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2	83rd General Assembly	A Bill	
3	Regular Session, 2001		SENATE BILL 948
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5	By: Senator DeLay		
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8	For An Act To Be Entitled		
9	AN ACT TO EMPOWER THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION		
10	COMMISSION TO ENACT MEDICAL GUIDELINES REGARDING		
11	OCCUPATIONAL CARPAL TUNNEL SYNDROME; AND FOR		
12	OTHER PURPO	SES.	
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21	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENER	RAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF	ARKANSAS:
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23	SECTION 1. The Workers' Compensation Commission shall be empowered to		
24	enact medical diagnostic and treatment guidelines and to define "objective		
25	findings" regarding occupational carpal tunnel syndrome, pursuant to its		
26	rulemaking authority, upon the joint recommendation of the Arkansas AFL-CIO		
27	and the Arkansas State Cha	amber of Commerce.	
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