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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1417

CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF SEXUAL SOLICITATION; PROVIDING FOR IMPOUNDMENT OF A
MOTOR VEHICLE; AND PROVIDING FOR HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS EDUCATION FOR
EDUCATORS.

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1417

Amend House Bill No. 1417 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 10, and substitute the following:

"(d) An impoundment fee assessed under this section shall be collected by the impounding law enforcement agency and remitted to the Human Trafficking Victim Support Fund on the first business day of each month."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 25 through 27, and substitute the following:

"(b) The Department of Education or another person, firm, or corporation designated by the department shall develop and administer the professional development under subsection (a) of this section."

Immediately following SECTION 3, add an additional section to read as follows:

"SECTION 4. Arkansas Code Title 19, Chapter 5, Subchapter 12, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

19-5-1258. Human Trafficking Victim Support Fund.

(a) There is created on the books of the Treasurer of State, the Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a fund to be known as the "Human Trafficking Victim Support Fund".

(b) The fund shall consist of fees collected under § 5-5-501(d) and any other revenues authorized by law.

(c)(1) The fund shall be administered by the Attorney General.

(2) The Attorney General shall use the fund to provide:

(A) Grants to nonprofit, religious, and other third-party organizations that provide services and treatment, such as securing residential housing, health services, and social services for victims of human trafficking; and

(B) For the management and operation of the fund.

(d) As used in this section, "victim of human trafficking" means a person who has been subject to sexual exploitation because the person:



(1) Is a victim of trafficking of persons under § 5-18-103;
(2) Is a victim of child sex trafficking under 18 U.S.C. § 1591,
as it existed on January 1, 2017; or
(3) Engages in an act of prostitution under § 5-70-102 or sexual
solicitation under § 5-70-103."

The Amendment was read _____
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