

Stricken language would be deleted from present law. Underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

ACT 121 OF 1997
HOUSE BILL 1091

5 By: Representatives Jones, Curran, McJunkin, Northcutt, *Wilkinson, and Davis*
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT PERMITTING COUNTY TREASURERS TO ACCEPT IMAGES OF
10 CANCELLED CHECKS IN LIEU OF THE ORIGINAL CHECKS AS LONG AS
11 THE PROVIDING FINANCIAL INSTITUTION FURNISHES IMAGES OF
12 BOTH THE FRONT AND BACK OF ALL CHECKS INCLUDED IN THE
13 FINANCIAL STATEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."
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Subtitle

15 "AN ACT TO ALLOW COUNTIES TO ACCEPT
16 CHECK IMAGING."
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. A financial institution may provide to its county government
22 customer, in lieu of the original checks, photographic images of checks on its
23 financial statements. These images may be provided on paper or, upon
24 obtaining the written agreement of the county treasurer, on magnetic or
25 optical media. The photographic images of checks furnished must show both the
26 front and back images of the checks and must be copied on paper that is
27 watermarked or otherwise copy protected or copied on magnetic or optical media
28 in such a format as to prevent tampering.
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30 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
31 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
32 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.
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34 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
35 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
36 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without

1 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
2 act are declared to be severable.

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5 hereby repealed.

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/s/Rep. Jones et al

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