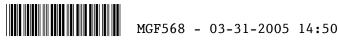
## ARKANSAS SENATE

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## **Amendment Form**

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 1154 "AN ACT TO CREATE THE TASK FORCE ON MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT SERVICES." Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 1154. Amend Senate Bill No. 1154 as originally introduced: Page 1, line 28 delete "ten (10)" and substitute "twenty-six (26)" Page 2, delete lines 1 and 2 and substitute the following: "Services of the Department of Human Services; (5) Four (4) members recommended by the Arkansas Coalition of Private Treatment Providers of Mental Health; (6) Two (2) members recommended by the Mental Health Council of Arkansas; (7) One (1) member recommended by the Arkansas Advocates for Children and Families; (8) One (1) member recommended by the Arkansas Hospital Association; (9) One (1) member recommended by the Child and Adolescent Service System Program; (10) One (1) member recommended by the Arkansas Mental Health Counselors Association; (11) One (1) member recommended by NAMI-Arkansas; (12) One (1) member recommended by the Arkansas School Counselors Association; (13) One (1) member recommended by Arkansas Mental Health Planning and Advisory Council; (14) Two (2) members recommended by National Association of Psychiatric Health Systems; (15) One (1) member recommended by the state Medicaid program; (16) One (1) member recommended by the Bureau of Alcohol and



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- Page 3, delete lines 1 and 2 and substitute the following: "procedure reform;
- (5) Evaluate existing councils, coalitions, associations, and organizations that are concerned about mental health services in the State of Arkansas to determine whether there are collaborative opportunities to improve communications, partnerships, and problem solving for mental health issues in the State of Arkansas;
- (6) Evaluate the outcomes, recommendations, and progress made as a result of the Governor's Mental Health System Task Force and past mental health work groups to determine whether further action needs to be taken; and
  - (7) Make recommendations for the strategic development and"

AND

- Page 3, delete line 11 and substitute the following: "of each even numbered year.
- (d) On request, the Department of Human Services and service providers operating under contract with the State of Arkansas shall provide to the Mental Health System Task Force information regarding service needs and funding through community and state based options to meet the needs of individuals."

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second	nd time and
By: Senator J. Jeffress	
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