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As Engrossed: S3/18/19

A Bill

SENATE BILL 374

5 By: Senator Rapert
6 By: Representative Gazaway
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PENALTIES RELATED
10 TO ADMINISTRATIVE INSPECTION WARRANTS EXECUTED BY THE
11 ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY; AND FOR
12 OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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18 DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 8-1-107(f), concerning administrative
25 inspection warrants executed by the Arkansas Department of Environmental
26 Quality, is amended to read as follows:

27 (f) Penalties. Any ~~willful and unjustified~~ knowing refusal of right
28 of entry and inspection to department personnel as set out in this section
29 ~~shall constitute a misdemeanor~~ is a violation subject to a fine of up to
30 twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) or civil penalties up to twenty-five
31 thousand dollars (\$25,000).
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34 /s/Rapert

35 APPROVED: 4/9/19
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