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.

1	State of Arkansas	As Engrossed: H2/18/03	
2	84th General Assembly	A Bill	Act 751 of 2003
3	Regular Session, 2003		HOUSE BILL 1215
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5	By: Representative R. Smith		
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8	For An Act To Be Entitled		
9	AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ORDERLY MANAGEMENT OF		
10	THE STATE SUPPORTED RETIREMENT SYSTEMS IN THE		
11	EVENT OF THE STRUCTURAL REORGANIZATION OF STATE		
12	GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.		
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15	TO PROVIDE FOR THE ORDERLY MANAGEMENT OF		
16	THE STATE SUPPORTED RETIREMENT SYSTEMS		
17	IN THE EVENT OF STRUCTURAL		
18	REORGANIZATION OF STATE GOVERNMENT		
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22	BE IT ENACTED BY THE	GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF A	RKANSAS:
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24	SECTION 1. Arl	kansas Code Title 24, Chapter 2, Su	ıbchapter 7 is amended
25	to add an additional	section to read as follows:	
26	24-2-704. Ret:	irement in the event of government	reorganization.
27	(a) In the event of any structural reorganization of state government		
28	operations, all current employees, appointees, trustees, and commissioners of		
29	any affected agency, board, or commission shall remain associated with the		
30	state supported retirement system that existed for them as of the date		
31	immediately prior to such reorganization.		
32	(b)(1) Member employers and employees of any state-supported		
33	retirement system shall remain covered by their respective systems.		
34	<u>(2) The</u>	transition of any state agency or	other political
35	subdivision of the state from one state-supported retirement system to		
36	another, shall be accomplished through enabling legislation in the Eighty-		



1	<u>Fifth Arkansas General Assembly.</u>		
2	(3) In the event of a retirement coverage transition, there shall be		
3	no transfer of service from one retirement system to another. Instead, the		
4	provisions of §§ 24-2-402 through 24-2-408 shall be in full force and effect.		
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6	/s/ R. Smith		
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9	APPROVED: 3/27/2003		
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