

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 2007-234

State of Arkansas
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A Bill

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HOUSE BILL

By: Representative King

Filed with: Arkansas Legislative Council
pursuant to A.C.A. §10-3-217.

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT CONCERNING SUBMISSION OF STATE AGENCY
CONTRACTS WITH MEMBERS OF A COUNTY BOARD OF
ELECTION COMMISSIONERS TO THE LEGISLATIVE
COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Subtitle

AN ACT CONCERNING SUBMISSION OF STATE
AGENCY CONTRACTS WITH MEMBERS OF A
COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS
TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 19, Chapter 11, Subchapter 2 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

19-11-267. Submission of contracts with members of a county board of election commissioners required.

(a) All contracts between a state agency and a member of a county board of election commissioners, his or her spouse, or with any business in which such person or his or her spouse is an officer, a director, or a stockholder owning more than ten percent (10%) of the stock in the business shall be presented by the state agency to the Legislative Council or to the Joint Budget Committee if the General Assembly is in session for review

1 before the execution date of the contract.

2 (b) Within thirty (30) days after receipt of the proposed contract,
3 the Legislative Council, or the Joint Budget Committee if the General
4 Assembly is in session, shall make a determination as to the propriety of the
5 contract, including without limitation whether the state agency properly
6 complied with the procurement process and whether the contract represents an
7 improper conflict of interest between the member of a county board of
8 election commissioners and the state agency.

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