

1 State of Arkansas  
2 80th General Assembly  
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4 By: Representative Allen

# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1925

## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND THE VENDING DEVICES DECAL ACT OF 1993 TO  
9 CREATE AN ADDITIONAL FEE CLASSIFICATION FOR MANUALLY-  
10 POWERED VENDING DEVICES; TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE  
11 DECAL FEES FOR CERTAIN CLASSIFICATIONS OF VENDING DEVICES,  
12 INCREMENTALLY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

## Subtitle

15 "TO AMEND THE VENDING DEVICES DECAL ACT  
16 OF 1993 TO CREATE AN ADDITIONAL FEE  
17 CLASSIFICATION FOR MANUALLY-POWERED  
18 VENDING DEVICES; TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT  
19 OF THE DECAL FEES FOR CERTAIN  
20 CLASSIFICATIONS OF VENDING DEVICES."

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

24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 26-57-1006(a)(1), is amended to read as  
25 follows:

26 "(a)(1) Every person who operates, and who makes available to the  
27 public for use and operation, vending devices described in this subchapter,  
28 *and who elects to be covered by the provisions of this subchapter*, shall pay  
29 to the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration for the  
30 benefit of the state and its municipalities and counties the following annual  
31 vending device decal fee for each such vending device before such vending  
32 device may be placed within the state for use by members of the public:

33 (A) For each coin-operated snack foods vending device  
34 requiring a coin or thing of value of twenty-five cents (25¢) or more for a  
35 sale, ninety dollars (\$90.00);

1 (B) For each coin-operated canned or bottled drink vending  
2 device requiring a coin or thing of value of twenty-five cents (25¢) or more  
3 for a sale, seventydollars (\$70.00);

4 (C) For each coin-operated vending device requiring a coin  
5 or thing of value of less than twenty-five cents (25¢) for a sale, fourteen  
6 dollars (\$14.00);

7 (D) For each coin-operated bulk vending device requiring a  
8 coin or thing of value of more than twenty-five cents (25¢) for a sale,  
9 sevendollars (\$7.00);

10 (E) For each coin-operated bulk vending device requiring a  
11 coin or thing of value of twenty-five cents (25¢) or less for a sale, two  
12 dollars and fifty cents (\$2.50); and

13 (F) For each coin-operated manually-powered vending  
14 device, coin-operated tabletop snack vending device, or other coin-operated  
15 vending device requiring a coin or thing of value of twenty-five cents (25¢)  
16 or more for a sale, thirty-five dollars (\$35.00)."

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

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22 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to  
23 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect  
24 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without  
25 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
26 act are declared to be severable.

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

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31 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY. It is found and determined by the General  
32 Assembly of the State of Arkansas that it appears the Vending Devices Decal  
33 Act of 1993 has not (during its first two years) generated the total amount  
34 of revenue envisioned by the General Assembly in 1993, at the time of passage  
35 of *that Act; but if the* various annual vending decal fees are incrementally

1 increased as provided for in this Act *adequate revenue will be generated*; and  
2 it further appears that such revenue is needed for the preservation of the  
3 public peace, health and safety of the citizens of this state, an emergency  
4 is hereby declared, and this Act shall be in full force and effect on and  
5 after July 1, 1995.

6 */s/Rep. Allen*

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