

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

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**Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 970**

TO AMEND THE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATING THE SAFE DRINKING WATER ACT OR RULES,  
REGULATIONS, OR ORDERS OF THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION.

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**Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 970**

Amend Senate Bill No. 970 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 15-72-103(a)(1), concerning the penalties for violating a rule, regulation, or order of the Oil and Gas Commission or statutes relating to the commission, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1)(A) ~~Any~~ A person who violates ~~any provision of~~ this subchapter or ~~any~~ a rule, regulation, or order of the Oil and Gas Commission made ~~hereunder shall be~~ under this subchapter, in the event a penalty for the violation is not otherwise provided for in this subchapter, is subject to a penalty not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) a day for each ~~and every~~ day of violation, and for each ~~and every act of~~ violation.

(B) A person who violates a program requirement under the applicable provisions of the Safe Drinking Water Act, Pub. L. No. 93-523, as amended, or a rule, regulation, or order of the commission relating to the control of underground injection is subject to a penalty not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) for each violation."



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

By: Senator Maloch

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Secretary