

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 82nd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1999

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2033

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5 By: Representative Hathorn
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 9-15-203(a) RELATING TO
10 THE FURNISHING OF FORMS AND CLERICAL ASSISTANCE TO
11 PERSONS WISHING TO FILE PETITIONS UNDER THE DOMESTIC
12 ABUSE ACT OF 1991; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

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16 CLERICAL ASSISTANCE TO PERSONS WISHING
17 TO FILE PETITIONS UNDER THE DOMESTIC
18 ABUSE ACT OF 1991."
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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23 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 9-15-203(a) is amended to read as follows:

24 "(a) The ~~clerks of the court~~ prosecuting attorneys shall provide
25 simplified forms and clerical assistance to help petitioners with the writing
26 and filing of ~~a petition~~ petitions under this chapter if the petitioner is not
27 represented by counsel."
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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4 hereby repealed.

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