

Hall of the House of Representatives
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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 2756

"AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY REVIEW
BOARD."

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2756.

Amend House Bill No. 2756 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9 to 13 and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE SURVEY AGENCY TO CONDUCT ALL RESTRAINT AND SECLUSION SURVEYS FOR THE ARKANSAS INDIGENT MEDICAL CARE PROGRAM IN PSYCHIATRIC RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITIES IN COMPLIANCE WITH § 9-28-407(a)(3); TO"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 20 and 21 and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE SURVEY AGENCY FOR RESTRAINT AND SECLUSION SURVEYS FOR PSYCHIATRIC RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITIES."

AND

Page 2, line 26, add "and" to the end of the line

AND

Page 2, delete lines 28 through 31 and substitute the following:

"maintained by the division."

AND

Immediately following SECTION 4 add an additional section to read as follows:

"SECTION 5. Arkansas Code Title 20, Chapter 77, Subchapter 1 is amended to read as follows:

20-77-121. Survey agency for psychiatric residential treatment facilities of children.

(a) To the extent required by federal law, the Division of Medical Services of the Department of Human Services shall designate a survey agency to conduct restraint and seclusion surveys in psychiatric residential treatment facilities for children as defined in § 9-28-402.

(b) No designation by the division shall act as a waiver of the



provisions of § 9-28-407(a)(3) or any other applicable law governing child welfare agencies."

The Amendment was read _____

By: Representative J. Johnson

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