

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: H4/7/03*  
**A Bill**

**Act 1713 of 2003**  
HOUSE BILL 2495

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

9 AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND  
10 STATE AGENCIES TO INCORPORATE MACHINE READABLE  
11 *PRIVACY POLICES INTO THEIR WEBSITES; AND FOR*  
12 *OTHER PURPOSES.*

**Subtitle**

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15 GOVERNMENTS AND STATE AGENCIES TO  
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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22 SECTION 1. (a) Each unit of state and local government and each state  
23 agency that operates or maintains a website shall incorporate a machine  
24 readable privacy policy into each of its websites no later than July 1, 2004.

25 (b) The privacy policy statement shall be published on the state or  
26 local government's or state agency's website and for each statement, shall  
27 include:

28 (1)(A) A description of the data the unit of government or  
29 agency collects on its website and how the data will be used by the unit of  
30 government or agency;

31 (B) The type of data and the purposes for which data is  
32 shared with other entities;

33 (C) Whether the unit of government's or agency's data  
34 collecting and sharing practices are mandatory, or allow a browser to opt in  
35 or opt out of those practices; and

36 (D) An explanation that certain information collected by



1 the governmental unit or agency is subject to disclosure under the Arkansas  
2 Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-105 et seq.; and

3 (2) A link to, or instructions for, locating the website's  
4 policy reference file, which shall identify the uniform resource locator for  
5 the website's policy statements and shall indicate those portions of the  
6 website and the website's cookies that are covered by each statement; and

7 (3) A link to the website's human-readable privacy policy.

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9 /s/ Lendall

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