

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

SENATE BILL 855

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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 TITLE 8, CHAPTER 1 OF THE ARKANSAS
10 CODE TO ADD A NEW SECTION CONCERNING THE ENFORCEMENT
11 OF CRIMINAL PENALTIES UNDER STATE ENVIRONMENTAL
12 PROTECTION LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

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15 "TO AMEND TITLE 8, CHAPTER 1 OF THE
16 ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING CRIMINAL
17 PENALTIES."
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. Title 8, Chapter 1 of Arkansas Code Annotated is amended to
23 add the following new section to be numbered by the Arkansas Code Revision
24 Commission:

25 "Criminal penalties – enforcement.

26 The Attorney General shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the
27 prosecuting attorneys of this state to commence and prosecute, at the Attorney
28 General's discretion, any criminal action under Title 8 of Arkansas Code
29 Annotated."
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31 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
32 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
33 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.
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35 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
36 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect

1 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
2 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
3 act are declared to be severable.

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6 hereby repealed.

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