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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1124

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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 17-50-104 TO INCREASE
10 FROM THIRTY DAYS TO NINETY DAYS THE TIME IN WHICH A
11 WATER WELL CONTRACTOR MUST NOTIFY THE COMMISSION ON
12 WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION OF THE CONSTRUCTION OF A WATER
13 WELL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."
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Subtitle

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17 DAYS THE TIME IN WHICH A WATER WELL
18 CONTRACTOR MUST NOTIFY THE COMMISSION ON
19 WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION OF THE
20 CONSTRUCTION OF A WATER WELL."
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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 17-50-104 is amended to read as follows:

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27 "17-50-104. Violations.

28 (a) It shall be unlawful and a violation of this chapter, unless
29 exempted under the provisions of §§ 17-50-107(b) and 17-50-108(b), for:

30 (1) Any person to engage in the construction, alteration, repair,
31 or installation of a pump or water well, unless the work is performed under
32 the supervision of an individual licensed or certified by the commission in
33 the construction, alteration, repair, or installation of water wells and pump
34 equipment;

35 (2) Any water well contractor to fail to deliver to the
36 commission, within ~~thirty (30)~~ ninety (90) days after completion of the

1 construction of a water well, upon forms supplied by the commission, a report
2 on water well construction containing such information as may be requested by
3 appropriate rules and regulations of the commission;

4 (3) Any person to install, construct, repair, or alter a water
5 well or water well pumping equipment which is not in compliance with
6 appropriate rules and regulations or is a health hazard;

7 (4) A person to operate a rig without a permit as prescribed in §
8 17-50-310; or

9 (5) A person to enter into a contract for the construction of a
10 water well or pump installation or hold himself out in the business as a water
11 well contractor without posting bond or bond fee and holding a license as
12 provided in §§ 17-50-304 - 17-50-309.

13 (b) Every day, or any part of a day, in which a violation occurs shall
14 constitute a separate offense."

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

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

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

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