

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

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**Subtitle of House Bill No. 1685**

TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS HEALTHCARE DECISIONS ACT.

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**Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 1685**

Amend House Bill No. 1685 as engrossed H4/5/21 (version: 04/05/2021 10:29:06 AM):

Delete SECTION 2 in its entirety

AND

Page 5, delete lines 31 through 36, and substitute the following:

"unless a determination is made and certified in the clinical record that the principal is highly unlikely to regain capacity to make healthcare decisions and that the particular healthcare decision is in the principal's best interest or is otherwise appropriate to avoid care that serves only to prolong the patient's natural death is agreed to by the supervising healthcare provider and:

(1) A healthcare institution's ethics officer or ethics committee; or

(2) A physician who is not the supervising healthcare provider or a treating healthcare provider."

AND

Page 6, delete lines 1 through 8

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill



The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_  
By: Representative M. Gray  
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Chief Clerk