

1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **79th General Assembly**  
3 **Regular Session, 1993**

# A Bill

**HOUSE BILL**

4 **By: Representatives J. Wilson, McGee and Roberts**

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

8 "TO PROVIDE THAT THE STATE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR MEDICAL  
9 EXPENSES FOR COLLEGE ATHLETES\_ INJURIES; AND FOR OTHER  
10 PURPOSES."

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## **Subtitle**

13 "TO PROVIDE THAT THE STATE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR MEDICAL  
14 EXPENSES FOR COLLEGE ATHLETES\_ INJURIES."

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

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18 SECTION 1. Retroactive to January 1, 1986, the State of Arkansas is  
19 responsible for all medical expenses incurred by students of state supported  
20 colleges and universities who receive permanent partial disability or  
21 permanent total disability as a result of injuries incurred in the preparation  
22 for, or during the course of intercollegiate athletic activities.

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24 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature  
25 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code  
26 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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28 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to  
29 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect  
30 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without  
31 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
32 act are declared to be severable.

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34 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are  
35 hereby repealed.