

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 25 of the Regular Session

1 State of Arkansas
2 87th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2009

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1009

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5 By: Representative R. Green
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 AN ACT TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENT THAT THREE (3)
10 COPIES OF CERTAIN MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES SHALL BE
11 FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK; AND FOR OTHER
12 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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15 TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENT THAT THREE (3)
16 COPIES OF CERTAIN MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES
17 SHALL BE FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK.
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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 § 14-55-206(b), concerning copies of certain
23 municipal ordinances, is amended to read as follows:

24 (b) As to ordinances establishing rules and regulations for zoning,
25 construction of buildings, the installation of plumbing, the installation of
26 electric wiring, or other similar work, where such rules and regulations have
27 been printed as a code in book form, the code or provisions thereof may be
28 published by the municipality by reference to title of the code without
29 further publication or posting thereof. However, no fewer than three (3)
30 copies of the code shall be filed for use and examination by the public in
31 the office of the clerk or recorder of the municipality ~~subsequent to~~ after
32 the adoption thereof if there is no electronic form of the code available for
33 examination by the public.
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35 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 14-55-207 is amended to read as follows:



1 14-55-207. Adoption of technical codes by reference.

2 (a) Every municipality in the State of Arkansas is authorized by the
3 passage of a municipal ordinance to adopt by reference technical codes,
4 regulations, or standards, without setting forth the provisions of the code
5 or parts thereof, if three (3) copies of the code, or the pertinent parts
6 thereof, and any related documents are filed either electronically or by hard
7 copy in the office of the clerk of the municipality for inspection and view
8 by the public ~~prior to~~ before the passage of the ordinance.

9 (b) The term "technical codes" shall include any building, zoning,
10 health, electrical, or plumbing codes, and the term "regulations" shall
11 include any criminal code of the State of Arkansas.

12 (c) It ~~shall be~~ is the duty of the municipality to give a notice to
13 the public, by publication in a paper of general circulation within the
14 municipality, stating that copies of the code, or the pertinent parts
15 thereof, and the related documents are open to public examination either
16 electronically or by hard copy ~~prior to~~ before the passage of the ordinance
17 adopting the code.

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