

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 84th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2003

A Bill

SENATE BILL 239

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5 By: Senator Glover
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR CONFIRMATION HEARINGS FOR
10 GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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20 SECTION 1. Confirmation of Governor's appointments.

21 (a) A person appointed by the Governor to serve as secretary of any
22 department of state government shall be subject to confirmation by the
23 Senate.

24 (b) The Governor shall immediately notify the President Pro Tempore of
25 the Senate when the Governor appoints a person to serve as secretary of any
26 department of state government.

27 (c) If the General Assembly is not in session when the President Pro
28 Tempore receives the notice, the President Pro Tempore shall summon the
29 members of the Senate to meet as a committee of the whole, within thirty (30)
30 days after the date the President Pro Tempore received the notice, for the
31 purpose of conducting confirmation hearings.

32 (d) The confirmation question shall be determined by roll call vote.

33 (e) A person appointed by the Governor to serve as secretary of any
34 department of state government shall not assume the duties and powers of the
35 office until confirmed by the Senate.
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