A Bill

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 7 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 7 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ELECTIONS.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 7-5-301(b), concerning voting systems, is amended to remove duplicate language to read as follows:

(b)(1) All direct recording electronic voting machines shall include a voter-verfied paper audit trail.

(b)(2) All direct recording electronic voting machines shall include a voter-verifed paper audit trail.

SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. CONSTRUCTION AND LEGISLATIVE INTENT.

It is the intent of the General Assembly that:

(1) The enactment and adoption of this act shall not expressly or impliedly repeal an act passed during the regular session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly;

(2) To the extent that a conflict exists between an act of the regular session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly and this act:

(A) The act of the regular session of the Ninety-Third
General Assembly shall be treated as a subsequent act passed by the General Assembly for the purposes of:

   (i) Giving the act of the regular session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly its full force and effect; and

   (ii) Amending or repealing the appropriate parts of the Arkansas Code of 1987; and

   (3) This act shall make only technical, not substantive, changes to the Arkansas Code of 1987.

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