1	State of Arkansas		
2	81st General Assembly A Bill		
3	Regular Session, 1997	HOUSE BILL	2246
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5	By: Representative Young		
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8	For An Act To Be Entitled		
9	"AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND		
10	ADMINISTRATION AND THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO ALLOW		
11	FRANCHISE TAXPAYERS TO PAY THEIR STATE FRANCHISE TAX (ON AN	
12	INCOME TAX RETURN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."		
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16	AND ADMINISTRATION AND THE SECRETARY OF		
17	STATE TO ALLOW FRANCHISE TAXPAYERS TO		
18	PAY THEIR STATE FRANCHISE TAX ON AN		
19	INCOME TAX RETURN."		
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21	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSA	\S:	
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23	SECTION 1. Effective January 1, 1999, franchise taxpay	ers shall hav	<u>ve</u>
24	the option of paying state franchise taxes on their income ta	x returns.	The
25	Department of Finance and Administration and the Secretary of	State shall	
26	cooperate in promulgating rules and regulations to effective	y administer	this
27	act.		
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29	SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and	l permanent na	ature
30	are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the	Arkansas Coo	de
31	Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.		
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33	SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the applica	ation thereof	to
34	any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity s	shall not affe	ect
35	other provisions or applications of the act which can be give	en effect with	nout
36	the invalid provision or application, and to this end the pro-	visions of th	nis

1 act are declared to be severable. 3 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are 4 hereby repealed.