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5 *By: Representatives Scrimshire, Faris*

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8 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

9 "TO EXPRESS THE INTENTION OF THE HOUSE OF  
10 REPRESENTATIVES REGARDING THE ENFORCEMENT OF ARKANSAS  
11 STATUTES RESTRICTING THE EMPLOYMENT OF FORMER STATE  
12 EMPLOYEES. "

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14 **Subtitle**

15 "TO EXPRESS THE INTENTION OF THE HOUSE OF  
16 REPRESENTATIVES REGARDING EMPLOYMENT  
17 RESTRICTIONS OF FORMER STATE EMPLOYEES. "

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20 *WHEREAS, it is important for this Eighty-second General Assembly to*  
21 *ensure that state employees follow ethical practices in their current*  
22 *employment, as well as after they leave state employment; and*

23 *WHEREAS, it is essential that state employees follow provisions of the*  
24 *Governor's Executive Order 98-04; and*

25 *WHEREAS, state law requires that state employees disclose any benefit*  
26 *they receive from a state contract with a business in which they have a*  
27 *financial interest; and*

28 *WHEREAS, state law permanently restricts former state employees from*  
29 *acting as a principal or an agent for anyone other than the state on a*  
30 *particular matter involved with any judicial or other proceeding, contract,*  
31 *claim or charge, or controversy; and*

32 *WHEREAS, state law restricts former state employees within one (1) year*  
33 *of leaving state employment from acting as a principal or agent for anyone*  
34 *other than the state on general matters within their responsibilities as a*  
35 *state employee; and*

36 *WHEREAS, state law restricts a partner of a state employee from acting*

1 as a principal or agent for anyone other than the state in a matter involving  
2 any judicial or other proceeding, contract, claim or charge, or controversy;  
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4 WHEREAS, state law restricts a partner of a former state employee from  
5 acting as a principal or agent for anyone other than the state in a matter  
6 involving any judicial or other proceeding, contract, claim or charge, or  
7 controversy; and

8 WHEREAS, state law provides felony penalties for violations of  
9 restrictions on current or former state employees and their business partners,

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11 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-SECOND GENERAL  
12 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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14 THAT all state agency directors be admonished to see to it that all  
15 current and former employees within their agencies adhere to restrictions  
16 contained in Governor's Executive Order 98-04 and Arkansas Code Annotated  
17 Sections 19-11-706 and 19-11-709; and

18 THAT all state agency directors see to it that all current and former  
19 employees within their agencies are aware of felony penalties contained in  
20 A.C.A. Section 19-11-702 for failure to abide by the restrictions.

21 /s/ Scrimshire, et al  
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