1   State of Arkansas

2   84th General Assembly

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5   By: Representative King

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8   **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**

9   AN ACT TO AMEND § 9(b) OF AMENDMENT 51 TO THE

10   ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION REGARDING THE APPLICATION

11   TO REGISTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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13   **Subtitle**

14   AN ACT TO AMEND § 9(b) OF AMENDMENT 51

15   TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION.

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17   BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-FOURTH GENERAL

18   ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND BY THE SENATE, A MAJORITY OF ALL

19   MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

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21   That the following is hereby proposed as an amendment to the

22   Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the

23   electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election

24   for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting

25   thereon at such election, adopt such amendment, the same shall become a part

26   of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

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28   SECTION 1. Under the authority granted in §19 of Amendment 51 to the

29   Arkansas Constitution, § 9(b) of Amendment 51 to the Arkansas Constitution,

30   regarding the application to register, is amended to read as follows:

31   (b)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (b)(2) of this section,

32   Registration registration shall be in progress at all times except during the

33   thirty-day period immediately prior to any election scheduled within the

34   county, during which period registration of voters shall cease for that

35   election, but registration during such period shall be effective for

36   subsequent elections.

1   (2) If a voter moves from one county to another, the voter may
2 transfer his or her registration at any time and is not required to re-
3 register upon moving within the state.
4   (3) Upon notification of the voter's new address, the county
5 registrar shall verify the voter's status from the statewide voter file and
6 update the voter's address.
7   (4) After the voter's address is updated, the voter shall be a
8 registrant of the new county of residence.
9   (5) All voter history shall follow the transferring registrant
10 from the statewide voter file.
11   (6) The General Assembly shall prescribe the procedures for the
12 transfer of registration.
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