1 State of Arkansas

A BILLACT 467 OF 1991

2 78th General Assembly3 Regular Session, 1991

SENATE BILL 94

4 By: Senator Scott

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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 7, CHAPTER 7,

9 SUBCHAPTER 3 TO ADD A NEW SECTION AUTHORIZING PARTY COUNTY

10 COMMITTEES TO ESTABLISH COMMON POLLING PLACES."

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

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- SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 7, Chapter 7, Subchapter 3 is amended to
- 15 add a new section to read as follows:
- 16 "7-7-312. Common Polling Places.
- 17 (a) Party county committees, by agreement, may establish common polling
- 18 places in primary elections. Where necessary, both separate and common
- 19 polling places may be established at which the respective county committees
- 20 shall conduct their primary elections.
- 21 (b) In counties where common polling places are established for primary
- 22 elections, the respective county committees remain responsible for their own
- 23 election but may jointly promulgate rules and regulations to govern matters
- 24 concerning the conduct of primary elections where there is no applicable
- 25 primary or general election law.
- 26 (c) Where common polling places are established, the respective county
- 27 committees shall cause to be delivered at each polling place the duplicate
- 28 copies of the affidavits of registration file. The county clerk shall furnish
- 29 each county committee represented at the polling place one (1) copy of a list
- 30 containing the names and addresses of the registered voters contained in the
- 31 precinct registration file. The duplicate registration file shall be used to
- 32 determine each person's right to vote in any party primary being conducted at
- 33 the common polling place."

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- 35 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
- 36 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code

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1 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.
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         SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
 4 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
 5 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
 6 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
 7 act are declared to be severable.
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         SECTION 4. All laws or parts of laws in conflict with this act are
10 hereby repealed.
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