

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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INTERIM STUDY PROPOSAL 2009-085

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State of Arkansas

As Engrossed: S4/3/09

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By: Senator Crumby

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Filed with: Senate Interim Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Economic Development

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pursuant to A.C.A. §10-3-217.

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For An Act To Be Entitled

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ENTERPRISE COMMUNITIES OR OTHER LOCAL ENTITIES
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AGRICULTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

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Subtitle

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

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SECTION 1. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. (a) The Senate Interim Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development and the House Interim Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development shall study the feasibility of designating rural enterprise communities or other local entities formed under the United States Department of Agriculture as entities eligible to receive state funds for the purpose of providing grants or financial assistance for services and technical assistance to improve the quality of life in rural areas.



1 (b) The Senate Interim Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and
2 Economic Development and the House Interim Committee on Agriculture,
3 Forestry, and Economic Development shall provide a report concerning the
4 findings of the study under this section to the following by November 1,
5 2010:

- 6 (1) The President Pro Tempore of the Senate; and
7 (2) The Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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9 /s/ Crumby

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