

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

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2479

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5 By: Representative Magnus
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 12-27-114 TO
10 PRESCRIBE THE REIMBURSEMENT RATE FOR STATE
11 INMATES IN COUNTY JAILS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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14 AN ACT TO PRESCRIBE THE REIMBURSEMENT
15 RATE FOR STATE INMATES IN COUNTY JAILS.
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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20 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 12-27-114(a), concerning reimbursements to
21 county jails for state inmates, is amended to read as follows:

22 (a)~~(1)~~ In the event the Department of Correction cannot accept inmates
23 from county jails due to insufficient bed space, the department shall
24 reimburse the counties at ~~rates determined by the Board of Correction and~~
25 ~~Community Punishment~~ a rate of thirty-two dollars (\$32.00) per inmate per
26 day. ~~The prevailing rate of the county jail will be considered by the board~~
27 ~~in determining the rate to be reimbursed.~~

28 ~~(2)(A)~~ ~~In the event the Department of Community Punishment~~
29 ~~cannot accept inmates from county jails due to insufficient bed space or~~
30 ~~shall have an inmate confined in a county jail under any prerelease program,~~
31 ~~the department shall reimburse the counties at a rate determined by the Board~~
32 ~~of Correction and Community Punishment until the appropriation provided for~~
33 ~~such purpose is exhausted.~~

34 ~~(B)~~ ~~The prevailing rate of the county jail will be~~
35 ~~considered by the board in determining the rate to be reimbursed.~~
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