

**Hall of the House of Representatives**  
85th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2005  
**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of House Bill No. 2906**

"AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF "HOST COMMUNITY" UNDER 8-6-1501."

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**Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 2906.**

Amend House Bill No. 2906 as engrossed, H3/15/05 (version: 03-15-2005 11:26):

Page 3, line 2, delete "possessing" and substitute "~~possessing~~ exercising"

AND

Immediately following SECTION 2 add an additional section to read as follows:

"SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that Act 1263 of 1993 is an act that is important to public health and welfare of citizens located near high impact solid waste management facilities. Ambiguities in the current language of Act 1263 of 1993 impair the ability of the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality to protect the public health and welfare and a delay in the effective date of this act could work irreparable harm upon the ability of the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality to effectively administer its regulatory functions and properly implement the public health protections provided through Act 1263 of 1993. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."



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

By: Representative Saunders  
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Chief Clerk