

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **78th General Assembly**
3 **First Extraordinary Session, 1992**
4 **By: Senator Moore**

A Bill

Call Item 36
SENATE BILL II

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED §21-5-405 (c) TO
9 REDUCE TO FIVE THE NUMBER OF MEMBERS REQUIRED FOR A QUORUM
10 ON THE STATE EMPLOYEES INSURANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND
11 FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

15 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Annotated §21-5-405(c) is amended to read as
16 follows:

17 "(c) (1) The rules shall provide for regular meetings and for special
18 meetings at the call of the chairman, or the vice chairman if he is for any
19 reason the acting chairman, either at his own instance or upon a written
20 request of at least five (5) members.

21 (2) A quorum shall consist of not less than five (5) members
22 present at any regular or special meeting, and the affirmative vote of such
23 members shall be necessary for the disposition of any business.

24 (3) The committee shall meet or hold hearings at the call of the
25 chairman at a location convenient to state employees, and all such meetings
26 and hearings shall be open to the public."

28 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code 21-5-406 is hereby amended by inserting an
29 additional subsection at the end thereof to read as follows:

30 "(d) The State Employees Insurance Advisory Committee shall contract
31 only with the State Insurance Department for actuarial services."

33 SECTION 3. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
34 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
35 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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SECTION 4. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

SECTION 5. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 6. EMERGENCY. It is hereby found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that a change in the number required for a quorum on the State Employees Insurance Advisory Committee is necessary to secure the more efficient functioning of the said committee. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

/s/Sen. Moore