

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **78th General Assembly**
3 **First Extraordinary Session, 1992**
4 **By: Senator Hoofman**
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A Bill ACT 55 OF 1992 ^{Call Item 19}
SENATE BILL 31

7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ADJUTANT GENERAL OF THE ARKANSAS
9 NATIONAL GUARD TO ENTER INTO RECIPROCAL AGREEMENTS WITH
10 THE ADJUTANT GENERALS OF SURROUNDING STATES REGARDING THE
11 LOAN, LEASE, OR EXCHANGE OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER
12 PURPOSES."

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

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16 SECTION 1. The Adjutant General of the Arkansas National Guard is
17 authorized to enter into reciprocal agreements with the Adjutant General of
18 any surrounding state regarding the loan, lease, or exchange of Arkansas
19 National Guard equipment under his authority and control.

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21 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
22 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
23 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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25 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
26 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
27 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
28 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
29 act are declared to be severable.

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31 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
32 hereby repealed.

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34 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY. It is hereby found and determined by the General
35 Assembly of the State of Arkansas that recent natural disasters have created a
36 need for cooperation between the Arkansas National Guard and National Guard

1 units of surrounding states regarding the use of equipment needed to respond
2 to the emergency situations created by the natural disasters. Therefore, an
3 emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act being necessary for the
4 immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, shall be in
5 full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

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