

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

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**Subtitle of House Bill No. 1841**  
CONCERNING FEES FOR BAIL BONDS.

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**Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1841**

Amend House Bill No. 1841 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 8, delete "BONDS; AND" and substitute "BONDS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND"

AND

Page 1, line 28, delete "April 1, 1993" and substitute "~~April 1, 1993~~ July 1, 2013"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "Professional Bail Bond Operating Fund" and substitute "Bail Bondsman Board Fund"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "Professional Bail Bond Operating Fund" and substitute "Bail Bondsman Board Fund"

AND

Page 3, line 25, delete "Professional" and substitute "Bail Bondsman Board Fund"

AND

Page 3, line 26, delete "Bail Bond Operating Fund"

AND

Page 4, line 1, delete "Professional Bail Bond Operating Fund" and substitute "Bail Bondsman Board Fund"

AND



Page 4, line 11, delete "Professional Bail Bond" and substitute "Bail Bondsman Board Fund"

AND

Page 4, line 12, delete "Operating Fund"

AND

Page 4, line 14, delete "Professional Bail Bond Operating Fund" and substitute "Bail Bondsman Board Fund"

AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "Professional Bail Bond Operating Fund" and substitute "Bail Bondsman Board Fund"

AND

Page 4, line 21, delete "Professional Bail Bond Operating Fund" and substitute "Bail Bondsman Board Fund"

AND

Page 4, line 22, delete "Professional Bail Bond Operating Fund" and substitute "Bail Bondsman Board Fund"

AND

Page 4, line 28, delete "or"

AND

Page 4, line 29, delete "and" and substitute "or"

AND

Page 4, line 31, delete "commission" and substitute "~~commission~~ board"

AND

Page 5, delete line 22, and substitute the following:  
"board shall deposit forward all fees and penalties directly to the commission for deposit into the Public Defender"

AND

Page 7, delete line 31, and substitute the following:  
"307 and other fees as required by law."

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 19-5-1088 is amended to read as follows:

19-5-1088. Bail Bondsman Board Fund.

(a) There is ~~hereby~~ established on the books of the Treasurer of State, the Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a fund to be known as the "Bail Bondsman Board Fund".

(b) This fund shall consist of those moneys ~~transferred from the State Insurance Department Trust Fund~~ collected under §§ 17-19-111 and 17-19-301 and other moneys from the collection of fees, there to be used exclusively for the operation of the Professional Bail Bond Company and Professional Bail Bondsman Licensing Board."

AND

Page 7, line 33, delete "SECTION 4." and substitute "SECTION 5."

AND

Page 8, delete line 30, and substitute the following:  
"has a duty to collect or remit these fees."

SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that collection of fees for bail bonds fund various necessary programs in our state; that the law is currently unclear on the collection of these fees; and that this act is necessary because the law needs to be clear on the collection of these fees so that the programs are funded properly in a timely manner. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2013."

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

By: Representative Wright  
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Chief Clerk