

**Hall of the House of Representatives**  
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**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 665**

TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MEDICAL MARIJUANA AMENDMENT OF 2016; AND TO ADD A  
FACILITY FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES TO THE DISTANCE  
REQUIREMENTS FOR A DISPENSARY.

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**Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 665**

Amend Senate Bill No. 665 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 13, and substitute the following:

"REQUIREMENTS FOR A DISPENSARY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MEDICAL MARIJUANA AMENDMENT OF 2016; TO ADD A FACILITY  
FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES TO THE DISTANCE REQUIREMENTS  
FOR A DISPENSARY; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 1, line 31, delete "(i)" and substitute "(i)(a)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 1, and substitute the following:

"center, or facility for individuals with developmental disabilities.

(b) Subdivision (g)(2)(C)(i)(a) of this  
section does not apply to or impact existing locations of dispensaries issued



a license before the effective date of this subdivision (g)(2)(C)(i)(b) that may be located within one thousand five hundred feet (1,500') of a facility for individuals with developmental disabilities; or

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that it is necessary to protect the individuals with developmental disabilities; that the current restriction on the location of a medical marijuana dispensary is in place for schools, churches, and daycare centers; and that this act is immediately necessary because the State of Arkansas needs to ensure the protection of the vulnerable citizens of the State of Arkansas. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_  
By: Representative Wardlaw  
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Chief Clerk