

PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF THE JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 75TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AS THE JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 76TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND ESTABLISHING SPECIAL RULES IN LIEU OF SAID JOINT RULES FOR THE INTRODUCTION AND CONSIDERATION OF THE PROPOSED "ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987."

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE 76TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

THAT the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives of the 75th General Assembly of the State of Arkansas are hereby adopted as the Joint Rules of the 76th General Assembly of the State of Arkansas.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That the following special temporary Joint Rule of the Senate and House of Representatives is adopted, in lieu of the procedures set forth in the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives, solely for the purpose of permitting the introduction and consideration of the proposed "Arkansas Code of 1987," as developed by the Michie Company under a contract with the Arkansas Statute Revision Commission pursuant to Act 641 of 1985, the same consisting of 28 titles in printed form in 29 paperbound volumes, to wit:

(1) The title of the bill and enacting clause for the enactment of the proposed "Arkansas Code of 1987" may be prepared on bill form paper and placed in the official bill jacket, and attached to one official set of the printed volumes of the proposed Arkansas Code of 1987, together with any additional pages to be attached at the end of the volumes incorporating an effective date clause and any other implementing provisions that are not a part of the printed Code, and a single copy of the same, upon being signed by the author(s) of the bill and delivered to the House of Representatives and/or Senate for introduction, may be received and filed in the same manner as any other bill is received and filed. It shall not be necessary that the official original copy of the bill, as introduced, including the printed volumes of the

proposed "Arkansas Code of 1987," which were incorporated into the bill, be perforated on the left-hand margin of each page with the notation: "Senate Original" or the notation: "House Original," otherwise required in the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives.

(2) A copy of the proposed Arkansas Code of 1987 shall be made available by the Statute Revision Commission to each member of the Senate and House of Representatives.

(3) The official bill jacket attached to the proposed Arkansas Code of 1987 shall have stamped on the back thereof the record of legislative action on the proposed bill in the same manner as action on other bills is recorded.

(4) If the bill incorporating the proposed Arkansas Code of 1987 passes one house of the General Assembly, the bill jacket and the official copies of the volumes of the proposed Arkansas Code which are attached to the bill jacket shall be transmitted to the other house for consideration in the same manner as other bills are considered.

(5) In the event the proposed Arkansas Code passes both houses of the General Assembly and is transmitted to the Governor for his signature, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall affix their manual signatures to each page of the bill which appears in the official bill jacket, and shall affix their manual signatures or facsimile signatures to each printed page of the proposed Arkansas Code in the manner provided by the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives prior to transmittal thereof to the Governor. If the Governor approves the bill, or permits the bill to become law without his signature, his signature, or such action, shall be recorded on the bill in the manner now provided.