

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 938

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5 By: Senator Steele

For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 AN ACT RELATING TO THE ARKANSAS AIR QUALITY
10 INCENTIVE PLAN.

Subtitle

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14 QUALITY INCENTIVE PLAN.

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

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19 SECTION 1. It is the intent of the General Assembly to give the
20 Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality additional tools to:

21 (1) Assure that the air in this state is safe to breathe and
22 meets minimum federal standards established under the federal Clean Air Act,
23 42 U.S.C. Section 7407;

24 (2) Develop multipollutant approaches to solving the state's
25 environmental problems; and

26 (3) Adequately fund research and development that will make the
27 state a leader in new technologies that can solve the state's environmental
28 problems while creating new business and industry in the state.

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30 SECTION 2. For purposes of this act:

31 (1) "Advisory board" means the Arkansas Air Quality Incentive
32 Plan Advisory Board;

33 (2) "Affected county" includes:

34 (A) Pulaski County;

35 (B) Saline County;

36 (C) Lonoke County; and



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(D) Faulkner County; and
(3) "Department" means Arkansas Department of Environmental
Quality.