

1 State of Arkansas *As Engrossed: S1/25/21 S2/4/21*

2 93rd General Assembly

# A Bill

3 Regular Session, 2021

HOUSE BILL 1058

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5 By: Representative Dalby

6 By: Senator A. Clark

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO PERMIT A JUROR TO DONATE HIS OR HER PER  
10 DIEM COMPENSATION AND MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT TO AN  
11 ELIGIBLE NONPROFIT ENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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## Subtitle

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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 Title 16, Chapter 34, is amended to add an  
24 additional section to read as follows:

25 16-34-107. Donation of per diem compensation and mileage  
26 reimbursement.

27 (a) A person eligible to receive per diem compensation or mileage  
28 reimbursement, or both, under this chapter may donate the per diem  
29 compensation or mileage reimbursement, or both, that he or she receives to an  
30 eligible nonprofit entity.

31 (b)(1)(A) The Administrative Office of the Courts shall compile a list  
32 of eligible nonprofit entities to which a person receiving per diem  
33 compensation or mileage reimbursement, or both, under this chapter may make  
34 his or her donation under this section.

35 (B)(i) In compiling the list of eligible nonprofit  
36 entities described under subdivision (b)(1)(A) of this section, the office



1 shall consult with the Supreme Court and the Arkansas Judicial Council, Inc.,  
2 to determine the eligible nonprofit entities under this section.

3 (ii) The office is encouraged to seek input through  
4 public comment while compiling the list of eligible nonprofit entities.

5 (2) An eligible nonprofit entity should have as one (1) of its  
6 primary goals the providing of:

7 (A) Crime victim assistance or counseling;

8 (B) Services for abused or neglected children;

9 (C) Shelter for victims of domestic violence;

10 (D) Services for veterans; or

11 (E) Legal education for students seeking a Juris Doctor  
12 degree.

13 (c) The office shall offer guidance on procedures for making,  
14 collecting, and distributing donations under this section.

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16 **SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

17 This act is effective on and after January 1, 2022.

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19 /s/Dalby

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22 **APPROVED: 3/2/21**