State of Arkansas 1 A Bill 2 82nd General Assembly 3 Regular Session, 1999 HOUSE BILL 2250 4 5 By: Representative Hausam 6 7 For An Act To Be Entitled 8 9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 12-9-108 (b)(4)(A) TO AUTHORIZE PRIVATE OR PUBLIC CORPORATIONS, 10 ASSOCIATIONS, OR OTHER ENTITIES, WHETHER CHARITABLE, 11 12 NON-PROFIT OR FOR PROFIT, TO EMPLOY PERSONS TO ISSUE CITATIONS FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF PARKING VIOLATIONS 13 OCCURRING WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY; AND 14 FOR OTHER PURPOSES." 15 16 Subtitle 17 "TO AUTHORIZE PRIVATE OR PUBLIC 18 CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, OR OTHER 19 20 ENTITIES TO EMPLOY PERSONS TO ISSUE CITATIONS FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF PARKING 21 22 VIOLATIONS OCCURRING WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY." 23 24 25 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS: 26 27 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 12-9-108(b)(4)(A) is amended, ab initio, to 28 29 read as follows: ''(4)(A) Cities of the first and second class and incorporated towns are 30 31 authorized to employ persons or to contract with private or public 32 corporations, associations, or other entities whether charitable, non-profit 33 or for profit, that employ persons who do not meet certification requirements prescribed by the Arkansas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and 34 35 Training to enforce and execute any or all provisions of a municipal parking enforcement ordinance, including but not limited to, the issue issuance of 36

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citations, for parking violations occurring within the corporate limits of the 1 2 city or town the collection of fines, and any other parking enforcement 3 process or procedure as may be established by ordinance of the municipality." 4 5 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code 6 7 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code. 8 9 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect 10 11 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without 12 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this 13 act are declared to be severable. 14 15 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are 16 hereby repealed. 17 18 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the 19 Eighty-second General Assembly that it is essential to the effective and 20 efficient administration and enforcement of parking ordinances in municipalities that such municipalities be permitted to employ enforcement 21 22 personnel who do not meet the certification requirements of the Arkansas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards or to contract for such services by 23 24 noncertified enforcement personnel; that this act is designed to permit municipalities to employ or contract for the services and should be given 25 effect immediately to enable municipalities to provide for the proper 26 enforcement of such ordinances. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist 27 28 and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public 29 peace, health and safety shall become effective on the date of its approval by 30 the Governor. If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it 31 shall become effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the 32 veto is overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house 33 34 overrides the veto.

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