

State of Arkansas
76th General Assembly
Regular Session, 1987
By: Senator Canada

SENATE BILL 500

"AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 8 OF ACT 166 OF 1925 [ARK. STATS. 19-3710], TO PROVIDE THAT A CITY PLUMBING INSPECTOR MUST BE A RESIDENT OF THE COUNTY IN WHICH THE CITY IS LOCATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. That Section 8 of Act 166 of 1925, the same being Section 19-3710 of the Arkansas Statutes, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 8. In all cities having a system of sanitary sewerage there shall be appointed by the mayor of said city one chief plumbing inspector, and such number of deputy plumbing inspectors as the city council may designate. Said city plumbing inspector and deputy plumbing inspectors to be appointed by the mayor and approved by the city council of said city within 90 days after the passage of this law for a period of 2 years from the first of May of the year of their appointment and thereafter biennially before the first of May and shall be paid from the treasury of said city at such salaries as the authorities may designate. The duty of such officers shall be to inspect all plumbing and drainage done in their respective cities and to enforce the provisions of this act and to secure the proper performance of such work. The Chief Inspector shall preside at all meetings of the Board of Health and shall take part in the proceedings whenever said Board may have under consideration the formation and submission of rules and regulations governing the work of plumbing and drainage to be submitted to the City Council. Said Inspector shall also have the deciding voice and vote in all matters pertaining to the examination of applicants, granting of certificates whenever the remaining number of said Board fail to agree. No person shall be eligible to the office of plumbing inspector unless he shall have had at least 10 years' practical experience in the business of plumbing and he shall not be

connected in any way with any firm or corporation directly or indirectly in the business of plumbing. He shall also be a citizen and actual resident of the county in which the city in which he acts is located."

SECTION 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

