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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1838

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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE HEALTH SAVINGS
9 ACCOUNTS OF CERTAIN STATE EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER
10 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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14 TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE HEALTH
15 SAVINGS ACCOUNTS OF CERTAIN STATE
16 EMPLOYEES.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 21-5-418, concerning a health savings
22 account, is amended to add an additional subsection read as follows:

23 (d)(1) An employer shall promptly notify and inform individual
24 employees of any changes made to a health savings account provided to
25 employees under this section.

26 (2) A change to a health savings account under this section
27 shall not result in the depletion of a health savings account, and employer
28 contributions to the health savings account shall continue to accrue until
29 the employee:

30 (A) Makes a written request to opt out of the health
31 savings account;

32 (B) Establishes a new health savings account; or

33 (C) Is no longer employed by the employer providing the
34 health savings account under this section.
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