

**Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.**

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*As Engrossed: H3/7/01*  
**A Bill**

**Act 1139 of 2001**  
**HOUSE BILL 2632**

5 By: Representative Creekmore  
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**For An Act To Be Entitled**

9 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 17-19-306 TO  
10 REQUIRE THE POSTING OF THE BAIL BONDS LOCAL  
11 ADDRESS INSTEAD OF THE POSTING OF THE LOCAL  
12 AGENT'S ADDRESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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**Subtitle**

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17 THE LOCAL AGENT'S ADDRESS.  
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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23 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 17-19-306 is amended to read as follows:  
24 17-19-306. Posting of bondsmen list.

25 (a)(1) The chief law enforcement officers of any facilities having  
26 individuals or prisoners in their custody shall post in plain view in the  
27 facility housing those individuals or prisoners a list of bonding companies  
28 authorized to do business in the county provided by the circuit clerk.

29 (2) The list prepared by the circuit clerk and approved by the  
30 circuit court shall contain the names of the professional bail bond companies  
31 which are registered with the circuit clerk for the purpose of being included  
32 on the list.

33 (3) This registration is for the purpose of being on the phone  
34 list in each county only.

35 (4) Once a professional bail bond company has registered with a  
36 circuit clerk to be on the phone list, it shall not be necessary for it to

1 register each year. The company will keep its place on the list from year to  
2 year.

3 (5) The list shall be posted in each municipality of the county.

4 (b)(1) Professional bail bond companies shall be included on the list  
5 in the order in which they were initially registered with the circuit clerk  
6 pursuant to this chapter.

7 (2) The order of the company names shall not change from year to  
8 year.

9 ~~(3) The agents' names will be listed under the professional bail~~  
10 ~~bond company with whom they are licensed.~~

11 (c) The list prepared by the circuit clerk and approved by the circuit  
12 court shall be prepared pursuant to the following specifications:

13 (1) The list shall contain three (3) columns which shall be  
14 headed as follows:

- 15 (A) Bail bond company;
- 16 (B) Local ~~agents~~ address; and
- 17 (C) Telephone number;

18 (2) Each column shall contain the following information:

19 (A) Bail Bond Company. The professional bail bond company  
20 name and code number shall be typed in the first column on the left-hand side  
21 of the page, with the home office address, city, state, zip code, and home  
22 office telephone numbers directly under the company name in the same column.  
23 No more than two (2) telephone numbers shall be listed for each company. The  
24 order in which the company name appears on the list will stay in the same  
25 order as it registered with the circuit clerk pursuant to this chapter;

26 (B) Local ~~Agents~~ Address. The second column shall contain  
27 ~~no more than seven (7) names of local licensed agents per company for each~~  
28 ~~county and their code numbers. If there is not a local agent in the county,~~  
29 ~~the company may list one (1) agent's name in this column. The agents' names~~  
30 ~~may vary from one county to another county, but never more than seven (7)~~  
31 ~~local names shall be listed for each company. The agent's name must appear~~  
32 ~~under the company with which his license is currently issued~~ one (1) address  
33 for each bail bond company;

34 (C) Telephone Number. The third column shall contain no  
35 more than two (2) telephone numbers per ~~agent~~ company, to be typed directly  
36 across the page from the ~~agent's name~~ local address, which appears in the

1 second column;

2 (3) A solid line shall be placed between the end of the listing  
3 of one company and the beginning of the listing of the next company so that  
4 each company is clearly identified; and

5 (4) The name of the bail bond company will stay in the same  
6 order that the company initially registered with the circuit clerk of each  
7 county pursuant to this chapter.

8 (d) The list prepared by the circuit clerk shall be in the format of  
9 the following example:

10 EXAMPLE

11 LOCAL

12 BAIL BOND COMPANY	<u>AGENTS ADDRESS</u>	<u>TELEPHONE #</u>
13 1. Company Name # AZ	Agent's Name	555-0000
14 Home Office Address	# AZ 012	1-800-666-0000
15 City, State, Zip	Agent's Name	666-0000
	# AZ 002	
	Agent's Name	222-0000
18 Home Office	# AZ 001	222-0000
19 Phone Number(s) (2)		
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21 2. Company Name # ZA	Agent's Name	1-444-0000
22 Home Office Address	# ZA 001	1-800-444-0000
23 City, State, Zip		
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25 Home Office		
26 Phone Number(s) (2)		
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28 3. Company Name # DX	Agent's Name	222-0000
29 Home Office Address	# DX 001	222-0000
30 City, State, Zip	Agent's Name	555-0000
31	# DX 031	666-0000
32 Home Office	Agent's Name	222-0000
33 Phone Number(s) (2)	# DX 020	1-800-222-0000
34	Agent's Name	555-0000
35	# DX 002	555-0000
36	Agent's Name	222-0000

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~~# DX 010~~  
~~Agent's Name \_\_\_\_\_ 555 0000~~  
~~# DX 011 \_\_\_\_\_ 555 0000~~

/s/ Creekmore

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