

2 State of Arkansas  
3 89th General Assembly  
4 Regular Session, 2013

# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2253

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6 By: Representative Leding

7 Filed with: Interim House Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor  
8 pursuant to A.C.A. §10-3-217.

## 9 For An Act To Be Entitled

10 AN ACT TO CREATE A PRESUMPTION THAT FIREFIGHTERS WHO  
11 DEVELOP CERTAIN FORMS OF CANCER DEVELOPED THOSE  
12 CANCERS THROUGH THEIR WORK AS FIREFIGHTERS; AND FOR  
13 OTHER PURPOSES.

## 14 15 16 Subtitle

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18 WHO DEVELOP CERTAIN FORMS OF CANCER  
19 DEVELOPED THOSE CANCERS THROUGH THEIR  
20 WORK AS FIREFIGHTERS.

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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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25 SECTION 1. The purpose of this act is to create a presumption that  
26 firefighters who develop certain forms of cancer developed those cancers  
27 through their work as firefighters.

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30 Referral requested by: Representative Greg Leding  
31 Prepared by: MGF/VJF