

ARKANSAS SENATE
89th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2013
Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 491

TO IMPROVE THE HEALTH AND STABILITY OF ARKANSAS FAMILIES; TO STRENGTHEN
VOLUNTARY HOME VISITATION PROGRAMS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 491

Amend Senate Bill No. 491 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 33, delete "services," and substitute "services that promote appropriate prenatal care to assure healthy births,"

AND

Page 6, delete line 34 and substitute the following:

"the Governor on or before October 1 of each even-numbered year.

20-78-908. Parental and guardian rights.

(a) Due to the nature of home visiting programs, this subchapter does not compel a parent's or legal guardian's ability to participate in a home visiting program and does not impede a parent's or guardian's ability to withdraw from a home visiting program at any time.

(b) A decision to withdraw from a home visiting program does not constitute grounds for an investigation of a parent, legal guardian, or member of the family of a minor."



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

By: Senator Caldwell

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Secretary