1   State of Arkansas

2   82nd General Assembly   **A Bill**   **Act 3 of 1999**

3   Regular Session, 1999   HOUSE BILL   1010

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5   By: Representative Broadway

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8   **For An Act To Be Entitled**

9   "AN ACT TO ALLOW THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE TO SELECT

10   SEVEN (7) HOUSE MEMBERS TO SERVE ON THE JOINT

11   COMMITTEE ON ADVANCED COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION

12   TECHNOLOGY FROM THE HOUSE AT LARGE; AND FOR OTHER

13   PURPOSES."

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15   **Subtitle**

16   "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 10-3-1703."

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

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20   SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 10-3-1703(B)(i) pertaining to the membership

21   of the Joint Committee on Advanced Communications and Information Technology

22   is amended to read as follows:

23   "(B)(i) Seven (7) members of the House of Representatives to be

24   selected by the Speaker of the House of Representatives ~~from the membership of~~

25   ~~the Joint Energy Committee~~."

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27   SECTION 2. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature

28   are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code

29   Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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31   SECTION 3. If any provision of this Act or the application thereof to

32   any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect

33   other provisions or applications of the Act which can be given effect without

34   the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this

35   Act are declared to be severable.

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1   SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are
2 hereby repealed.
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4   SECTION 5. <u>EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the</u>
5 <u>Eighty-second General Assembly that the area of advanced communications and</u>
6 <u>information technology is a rapidly growing and changing area of education;</u>
7 <u>that the facilitation of policy development for advanced communications and</u>
8 <u>information technology is necessary for the advancement of interest of the</u>
9 <u>state; that the effectiveness of this Act is essential to the operation of the</u>
10 <u>Joint Committee on Advanced Communications and Information Technology, and</u>
11 <u>that a delay in the effective date could work irreparable harm upon the proper</u>
12 <u>administration and provisions of an essential governmental committee.</u>
13 <u>Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately</u>
14 <u>necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall</u>
15 <u>become effective on the date of its approval by the Governor. If the bill is</u>
16 <u>neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become effective on the</u>
17 <u>expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill.</u>
18 <u> If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, it shall</u>
19 <u>become effective on the date the last house overrides the veto.</u>
20   **APPROVED: 1/19/1999**
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