

1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **78th General Assembly**  
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4 **By: Senator Walters**

# A Bill

**SENATE BILL 334**

## **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS FOR THOSE  
9 SERVICES PROVIDED TO THE PERSONS OF THIS STATE WHO ARE  
10 SIXTY (60) YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

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14 SECTION 1. (a) All monies appropriated from the general revenues of  
15 this state to the Division of Aging and Adult Services of the Department of  
16 Human Services for the purpose of providing *nursing home alternative programs*  
17 *and the S.M.U. (case management) services* to persons in this state who are  
18 sixty (60) years of age or older shall be distributed to *the eight (8)*  
19 *geographical regions as previously defined by the Office on Aging.*

20 (b) These funds shall be distributed to the *geographical* regions based  
21 on the percentage of persons sixty (60) years of age or older residing in each  
22 *geographical* region.

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24 SECTION 2. *This Act shall apply only to those monies used for the*  
25 *nursing home alternative programs and the case management services and*  
26 *programs that do not have income eligibility requirements and for which all*  
27 *persons sixty (60) or over are eligible and may have need. This Act shall not*  
28 *apply to any monies that are used to fund the senior citizens centers, the*  
29 *meals for elderly, or the Older Workers Program.*

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31 SECTION 3. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature  
32 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code  
33 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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35 SECTION 4. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to

1 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect  
2 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without  
3 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
4 act are declared to be severable.

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6 SECTION 5. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are  
7 hereby repealed.

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*/s/Walters*

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