

State of Arkansas

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A Bill

SENATE BILL

409

By: Senator Benham

For An Act To Be Entitled

"AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 21-5-405 (c) (2) TO CLARIFY THE VOTE REQUIRED FOR ACTION BY THE STATE EMPLOYEES INSURANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 21-5-405 (c) (2) is hereby amended to read as follows:

"(2) A quorum shall consist of not less than seven (7) members present at any regular or special meeting and seven (7) affirmative votes shall be required for the disposition of any business by the Committee."

SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 3. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. EMERGENCY. It is hereby found and determined by the General Assembly that the present law is not clear regarding the number of votes necessary for action by the State Insurance Advisory Committee; that this act is designed to clarify such law by clearly requiring a minimum of seven affirmative votes for disposition of any business by the committee and should be given effect immediately to enable the committee to effectively carry out its responsibilities. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.