

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.  
Act 211 of the Regular Session

1 State of Arkansas  
2 86th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2007  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1486

5 By: Representative Cornwell  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF § 16-21-2701  
10 CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT OF INVESTIGATORS FOR  
11 THE TWENTY-SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR  
12 OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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16 INVESTIGATORS FOR THE TWENTY-SECOND  
17 JUDICIAL DISTRICT.  
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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 § 16-21-2701 is amended to read as follows:  
24 16-21-2701. Investigators.

25 (a) The Prosecuting Attorney of the Twenty-second Judicial District  
26 shall be entitled to appoint and employ one (1) investigator at not less than  
27 twenty-one thousand dollars (\$21,000), to be paid by Saline County when  
28 approved by the quorum court and payment is approved by the county judge.

29 (b) In addition to the investigator listed by salary in subsection (a)  
30 of this section, the Prosecuting Attorney of the Twenty-second Judicial  
31 District shall have the authority to appoint and employ other investigators  
32 as necessary for the administration of justice ~~who shall serve without pay.~~

33 (c)(1) All investigators authorized and so appointed shall have the  
34 authority to issue process, serve warrants, and possess all law enforcement  
35 officer powers.



1 (2) They shall be certified law enforcement officers  
2 commissioned by the Arkansas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and  
3 Training and shall be defined as public safety members under Arkansas law.

4 (3) In the event that investigators shall issue process or serve  
5 warrants, the prosecutor's office shall be entitled to receive the same fee  
6 as provided in § 21-6-307, which shall be deposited into the hot check fees  
7 account.

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