

Hall of the House of Representatives
89th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2013
Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1187

TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF PUBLIC FUNDS TO SUPPORT OR OPPOSE
BALLOT MEASURES.

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1187

Amend House Bill No. 1187 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 23 through 27 and substitute the following:

"(c) This section does not:

(1) Limit the freedom of speech of a public servant or government body, including without limitation verbal expressions of views supporting or opposing a ballot measure;

(2) Prohibit a governmental body from expressing an opinion on a ballot measure through the passage of a resolution or proclamation;

(3) Prohibit the incidental use of state resources by a public servant, including without limitation travel costs, when speaking at an event in which a ballot measure is discussed if the subject matter of the speaking engagement is within the scope of the official duties and responsibilities of the public servant; or

(4) Prohibit the dissemination of public information at a speaking engagement and the incidental use of state resources in the analysis and preparation of that public information if the subject matter of the public information is within the scope of the official duties and responsibilities of the public servant."



The Amendment was read _____

By: Representative Bell

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