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State of Arkansas

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93rd General Assembly

**A Bill**

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SENATE BILL 86

By: Senators T. Garner, K. Hammer

By: Representatives Ladyman, M. Berry, Gonzales, Watson

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

**For An Act To Be Entitled**

AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ATHLETIC TRAINERS ACT;  
TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "ATHLETE" WITHIN THE  
ARKANSAS ATHLETIC TRAINERS ACT; AND FOR OTHER  
PURPOSES.

**Subtitle**

*TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ATHLETIC TRAINERS  
ACT; AND TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF  
"ATHLETE" WITHIN THE ARKANSAS ATHLETIC  
TRAINERS ACT.*

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 17-93-402(1), concerning the definition of  
"athlete" within the Arkansas Athletic Trainers Act, is amended to read as  
follows:

(1) "Athlete" means an individual who is participating in

either:

(A) Organized ~~organized~~ athletic or team activities at the  
interscholastic, intramural, intercollegiate, or professional level, or  
sanctioned recreational sports activities; or

(B) Activities related to law enforcement, military, or  
rescue services that require an annual physical fitness evaluation;

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*/s/T. Garner*

Referred requested by the Arkansas Senate

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