

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 82nd General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1999  
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# A Bill

Act 979 of 1999  
HOUSE BILL 1785

5 By: Representatives Horn, Vess, Lynn  
6 By: Senator Dowd  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

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10 "AN ACT RELATING TO THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM; TO  
11 AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 16-93-201 CONCERNING THE POST  
12 PRISON TRANSFER BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. "  
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## Subtitle

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15 "AN ACT RELATING TO THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE  
16 SYSTEM; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE  
17 POST PRISON TRANSFER BOARD. "  
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 16-93-201(a) is amended to read as follows:

23 "(a)(1) There is hereby created the Post Prison Transfer Board, to be  
24 composed of seven (7) members to be appointed from the state at large by the  
25 Governor and confirmed by the Senate.

26 (2) ~~Five (5)~~ Six (6) members shall be full-time officials of this  
27 state, one (1) of whom shall be designated by the Governor as the chairman of  
28 the board.

29 (3) Members shall serve seven-year terms, except that the terms  
30 shall be staggered by the Governor so that the term of one (1) member expires  
31 each year. "  
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33 SECTION 2. The Governor shall designate which of the two current part-  
34 time members of Post Prison Transfer Board is converted to a full-time member  
35 by this act.  
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1 SECTION 3. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature  
 2 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code  
 3 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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

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

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 14 SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
 15 Eighty-second General Assembly that the Post Prison Transfer Board is now  
 16 composed of five (5) full-time members and two (2) part-time members; that the  
 17 work of the board demands the attention of six (6) full-time members; that  
 18 this act would result in the Post Prison Transfer Board being composed of six  
 19 (6) full-time members and one (1) part-time member; that the conversion of the  
 20 one (1) part-time member to full-time member should occur as soon as possible;  
 21 and that unless this emergency clause is adopted this act will not go into  
 22 effect until ninety (90) days after adjournment of this regular session.  
 23 Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately  
 24 necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall  
 25 become effective on the date of its approval by the Governor. If the bill is  
 26 neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become effective on the  
 27 expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill.  
 28 If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, it shall  
 29 become effective on the date the last house overrides the veto.

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 32 APPROVED: 3/31/1999  
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