1 State of Arkansas A Bill 2 83rd General Assembly HOUSE BILL 2614 3 Regular Session, 2001 4 5 By: Representative Carson 6 7 For An Act To Be Entitled 8 AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF CARE FOR 9 ELDERCHOICES CLIENTS AND INDIVIDUALS WITH 10 11 DISABILITIES BY PROHIBITING PRIVATE FOR-PROFIT AND PRIVATE NON-PROFIT AGENCIES FROM USING IN-12 13 HOME ALDES UNDER INDIVIDUAL OR TEMPORARY CONTRACTS: AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. 14 15 16 Subtitle 17 AN ACT TO PROHIBIT PRIVATE ELDERCHOICES 18 19 AND DISABILITY CARE AGENCIES FROM USING 20 IN-HOME AIDES UNDER INDIVIDUAL OR 21 TEMPORARY CONTRACTS. 22 23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS: 24 25 26 SECTION 1. No entity which provides services in the home of 27 individuals and who is designated by the Division of Aging and Adult Services of the Department of Human Services as an ElderChoices provider, nor any 28 employment agency which hires or procures, on behalf of another entity or 29 organization, individuals who provide services in the home and are designated 30 by the division as ElderChoices providers, whether or not the entity has 31 32 applied for or possesses any license or certification necessary for 33 operation, shall employ in-home aides under individual or temporary 34 contracts. 35 36

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