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2 82nd General Assembly
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A Bill

SENATE BILL 812

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5 By: Senator Dowd
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED § 8-1-103;
10 FOR THE PURPOSE OF MODIFYING THE SET WATER PERMIT
11 FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

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14 "AN ACT TO AMEND WATER PERMIT FEES."
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17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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19 SECTION 1. Section 8-1-103(1)(B)(i) is amended to read as follows:

20 "(i) All fees will be capped at no more than
21 the appropriation. Provided, however, in setting reasonable permit fees, the
22 commission shall ~~not~~:

23 (a)(1) Set water permit fees calculated
24 to generate revenues in any fiscal year ~~that exceed~~ greater than three and
25 one-quarter (3.25) times the total amount collected from water permit fees in
26 fiscal year 1992-93.

27 (2) Provided, water permit fee
28 revenues generated through permits issued for new facilities which are
29 permitted after July 1, 1995, shall not be subject to the overall fee cap
30 specified for water permit fees herein; or

31 (b)(1) Set solid waste permit fees for
32 Class I and Class III landfills calculated to generate revenues in any fiscal
33 year that exceed four and one-quarter (4.25) times the total amount of permit
34 fees collected from Class I and Class III solid waste landfills in fiscal year
35 1992-93. Effective July 1, 2000, set water permit fees calculated to generate
36 no revenues in any fiscal year greater than three and five-tenths (3.5) times

1 the total amount collected from water permit fees in fiscal year 1992-93.
2 Provided however, effective July 1, 2001, water permit fee revenues may be
3 increased up to three percent (3%) per year.

4 (2) Provided, that the total fee
5 revenues cannot exceed one and one-quarter (1.25) times the total amount
6 collected from solid waste permit fees in fiscal year 1994-95.”

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

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12 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
13 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not effect
14 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
15 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
16 act are declared to be severable.

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18 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
19 repealed.