

**Hall of the House of Representatives**  
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**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of House Bill No. 2422**

"AMENDMENTS TO THE GROUNDWATER PROTECTION AND MANAGEMENT ACT."

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**Amendment No. 3 to House Bill No. 2422.**

Amend House Bill No. 2422 as engrossed, H3/21/01:

Page 3 delete Section 3 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 3. Arkansas Code 15-22-905(2) is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) ~~There~~ In an alluvial aquifer, there will be no reduction or limitation of the withdrawal of groundwater from wells for which a water right has been issued under § 15-22-910 and for which the person holding the right can demonstrate:

~~(A)(i)~~ (i) A reduction of twenty percent (20%) of his or her use of groundwater by either institution of water conservation measures or conversion to surface supplies. ~~(ii)~~ The demonstrated reduction must be based on the use reported in water year 1986 or later; or

~~(B)(ii)~~ (ii) The implementation of a water conservation plan employing generally accepted water conservation practices approved by the commission;

(B) In sustaining aquifers, the commission may consider voluntary reductions, water use efficiencies, and implementation of water conservation measures in determining limitations or reduction of withdrawals;"

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The Amendment was read  
By: Representative Bevis  
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Chief Clerk