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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 1162

TO SUBSUME VARIOUS CAUSES OF ACTION FOR HEALTH CARE INJURIES UNDER A SINGLE REMEDY.

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 1162

Amend Senate Bill No. 1162 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 9 and substitute the following: "CARE INJURIES AGAINST A MEDICAL CARE PROVIDER UNDER A SINGLE REMEDY; AND FOR OTHER"

AND

Page 2, delete line 25 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 20-10-1209(a)(1), concerning civil enforcement for the protection of long-term care facility residents, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Any resident who is injured by a deprivation or infringement of his or her rights as specified in this subchapter may bring a cause of action under § 16-114-201 et seq., against any licensee responsible for the deprivation or infringement.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code § 20-10-1209, concerning civil enforcement"

AND

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

"(d)(l) A deprivation or infringement of rights under this subchapter does not itself create an additional cause of action.

(2) However, a deprivation or infringement of rights under this subchapter may be used as evidence of negligence."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 33 through 36

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Page 3, delete line 1

 The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and

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