State of Arkansas
85th General Assembly

## A Bill

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HOUSE BILL 2739

By: Representative Cowling

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT CONCERNING REAPPLICATIONS FOR PERMITS TO
ALLOW THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES BY PRIVATE CLUBS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle<br>AN ACT CONCERNING REAPPLICATIONS FOR PERMITS TO ALLOW THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES BY PRIVATE CLUBS.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 3-9-228(b), concerning a reapplication for a permit to operate as a private club in an area that has not elected to allow the sale of alcoholic beverages, is amended to read as follows:
(b) (1) If the applicant is reapplying within five (5) two (2) years from the date an application was denied by the director, the application shall be accompanied by certification from the county clerk of the county where the private club is to be located certifying that the applicant obtained signatures from not less than twenty-five percent (25\%) of the registered voters in the county.
(2) The application shall be filed no later than twenty (20) days from the date the county clerk certifies the petitions.
(3) The signatures must be obtained on petitions which clearly state that the purpose of the petitions is to obtain an alcoholic beverage permit for a private club and serve alcoholic beverages.
(4) The person obtaining signatures shall verify the signatures by affidavit which is to be filed with the county clerk at the time of filing

