

"AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 13 OF ARTICLE 7 OF ACT 465 OF 1969, AS AMENDED [ARK. STAT. 3-713] TO PROVIDE VOTERS WITH PRIVACY WHILE MARKING THEIR BALLOTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. Section 13 of Article 7 of Act 465 of 1969, as amended, the same being Arkansas Statutes 3-713 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 13. Each voter shall be provided privacy to mark his or her ballot. Privacy shall be provided by such convenient means as determined by the presiding election judge of each polling place to insure that voters desiring privacy are not singled out. If a voter informs the judges that he is unable to mark his ballot because he cannot read or write or because of physical infirmity, blindness or other legal cause, such person may be assisted by two election judges or by a person selected by the voter, who shall mark the ballot so as to vote the ballot in accordance with the voter's wishes."

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 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

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