

1 **State of Arkansas**

2 **79th General Assembly**

3 **Regular Session, 1993**

4 **By: Representative Fairchild**

A Bill

HOUSE BILL

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7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED §12-12-312 TO
9 REQUIRE THE STATE MEDICAL EXAMINER TO PROVIDE COPIES OF AN
10 AUTOPSY REPORT TO THE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY AND CORONER
11 IN THE JURISDICTION WHERE THE DEATH OCCURRED; AND FOR
12 OTHER PURPOSES."

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Subtitle

15 "AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STATE MEDICAL EXAMINER TO PROVIDE
16 COPIES OF AUTOPSY REPORT TO LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES AND
17 CORONERS."

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

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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Annotated §12-12-312(a)(2) is amended to read
22 as follows:

23 "(2) However, a full report of the facts developed by the State Medical
24 Examiner or his assistants shall be promptly filed with the law enforcement
25 agency(ies), coroner, and prosecuting attorney of the jurisdiction in which
26 the death occurred."

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

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32 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
33 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
34 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
35 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this

1 act are declared to be severable.

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3 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
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