

**Hall of the House of Representatives**  
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**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of House Bill No. 1237**

CONCERNING TRAINING REQUIREMENTS FOR CANINE LAW ENFORCEMENT UNITS.

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**Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1237**

Amend House Bill No. 1237 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Shepherd, D. Altes, C. Armstrong, Baine, Baltz, Catlett, D. Douglas, Hillman, Kizzia, Lenderman, Love, B. Overbey, Ratliff, D. Whitaker, Wren as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 12-9-104, concerning the powers of the Arkansas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(17)(A) Establish minimum training and certification requirements for law enforcement officers utilizing canines as an aid for performing searches, seizures, and other law enforcement functions.

(B) This requirement shall include certification requirements for:

(i) Officers or other persons who conduct training for law enforcement canines;

(ii) Courses for training law enforcement canines;

(iii) Minimum requirements for law enforcement canine certifying officials;

(iv) Record keeping concerning the training of law enforcement canines; and

(v) Law enforcement canines."



The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_

By: Representative Wardlaw

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Chief Clerk