

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 83rd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2001
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As Engrossed: H1/23/01

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1073

5 By: Representative Prater
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO PROVIDE WHEN A PETITION IS FILED AS
10 AUTHORIZED IN AMENDMENT 38 TO THE ARKANSAS
11 CONSTITUTION AS AMENDED, ASKING THAT THE
12 QUESTION OF THE LEVY, INCREASE, DECREASE OR
13 REPEAL OF A COUNTY LIBRARY TAX BE SUBMITTED TO
14 THE ELECTORS AND THE PETITION OR THE SPONSOR OF
15 THE PETITION REQUESTS THAT THE QUESTION BE
16 SUBMITTED AT A SPECIAL ELECTION, THE COUNTY
17 QUORUM COURT MAY REQUIRE THE SPONSOR OF THE
18 PETITION TO PAY A FEE NOT TO EXCEED TWO THOUSAND
19 DOLLARS WHICH SHALL BE USED TO OFFSET A PORTION
20 OF THE COST OF CALLING AND CONDUCTING A SPECIAL
21 ELECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

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23 *AUTHORIZING COUNTY QUORUM COURTS TO*
24 *ESTABLISH FILING FEES NOT TO EXCEED TWO*
25 *THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR PETITIONS FOR A*
26 *SPECIAL ELECTION TO LEVY, INCREASE,*
27 *DECREASE OR REPEAL A COUNTY LIBRARY TAX.*
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31 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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33 SECTION 1. When a petition is filed as authorized in Amendment 38 to
34 the Arkansas Constitution as amended by Amendment 72, to submit to the
35 electors of a county the question of levying, increasing, decreasing or
36 repealing a county library tax, and the petition or the sponsor of the
37 petition requests that the question be submitted at a special election, the
38 sponsor of the petition may be required by the county quorum court to pay a
39 filing fee not to exceed two thousand dollars (\$2,000) which shall be used to

1 offset a portion of the cost of calling and conducting the special election.

2 */s/ Prater*

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