Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1	State of Arkansas	As Engrossed: H3/20/03 H3/26/03		
2	84th General Assembly	A Bill	Act 1344 of 2003	
3	Regular Session, 2003		HOUSE BILL 2732	
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5	By: Representative Rankin			
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8	For An Act To Be Entitled			
9	AN ACT TO PROTECT CONSUMERS BY PROHIBITING THE			
10	AUTOMATIC RENEWAL OF PROFESSIONAL HOME SECURITY			
11	SERVIC	ES CONTRACTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSE	<i>S</i> .	
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13	AN	ACT TO PROTECT CONSUMERS BY		
14	PRO	HIBITING THE AUTOMATIC RENEWAL OF		
15	SER	VICES PROFESSIONAL HOME SECURITY		
16	CON	TRACTS.		
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19	BE IT ENACTED BY THE	GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF AN	RKANSAS:	
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21	SECTION 1. Au	tomatic renewal of professional home	e security contracts	
22	prohibited.			
23	<u>(a)</u> No contra	ct for professional home security se	ervices that is	
24	<u>entered into after t</u> i	he effective date of this act shall	state that the term	
25	of the contract will	automatically be renewed for any ac	dditional period	
26	beyond the initial to	erm of the contract.		
27	<u>(b) No contra</u>	ct under subsection (a) shall be ren	newed for any	
28	additional period be	yond the initial term of the contrac	ct unless the person	
29	receiving the profes	sional home security service affirma	atively notifies the	
30	person offering the	service that he or she wishes to rea	new the contract.	
31	<u>(c)</u> This act o	does not affect the initial term of	<u>a contract under</u>	
32	subsection (a), and does not prohibit any person from offering to renew a			
33	<u>contract under subse</u>	ction (a).		
34	(d) If a cont	ract under this section is renewed :	in violation of this	
35	section, the person :	receiving the professional home sec	urity service may void	
36	the contract and sha.	ll not be obligated to perform under	r the contract, as	



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