State of Arkansas  

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A Bill

SENATE BILL 183

By: Senator J. Hutchinson

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO ALLOW A WET COUNTY TO AUTHORIZE BY
ORDINANCE THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES FOR ON-
PREMISES CONSUMPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO ALLOW A WET COUNTY TO AUTHORIZE BY
ORDINANCE THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES
FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 3-9-203(d), concerning the purpose and
effect of referendum election regarding the sale of alcoholic beverages, is
amended to read as follows:

(d)(1) A property owner's association with a population of five
thousand (5,000) or more or a county, city, or town may authorize by
ordinance the sale of alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption under
this subchapter if the property owner’s association or a county, city, or
town is located in or is a county that authorized the manufacture and sale of
intoxicating liquor after November 1, 2012.

(2) The authority of a county quorum court under subdivision (d)(1) of
this section applies only to unincorporated areas of the county.

/s/ J. Hutchinson

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