

1 State of Arkansas
2 80th General Assembly
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4 By: Representatives Cunningham and Miller

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1793

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7 For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO DESIGNATE A STATE HEALTH BOARD POSITION FOR AN
9 OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN; TO REVISE THE CRITERIA FOR LICENSED
10 MEDICAL DOCTOR APPOINTMENTS TO THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH;
11 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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13 Subtitle

14 "TO DESIGNATE A STATE HEALTH BOARD
15 POSITION FOR AN OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN
16 AND REVISE THE CRITERIA FOR LICENSED
17 MEDICAL DOCTOR APPOINTMENTS TO THE STATE
18 BOARD OF HEALTH."

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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 20-7-102(a)(1) is amended to read as follows:*
23 "(1)(A) Seven (7) members of the State Board of Health shall be
24 licensed medical doctors of good professional standing to be appointed by the
25 Governor as follows: One (1) member shall be appointed from each of the four
26 (4) congressional districts of this state as established by Ark. Code Ann. §
27 7-2-101, et seq., and three (3) members shall be appointed from the state at
28 large from a list of not less than three (3) names presented for each
29 position by the Arkansas Medical Society.

30 (B) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 1(A), at least one
31 (1) of the positions allocated for licensed medical doctors shall be an
32 osteopathic physician appointed from a list of not less than three (3) names
33 presented to the Governor by the Arkansas Osteopathic Medical Association
34 from the state at large."

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

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5 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
6 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
7 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
8 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
9 act are declared to be severable.

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

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14 /s/Rep. Cunningham, et al

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