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Amendment Form

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Subtitle of House Bill No. 1138

"AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION - ARKANSAS
REHABILITATION SERVICES APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2007-2009 BIENNIUM."

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1138.

Amend House Bill No. 1138 as originally introduced:

Add a new section immediately following SECTION 10 to read as follows:

"SECTION 11. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR SHIFT DIFFERENTIAL AND WEEKEND PAY FOR PERSONNEL AT THE HOT SPRINGS REHABILITATION CENTER. Personnel employed in areas providing critical support and care to Patient Units at the Hot Springs Rehabilitation Center during evening and night shifts shall be eligible to receive up to twenty percent (20%) of the hourly rate paid as a shift differential. Personnel required to provide critical and support care to client units during weekend hours shall be eligible to receive up to twenty percent (20%) of the hourly rate paid as a weekend differential. When facilities use shifts other than traditional eight-hour shifts, shift differential may be paid for those shifts exceeding the normal day shift of the facility. When shift and weekend differentials are provided to employees as herein described, the total compensation may exceed the maximum annual rate for the assigned pay grade for those positions included in this Act.

The Agency shall identify the shift(s) and job classifications applicable for the differential, and the shift differential percentage for which each classification is eligible within each shift. The shift schedule, job classification listing and the percentage of shift differential for which the job titles will be eligible shall be submitted to the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) for approval by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State after review of the Personnel Committee of the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee. Subsequent changes to the shift schedule, job classifications and shift differential percentages on file with OPM must receive prior approval by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State after review of the Personnel Committee of the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

And



Appropriately renumber subsequent sections of the bill.

The Amendment was read _____
By: Joint Budget Committee
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