

1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **79th General Assembly**  
3 **Regular Session, 1993**

# A Bill

**SENATE BILL**

4 **By: Senators Bookout and Gwatney**

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

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 17-93-408(c) TO INCREASE  
9 THE DELINQUENT PENALTY FOR ANNUAL REGISTRATION FOR  
10 LICENSES FROM THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD."

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## **Subtitle**

13 "TO INCREASE THE DELINQUENT PENALTY FOR REGISTRATION WITH  
14 THE STATE MEDICAL BOARD."

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

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18 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 17-93-408(c) is amended to read as follows:

19 "(c) Any delinquent licentiate may be reinstated by paying all  
20 delinquent fees and a penalty of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) for each year or  
21 part thereof that he has been delinquent."

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

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27 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to  
28 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect  
29 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without  
30 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
31 act are declared to be severable.

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33 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are  
34 hereby repealed.

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1           SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
2 Seventy-Ninth General Assembly that individuals who hold a license to practice  
3 medicine in the State of Arkansas should be permitted to be reinstated upon  
4 the payment of fees and a penalty. Therefore, immediate effect should be  
5 given this measure and an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act  
6 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
7 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and  
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