

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  
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3 Regular Session, 2001

# A Bill

SENATE BILL 184

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5 By: Senator Gullett  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE 25-17-212 REGARDING THE  
10 APPOINTMENT AND POWERS OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF  
11 DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION INSTITUTIONS; AND FOR OTHER  
12 PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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15 REGARDING THE APPOINTMENT AND POWERS OF  
16 SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENT OF  
17 CORRECTION INSTITUTIONS.  
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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23 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 25-17-212 is repealed:

24 ~~25-17-212. Appointment and powers of superintendents.~~

25 ~~(a) The Board of Correction and Community Punishment shall select the~~  
26 ~~superintendent of the institution committed to its care and shall exercise~~  
27 ~~those powers of supervision and control which are not hereinafter specifically~~  
28 ~~reserved to the superintendent.~~

29 ~~(b) The superintendent shall be required to give his entire time to the~~  
30 ~~management and operation of the institution and shall be selected because of~~  
31 ~~his previous training and fitness to care for the institution entrusted to his~~  
32 ~~care.~~

33 ~~(c) The Board of Correction and Community Punishment shall fix the~~  
34 ~~salaries of officers and employees not already fixed by law.~~

35 ~~(d)(1) The superintendent authorized by subsection (a) of this section~~  
36 ~~shall be required to give bond and a sum fixed by the Board of Correction and~~

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1 ~~Community Punishment, payable to the State of Arkansas, for the faithful~~  
2 ~~discharge of his duties and the proper accounting for all money and property~~  
3 ~~coming into his possession in his capacity as superintendent.~~

4 ~~(2) The bond shall be made by any surety company authorized to do~~  
5 ~~business in Arkansas, approved by the Governor, filed in the office of the~~  
6 ~~Secretary of State, and paid for by the state out of current expenses~~  
7 ~~appropriated to the institution.~~

8 ~~(e) The immediate conduct and management of the institution shall be~~  
9 ~~entrusted to the superintendent.~~

10 ~~(f)(1) The superintendent shall have power to select and engage all~~  
11 ~~employees of the institution at salaries fixed by the governing board,~~  
12 ~~reporting the selections for approval to the board at the next regular meeting~~  
13 ~~thereof.~~

14 ~~(2) The superintendent shall have the sole power to remove~~  
15 ~~employees of the institution and may remove any employee at any time in his~~  
16 ~~discretion for cause, but in case of removal for cause, he shall report the~~  
17 ~~removal and the grounds therefor to the governing board.~~

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