

1 **State of Arkansas**  
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4 **By: Senator Wilson**

# A Bill

**SENATE BILL 164**

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## 7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED TO ALLOW  
9 COLLECTION OF SALES TAX IN THE EVENT OF AN ELECTION  
10 CONTEST UNLESS ENJOINED BY COURT ORDER; AND FOR OTHER  
11 PURPOSES."

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## 13 **Subtitle**

14 "PERTAINING TO THE COLLECTION OF SALES TAX IN THE EVENT OF  
15 AN ELECTION CONTEST."

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

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19 SECTION 1. Subsection (e) of Arkansas Code Annotated §26-74-209 is  
20 hereby amended to read as follows:

21 "(e) In the event of an election challenge, the tax shall be collected  
22 as prescribed in subsection (d) of this section unless enjoined by court  
23 order. Hearings involving such litigation shall be advanced on the docket of  
24 the courts and disposed of at the earliest feasible time."

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26 SECTION 2. Subsection (e) of Arkansas Code Annotated §26-74-309 is  
27 hereby amended as follows:

28 "(e) In the event of an election challenge, the tax shall be collected  
29 as prescribed in subsection (d) of this section unless enjoined by court  
30 order. Hearings involving such litigation shall be advanced on the docket of  
31 the courts and disposed of at the earliest practicable time."

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33 SECTION 3. Subsection (e) of Arkansas Code §26-74-404 is hereby amended  
34 to read as follows:

35 "(e) In the event of an election challenge, the tax shall be collected

1 as prescribed in subsection (d) of this section unless enjoined by court  
2 order. Hearings involving such litigation shall be advanced on the docket of  
3 the courts and disposed of at the earliest feasible time."

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5 SECTION 4. Subsection (2) of Arkansas Code Annotated §26-75-209 is  
6 hereby amended to read as follows:

7 "(2) In the event of an election contest, the tax shall be collected as  
8 prescribed in subsection (1) of this section unless enjoined by court order.  
9 Hearings of such matters of litigation shall be advanced on the docket of the  
10 courts and disposed of at the earliest feasible time."

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12 SECTION 5. Subsection (2) of Arkansas Code Annotated §26-75-309 is  
13 hereby amended to read as follows:

14 "(2) In the event of an election contest, the tax shall be collected as  
15 prescribed in subsection (1) of this section unless enjoined by court order.  
16 Hearings of such matters of litigation shall be advanced on the docket of the  
17 courts and disposed of at the earliest practicable time."

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19 SECTION 6. Subsection (d) (3) (B) (ii) of Arkansas Code Annotated §26-75-  
20 404 is hereby amended as follows:

21 "(ii) In the event of an election contest, the tax shall be collected  
22 as prescribed in subsection (d) (3) (B) (i)."

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24 SECTION 7. Subsection (b) (2) of Arkansas Code Annotated §26-81-106 is  
25 amended to read as follows:

26 "(2) In the event of an election challenge, the tax shall be collected  
27 as prescribed in subsection (a) (2) of this section unless enjoined by court  
28 order. Hearings involving such litigation shall be advanced on the docket of  
29 the courts and disposed of at the earliest feasible time."

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31 SECTION 8. Subsection (b) (2) of Arkansas Code Annotated §14-164-329 is  
32 amended to read as follows:

33 "(2) In the event of an election contest, the tax shall be collected as  
34 prescribed in subsection (b) (1) of this section unless enjoined by court  
35 order."

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2        SECTION 9. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature  
3 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code  
4 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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6        SECTION 10. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to  
7 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect  
8 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without  
9 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
10 act are declared to be severable.

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12        SECTION 11. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are  
13 hereby repealed.

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*/s/ Senator Wilson*

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