

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Representative Allen**

A Bill

ACT 1055 OF 1993
HOUSE BILL 2070

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED §17-34-110 (b) TO
9 REQUIRE CONTRACTS BETWEEN CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS AND
10 PROFESSIONAL FUND RAISERS TO REQUIRE DELIVERY OF THE NAMES
11 AND ADDRESSES OF ALL PERSONS MAKING CONTRIBUTIONS; AND FOR
12 OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 "TO REQUIRE CONTRACTS FOR PROFESSIONAL FUND RAISERS TO
15 REQUIRE DELIVERY OF THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF ALL PERSONS
16 MAKING CONTRIBUTIONS."

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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 Annotated §17-34-110 (b) is amended to read as
22 follows:

23 "(b) Each contract between a charitable organization and a professional
24 fund raiser shall require delivery of the gross collections of any promotion
25 to the charitable organization or its designated representatives, and shall
26 require delivery of the names and addresses of all persons making
27 contributions and the amounts thereof to the charitable organization."

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29 SECTION 2. From and after the effective date of this act, all
30 professional fund raisers shall provide the names and addresses of all persons
31 making contributions and the amounts thereof to the charitable organization
32 for which the funds were solicited.

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34 SECTION 3. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
35 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
36 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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SECTION 4. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

SECTION 5. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. EMERGENCY. It is hereby found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that in order to protect the interests of the public and legitimate charitable organizations from the misrepresentations made by certain fund raisers who solicit funds in the name of certain charitable organizations but do not disclose contributors and the amounts of the contributions to those organizations there is a need for an accounting of contributors and contributions by the fund raisers. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

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