

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.

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A Bill

SENATE BILL 876

5 By: Senator Fitch
6 By: *Representative Bookout*
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For An Act To Be Entitled

10 AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE *APPLICATION OF* THE ARKANSAS
11 FRANCHISE PRACTICES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 TO CLARIFY THE *APPLICATION OF* THE
15 ARKANSAS FRANCHISE PRACTICES ACT.
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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 4-72-203 is amended to read as follows:*

21 *4-72-203. Applicability of subchapter.*

22 *This subchapter applies only to a franchise entered into, renewed, or*
23 *transferred after March 4, 1977, the performance of which contemplates or*
24 *requires the franchise to establish or maintain a place of business within*
25 *the State of Arkansas. However, the provisions of this subchapter shall not*
26 *apply to those business relations, actions, transactions, or franchises*
27 *subject to the provisions of §§ 4-72-401 - 4-72-403 and §§ 4-72-501 - 4-72-*
28 *503, or which are subject to the Federal Trade Commission regulations*
29 *"Disclosure Requirements and Prohibitions Concerning Franchising and Business*
30 *Opportunity Ventures", 16 C.F.R. 436.1 et seq., or to those entities licensed*
31 *by the Federal Communications Commission.*

32 */s/ Fitch*
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