

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.

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2 State of Arkansas
3 86th General Assembly
4 Regular Session, 2007

A Bill

SENATE BILL 915

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6 By: Senator Laverty

7 Referred to
8 Insurance & Commerce - Senate
9 by the Arkansas Senate
10 on 03/30/2007
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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13 AN ACT TO REQUIRE CONTRACTORS TO SUBMIT PROOF OF
14 WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE WHEN APPLYING FOR
15 A LICENSE OR A RENEWAL OF A LICENSE; AND FOR
16 OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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19 TO REQUIRE CONTRACTORS TO SUBMIT PROOF
20 OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE WHEN
21 APPLYING FOR A LICENSE OR A RENEWAL OF A
22 LICENSE.
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26 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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28 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 17-25-514 is amended to read as follows:
29 17-25-514. Workers' compensation required.

30 (a) A residential building contractor required to be licensed by the
31 Residential Building Contractors Committee shall secure the payment of
32 workers' compensation under § 11-9-401 et seq.

33 (b) ~~(1)~~ The committee shall require proof of current workers'
34 compensation coverage before issuing or renewing a license.

35 ~~(2) If a residential building contractor is not required to~~
36 ~~secure payment of workers' compensation, a current certification of~~

~~1 noncoverage issued by the Workers' Compensation Commission shall be submitted~~
~~2 to the committee with the application for a license or renewal of a license.~~

3 (c)(1) If a residential building contractor fails to maintain workers'
4 compensation coverage, the committee shall revoke the residential building
5 contractor's license.

6 (2) A residential building contractor's license that has been
7 revoked due to failure to maintain workers' compensation coverage may be
8 reinstated upon receipt of proof that the residential building contractor has
9 secured workers' compensation coverage.

10 (d) The committee shall promulgate rules necessary to enforce this
11 section.

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