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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1374

TO AUTHORIZE A SHERIFF TO DELIVER A STATE INMATE TO THE NEAREST STATE PRISON OR
CORRECTIONAL UNIT.

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1374

Amend House Bill No. 1374 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 12-27-113(d), concerning the delivery of state inmates, is amended to read as follows:

(d)(1) ~~It shall be the duty of the Department of Correction to A~~ county sheriff, a deputy county sheriff, or a trained security contractor shall transport all inmates committed to the Department of Correction ~~to their respective institutions or the Department of Community Correction as described in this subsection, and the county sheriff is entitled to the fees provided by law.~~

(2) ~~It shall be the duty of every A county sheriff within the State of Arkansas to shall~~ notify the director of the number of persons inmates in his or her charge who are under commitment to the Department of Correction, and ~~it shall be the duty of upon request to the county sheriff by the director, to the county sheriff, the deputy county sheriff, or the trained security contractor shall~~ send for, take charge of, and safely transport, ~~free of charge, the convicted persons inmates to the assigned institution of the nearest appropriate facility as determined by the Department of Correction as determined by the director or the Department of Community Correction.~~

(3) However, if the county sheriff ~~of any county, in his or her discretion,~~ determines that it would be in the best interest of ~~the prisoner an inmate~~ and the public to immediately transport the ~~convicted person inmate~~ to the Department of Correction or the Department of Community Correction because of overcrowding or another issue, the county sheriff may ~~transport the person, and the county sheriff shall be entitled therefor to the fees provided by law~~ notify that the Department of Correction or Department of Community Correction of the need for immediate transport and the Department of Correction or Department of Community Correction shall consider the request in scheduling inmates for intake."



The Amendment was read _____
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