

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

INTERIM STUDY PROPOSAL 2007-084

State of Arkansas

As Engrossed: H3/26/07

86th General Assembly

A Bill

Regular Session, 2007

HOUSE BILL 2597

By: Representative Maloch

Referred to

City, County & Local Affairs Committee- House

by the House of Representatives

on 03/30/2007

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO CREATE A COUNTY ASSESSORS CONTINUING
EDUCATION BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

*TO CREATE A COUNTY ASSESSORS CONTINUING
EDUCATION BOARD.*

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

*SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 14, Chapter 15, Subchapter 2 is amended
to add an additional section to read as follows:*

14-15-206. County Assessors Continuing Education Board

*(a) There is created the County Assessors Continuing Education Board
which shall be composed of the following six (6) members:*

*(1)(A) Five (5) members appointed by the Governor from a list of
at least ten (10) persons submitted by the Arkansas Assessors Association.*

*(B)(i) Two (2) of the members shall be contractors or
appraisers who have at a minimum a Level 4 certification.*

*(ii) Three (3) of the members shall be assessors or
deputy assessors who have at a minimum a Level 4 certification; and*

(2) The Director of the Assessment Coordination Department or a

1 person designated by the director.

2 (b) The members of the board shall attend board meetings at their own
3 expense.

4 (c) It shall be the responsibility of the County Assessors Continuing
5 Education Board to:

6 (1) Maintain communication with the county assessors and other
7 assessment professionals in Arkansas to determine their educational needs;

8 (2) Convey educational needs and concerns of the county
9 assessors and other assessment professionals in Arkansas and to work in
10 conjunction with any education committee or workgroup:

11 (A) Formed by the Assessment Coordination Department's
12 rule; and

13 (B) Composed of representatives from all sectors of the
14 assessing profession in Arkansas;

15 (3) Plan educational seminars to provide county assessors and
16 other assessment professionals the opportunity to achieve professional
17 designations and earn continuing education credits to maintain those
18 designations;

19 (4) Plan educational seminars to provide county assessors and
20 other assessment professionals the opportunity to improve their ability to
21 carry out their official responsibilities in an efficient and effective
22 manner; and

23 (5) Approve the expenditures of the County Assessors' Continuing
24 Education Trust Fund disbursed by the Assessment Coordination Department.

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26 /s/ Maloch
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