## Hall of the House of Representatives

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Amendment Form

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## Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2686.

Amend House Bill No. 2686 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code  $\S$  28-65-302(a)(2), concerning guardian decisions requiring court approval, is amended to read as follows:

- (2) No guardian appointed on or after October 1, 2001, shall make any of the following decisions without filing a petition and receiving express court approval:
- (A) Consent on behalf of the incapacitated person to abortion, sterilization, psychosurgery, or removal of bodily organs except when necessary in a situation threatening the life of the incapacitated;
  - (B) Consent to withholding life-saving treatment;
  - (C) Authorize experimental medical procedures;
  - (D) Authorize termination of parental rights;
- (E) Authorize an incapacitated person to vote Prohibit the incapacitated person from voting;
- (F) Prohibit the incapacitated person from obtaining a driver's license; or
- (G) Consent to a settlement or compromise of any claim by or against the incapacitated person or his or her estate."



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