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5 By: Senator Walters

A Bill

SENATE BILL 319

For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 11-10-703 TO PROVIDE THAT
10 EMPLOYERS SEPARATE ACCOUNTS SHALL NOT BE CHARGED FOR
11 UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS FOR EMPLOYEES TERMINATED,
12 VOLUNTARILY OR INVOLUNTARILY, DURING THE FIRST NINETY (90)
13 DAYS OF EMPLOYMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

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16 ACCOUNTS SHALL NOT BE CHARGED FOR
17 UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS FOR EMPLOYEES
18 TERMINATED, VOLUNTARILY OR
19 INVOLUNTARILY, DURING THE FIRST NINETY
20 (90) DAYS OF EMPLOYMENT."
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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25 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 11-10-703(a)(3) is amended to read as follows:

26 "(3) However, regular benefit payments shall not be charged to the
27 separate account of any employer if the employer provides the director with
28 notices regarding separation from work as are required by regulations of the
29 director if the director finds that:

30 (A) The claimant voluntarily left the employer without good cause
31 connected with the work; or

32 (B) The claimant was discharged by the employer for misconduct
33 connected with the work- ; or

34 (C) If the employee was terminated, voluntarily or involuntarily,
35 within the first ninety (90) days of employment."

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1 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
2 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
3 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12 hereby repealed.

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