## Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law. Act 138 of the Regular Session

1	State of Arkansas	As Engrossed: H1/19/17			
2	91st General Assembly	A Bill			
3	Regular Session, 2017		HOUSE BILL 1023		
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5	By: Representative Boyd				
6	By: Senator Irvin				
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8	For An Act To Be Entitled				
9	AN ACT TO GRANT MUNICIPAL CLERKS THE AUTHORITY TO				
10	ADMINISTER OATHS OF OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.				
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13	Subtitle				
14	TO GRANT MUNICIPAL CLERKS THE AUTHORITY				
15	TO A	DMINISTER OATHS OF OFFICE.			
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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 § 14-42-106(b)(1), concerning oaths for				
21	municipal officers, is amended to read as follows:				
22	(b)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (b)(2) of this section, the				
23	officers shall take th	heir oaths before <u>:</u>			
24	<u>(A)</u>	the The Secretary of State or his	or her official		
25	designee <del>,</del>				
26	<u>(B)</u>	any A justice or judge;			
27	<u>(C)</u>	$\underline{A}$ judge of the county court;			
28	<u>(D)</u>	<u>A</u> clerk of the <u>:</u>			
29		(i) county County court;			
30		(ii) elerk of the circuit Circu	<u>it</u> court <del>,</del> ; or		
31		(iii) City of the first class;			
32	<u>(E)</u>	A recorder of:			
33		(i) A city of the second class	; or		
34		(ii) An incorporated town; or			
35	<u>(F)</u>	$\underline{A}$ justice of the peace.			
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