

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Senator Scott**

A Bill

SENATE BILL

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 12-27-113(d)(2) RELATING TO
9 CERTAIN DUTIES OF THE SHERIFF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

12 "RELATING TO CERTAIN DUTIES OF THE SHERIFF."

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

16 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 12-27-113(d)(2) is amended to read as follows:

17 "(2) It shall be the duty of every sheriff within the State of Arkansas
18 to notify the director of the number of persons in his charge who are under
19 commitment to the department, and it shall be the duty of the sheriff to take
20 charge of, and safely transport, free of charge, the convicted persons to the
21 assigned institution of the department as determined by the director."

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

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

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34 hereby repealed.

1 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY. It is hereby found and determined by the General
2 Assembly that the present law is not clear with respect to the duties of
3 sheriffs in regard to persons in his charge who were committed to the
4 Department of Correction; that this act is designed to clarify such laws and
5 should be given effect immediately. Therefore, an emergency is hereby
6 declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the
7 public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and
8 after its passage and approval.

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