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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 769

5 By: Senator D. Sanders  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 98,  
9 ALSO KNOWN AS THE "ARKANSAS MEDICAL MARIJUANA  
10 AMENDMENT OF 2016"; TO REQUIRE REPORTING OF  
11 QUALIFYING PATIENTS AND MARIJUANA DISPENSING DATA TO  
12 THE ARKANSAS ALL-PAYER CLAIMS DATABASE; AND FOR OTHER  
13 PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

16 TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MEDICAL MARIJUANA  
17 AMENDMENT OF 2016; AND TO REQUIRE  
18 REPORTING OF QUALIFYING PATIENTS AND  
19 MARIJUANA DISPENSING DATA TO THE ARKANSAS  
20 ALL-PAYER CLAIMS DATABASE.  
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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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26 *SECTION 1. Pursuant to § 23 of Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 98,*  
27 *also known as the "Arkansas Medical Marijuana Amendment of 2016", Arkansas*  
28 *Constitution, Amendment 98, § 5(f)(2)(A)(ii), concerning the registry*  
29 *identification cards, is amended to read as follows:*

30 *(ii)(a) The department may share information from*  
31 *the confidential list under this subsection with the Alcoholic Beverage*  
32 *Control Division and the Medical Marijuana Commission as necessary and the*  
33 *State Insurance Department for the purposes of the Arkansas all-payer claims*  
34 *database established under § 23-61-901 et seq.*

35 *(b) Confidential information shared with the*  
36 *division or commission shall remain confidential while in the division's or*



1 *commission's possession.*

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*SECTION 2. Pursuant to § 23 of Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 98, also known as the "Arkansas Medical Marijuana Amendment of 2016", Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 98, § 8, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:*

*(p) Data or records submitted to the division or commission under rules adopted under this amendment may be shared with the Department of Health and the State Insurance Department for purposes of the Arkansas all-payer claims database established under § 23-61-901 et seq.*

*/s/D. Sanders*

**APPROVED: 04/05/2017**