 request a hearing in accordance with the Arkansas Administrative Procedure
29 Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

30 (3) If the Arkansas Fire Protection Services Board revokes the
31 firefighter's certification under this subsection, the firefighter may appeal
32 the Arkansas Fire Protection Services Board's decision to the Pulaski County
33 Circuit Court in accordance with the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, §
34 25-15-201 et seq.

35 (4) The Arkansas Fire Training Academy shall be the custodian of
36 all records on the decertification of firefighters under this subsection.



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