Act 1021 HB1932

"AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT RULES AND REGULATIONS PROMULGATED BY THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ADVISORY COUNCIL BE APPROVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND GOVERNOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. EMS RULES AND REGULATIONS. Any rules and regulations promulgated by the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Council shall receive the approval of the Governor after he receives the advice of the Joint Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor prior to effect and enforcement. Such rules and regulations shall be of a temporary nature, and no rules and regulations shall become final until specifically approved by the General Assembly.

SECTION 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY. It is hereby found and determined by the General Assembly that because of the case Ricarte v. State, CR 86-31, a question has arisen over the validity of Act 1099 of the Extended Session of 1976; that this Act is a reenactment of the former law; and that the immediate passage of this Act is necessary to clarify the state of the law on this issue. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

APPROVED: April 14, 1987