

1 State of Arkansas  
2 81st General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1997

## A Bill

SENATE BILL 275

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5 By: Senator Wilson  
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### For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED § 8-5-209(b) TO  
10 ALLOW FOR THE DEPOSITING OF WASTE WATER LICENSING REVENUES  
11 INTO THE STATE TREASURY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."  
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### Subtitle

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14 "TO ALLOW FOR THE DEPOSITING OF WASTE  
15 WATER LICENSING REVENUES INTO THE STATE  
16 TREASURY."  
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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20 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Annotated § 8-5-209(b) is amended to read as  
21 follows:

22 "(b) ~~All of the fees shall be deposited in a special fund in a bank in~~  
23 ~~this state to be designated by the commission~~ The Wastewater Licensing Fund is  
24 hereby established on the books of the Treasurer of State, Auditor of State,  
25 and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State. All fees collected under the  
26 provisions of this section shall be deposited into this fund and may be used  
27 only for administration of this subchapter."  
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29 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature  
30 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code  
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 application thereof to  
34 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect  
35 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without  
36 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4 hereby repealed.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 General  
7 Assembly that the provisions of this act are of major importance to the  
8 states best interest to have all revenues of the Department of Pollution  
9 Control and Ecology deposited into the State Treasury for better  
10 accountability of financial resources. Therefore, an emergency is declared to  
11 exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the  
12 public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and  
13 after July 1, 1997.

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