

1 State of Arkansas  
2 80th General Assembly  
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4 By: Representatives Molinaro, D. Wood and Bennett

# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2078

## For An Act To Be Entitled

"AN ACT TO EXEMPT FROM THE WATERWORKS LICENSING LAW  
PERSONS WHO HAVE WORKED FOR AT LEAST *TEN (10)* YEARS IN THE  
LINE OF WORK THAT REQUIRES LICENSING UNDER THAT LAW; AND  
FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

## Subtitle

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

SECTION 1. Any person who is required to be licensed under chapter 44 of title 17 of the Arkansas Code pertaining to waterworks operators shall be exempted from such licensing requirement provided that the person has performed the work subject to licensing for at least *ten (10)* years prior to the effective date of this act.

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

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

1 act are declared to be severable.

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4 hereby repealed.

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6 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY. It is hereby found and determined by the  
7 General Assembly that some people who are required to be licensed under the  
8 waterworks operators licensing law have worked in the area requiring  
9 licensure for a sufficient number of years to justify them being exempted  
10 from the licensing requirements of that law; that this act establishes such  
11 exemption; and that this act should go into effect as soon as possible to  
12 give recognition to the work experience of the individuals covered hereby and  
13 to avoid them bearing unnecessary licensure burdens. Therefore, an emergency  
14 is hereby declared to exist and this act being necessary for the immediate  
15 preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force  
16 and effect from and after its passage and approval.

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