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2 80th General Assembly
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4 By: Representative Owens

A Bill

HOUSE BILL

1457

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For An Act To Be Entitled

7 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE INCREASED INCENTIVES FOR RECRUITING
8 QUALIFIED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AS INSTRUCTORS AT THE
9 ARKANSAS LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING ACADEMY BY GRANTING
10 GENERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AUTHORITY AND AUTHORIZING CREDITED
11 SERVICE TOWARD CERTIFICATION LEVELS AND LAW ENFORCEMENT
12 SERVICE FOR TIME EMPLOYED AT THE ACADEMY; AND FOR OTHER
13 PURPOSES."

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Subtitle

15 "TO PROVIDE INCREASED INCENTIVES FOR
16 RECRUITING QUALIFIED LAW ENFORCEMENT
17 OFFICERS AS INSTRUCTORS AT THE LAW
18 ENFORCEMENT TRAINING ACADEMY."

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

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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Annotated § 12-9-204 is hereby amended to
23 read as follows:

24 "12-9-204. Academy instructors - Law enforcement powers.

25 (a) All teaching and instruction personnel at the Arkansas Law
26 Enforcement Training Academy at Camden, Arkansas, are classified and
27 designated law enforcement officers.

28 (b) These personnel shall have and exercise all authority and
29 functions of other law enforcement officers in the state of Arkansas. They
30 shall have general law enforcement authority to cooperate with, assist, and
31 support local law enforcement officers in all law enforcement activities and
32 functions.

33 (c) These personnel shall be credited with service toward maintaining

1 and increasing certification levels for time employed at the Arkansas Law
2 Enforcement Training Academy and, upon employment as law enforcement officers
3 elsewhere in the state of Arkansas, shall receive credit for years of law
4 enforcement service for time employed at the academy."

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

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10 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
11 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
12 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
13 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
14 act are declared to be severable.

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

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