	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. Act 1571 of the Regular Session
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5	By: Senator T. Smith
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8	For An Act To Be Entitled
9	AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 24-11-430
10	CONCERNING FUNERAL EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER
11	PURPOSES.
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13	Subtitle
14	AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 24-11-
15	430 CONCERNING FUNERAL EXPENSES.
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18	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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20	SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-11-430 is amended to read as follows:
21	24-11-430. Funeral expenses.
22	(a) Whenever an active or retired police officer <del>shall die or be</del>
23	killed dies, the board of trustees shall appropriate from the fund a sum of
24	not less than one hundred dollars (\$100) nor more than <del>four thousand dollars</del>
25	(\$4,000) six thousand five hundred dollars (\$6,500) to pay the funeral
26	expenses of the decedent.
27	(b) Each board of trustees shall adopt a policy establishing the
28	amount to be paid for funeral expenses pursuant to this section, and the
29	amount shall be awarded uniformly to all eligible persons.
30	(c) The board of trustees may change the amount of funeral expenses
31	payable under this section, but in that instance the amount shall be
32	uniformly distributed likewise.
33	(d) The effective date of the 1983 amendment to this section shall be
34 25	retroactive to June 17, 1981.
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/s/ T**. Smi** 

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