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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By: Representative Reep

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MEMBERSHIP ON THE BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES; TO PROVIDE FOR APPOINTMENTS TO THE BOARD BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

## AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MEMBERSHIP ON THE BOARD OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 20-48-203 is amended to read as follows:
20-48-203. Board of Developmental Disabilities Services - Creation Members.
(a)(1) The Board of Developmental Disabilities Services shall consist of seven (7) nine (9) members, at least one (1) of whom shall be a woman, who shall be citizens and residents of the State of Arkansas and more than twenty-five (25) years of age.
(2) One (l) of the members shall be a resident of each of the six (6) former congressional districts established by Acts 1951, No. 297 [repealed].
(3) The seventh ninth shall be a member at large.
(b) Upon completion of the term of each member, a successor shall be appointed for a term of seven (7) years.
(c) Appointment to fill a vacancy arising other than by expiration of a term of office shall be for the unexpired portion thereof.
(d)(1) Appointment shall be made by the The Governor shall appoint seven (7) members with the advice and consent of the Senate.
(2) One (1) member shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.
(3) One (1) member shall be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.
(e) The board shall serve without compensation, except that each board member may receive expense reimbursement and stipends in accordance with § 25-16-901 et seq.

