

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 356 of the Regular Session

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

SENATE BILL 256

5 By: Senator J. Key
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 16-17-1105(a) TO
10 ADD ALPENA AND SALESVILLE TO THE LIST OF CITY
11 COURTS TO BE CONSOLIDATED WITH DISTRICT COURTS;
12 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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15 OF CITY COURTS TO BE CONSOLIDATED WITH
16 DISTRICT COURTS.
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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 § 16-17-1105(a), concerning consolidation of
23 city courts with district courts, is amended to read as follows:

24 (a) The city courts located in the following cities or towns shall be
25 consolidated with district courts:

- 26 (1) Alexander;
27 (2) Alpena;
28 ~~(2)~~ (3) Atkins;
29 ~~(3)~~ (4) Barling;
30 ~~(4)~~ (5) Bauxite;
31 ~~(5)~~ (6) Bethel Heights;
32 ~~(6)~~ (7) Briarcliff;
33 ~~(7)~~ (8) Cave Springs;
34 ~~(8)~~ (9) Centerton;
35 ~~(9)~~ (10) Central City;



- 1 ~~(10)~~ (11) Cotter;
- 2 ~~(11)~~ (12) Dell;
- 3 ~~(12)~~ (13) Dover;
- 4 ~~(13)~~ (14) Gassville;
- 5 ~~(14)~~ (15) Gosnell;
- 6 ~~(15)~~ (16) Gravette;
- 7 ~~(16)~~ (17) Haskell;
- 8 ~~(17)~~ (18) Lakeview;
- 9 ~~(18)~~ (19) Leachville;
- 10 ~~(19)~~ (20) Little Flock;
- 11 ~~(20)~~ (21) London;
- 12 ~~(21)~~ (22) Lowell;
- 13 ~~(22)~~ (23) Manila;
- 14 ~~(23)~~ (24) Marmaduke;
- 15 ~~(24)~~ (25) Norfolk;
- 16 ~~(25)~~ (26) Pea Ridge;
- 17 ~~(26)~~ (27) Pottsville;
- 18 ~~(27)~~ (28) Salesville;
- 19 ~~(28)~~ (29) Shannon Hills;
- 20 ~~(29)~~ (30) Sulphur Springs; and
- 21 (31) Weiner.

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23 SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the

24 General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that Alpena and Salesville were

25 inadvertently left out of Act 663 of 2007; and that this act is immediately

26 necessary to further the goal of unified court system to provide judicial

27 economy and fair administration of justice. Therefore, an emergency is

28 declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the

29 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective

30 on:

- 31 (1) The date of its approval by the Governor;
- 32 (2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor,
- 33 the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the
- 34 bill; or
- 35 (3) If the bill is vetoed by the
- 36 Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the

1 veto.

APPROVED: 3/10/2009