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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1038

"AN ACT PERTAINING TO THE QUALIFICATIONS AND PROFESSIONALISM OF LAW
ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS."

Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 1038.

Amend House Bill No. 1038 as engrossed, H1/10/01:

Page 3, line 18, delete "incidents" and substitute "findings"

AND

Page 3, line 19, delete "in"

AND

Page 3, delete line 20 and substitute
"that results in suspension, demotion, or termination, and when a law
enforcement officer leaves their employ for any"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 22 through 26 and substitute
"(c) Notice by certified letter from the commission to a law
enforcement officer, agency head, and mayor or city manager, that the officer
is to be subjected to a decertification hearing which will immediately suspend
the law enforcement status of the officer, subject to the outcome of the
hearing. Any official action taken by the officer after decertification will
be invalid."

AND

Page 3, line 29, add ", if such disability prevents functioning as a law
enforcement officer" after "retirement" and before the period.

AND

Page 4, delete line 9 and substitute
"(4) Is free of a pattern of criminal activity, "pattern" meaning
a reliable sample of traits, acts, tendencies, or other observable

characteristics of a person;"

AND

Page 4, delete line 14 and substitute
"licensed physician, licensed advanced practice nurse, or physician's
assistant;"

AND

Page 4, line 19 delete "unrestricted"

AND

Page 4, line 31, delete "(1)"

AND

Page 4, delete line 32 and substitute
"within ten (10) days of hire, the Initial Employment Report, Form F-1, on the
law"

AND

Page 5, line 3, add "up to" after "for" and before "thirty"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 7 through 15

AND

Page 5, delete lines 17 and 18 and substitute
"complete a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours of advanced training per year
beginning January 1, 2002, based on"

AND

Page 5, delete line 19 and substitute
"standards and curriculum to be developed by the commission. These hours may
be completed within one (1) year. The minimum number"

AND

Page 5, line 22, add "by a qualified instructor" after "year" and before the
period

AND

Page 5, line 25, add ", hired after the effective date of this act," after
"head" and before "shall"

AND

Page 5, delete line 27 and substitute
"commission will develop standards for this certification. The curriculum for this certification will be developed in accordance with Arkansas Code 12-9-505."

AND

Page 5, delete lines 35 and 36 and substitute
"office. The Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training will develop standards for this curriculum. The curriculum for this certification will be developed in accordance with Arkansas Code 12-9-505."

AND

Page 6, delete lines 1 through 10 and substitute
"(k) Other elected law enforcement officials who by nature of their office may function as a law enforcement officer shall meet minimum standards for training before fulfilling law enforcement responsibilities, and shall be required to attend training as established by the Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training. If any official does not comply with these requirements, the official's law enforcement actions shall be limited by the commission."

AND

Page 6, line 30, delete "~~§ 5-~~" and substitute "~~§ 5-~~"

AND

Page 6, line 31, delete "5-101 et seq." and substitute "~~5-101 et seq~~ §§ 5-14-101 through 5-14-123"

The Amendment was read _____
By: Representative Glover
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