

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**

A Bill

ACT 211 OF 1993
HOUSE BILL 1460

4 **By: Representatives Landers, Calhoun, Collier, Flanagin, Mitchell, Rice,**
5 **Thurman, Wagner, Willems, Wingfield, Walker, Horn, McGee, and Watts**

For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE 17-89-404 TO ABOLISH THE
10 OPTOMETRIC THERAPEUTIC COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

13 "AN ACT TO ABOLISH THE OPTOMETRIC THERAPEUTIC COMMITTEE."

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

17 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 17-89-404 is hereby repealed and the
18 Optometric Therapeutic Committee is hereby abolished and all rights, duties
19 and responsibilities of the Committee are delegated to the Arkansas State
20 Board of Optometry.

22 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
23 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
24 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

26 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
27 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
28 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
29 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
30 act are declared to be severable.

32 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
33 hereby repealed.

35 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY. It is hereby found and determined by the General
36 Assembly that the purposes for which the Optometric Therapeutic Committee were

1 created have been accomplished and that the continuation of the Committee
2 serves no useful purpose. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist
3 and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health
4 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and
5 approval.

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