

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.

1 State of Arkansas
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1083

5 By: Representative Overbey
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 16-55-213
10 CONCERNING VENUE AND THE CIVIL JUSTICE REFORM ACT
11 OF 2003; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

13 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 16-55-
14 213 CONCERNING VENUE AND THE CIVIL
15 JUSTICE REFORM ACT OF 2003.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 16-55-213(a), concerning venue, is amended
22 to read as follows:

23 (a) All civil actions other than those mentioned in §§ 16-60-101 - 16-
24 60-103, 16-60-107, 16-60-111 if a city or town is a party, 16-60-114, and 16-
25 60-115, and subsection (e) of this section must be brought in any of the
26 following counties:

27 (1) The county in which a substantial part of the events or
28 omissions giving rise to the claim occurred;

29 (2)(A) The county in which an individual defendant resided.

30 (B) If the defendant is an entity other than an
31 individual, the county where the entity had its principal office in this
32 state at the time of the accrual of the cause of action; or

33 (3)(A) The county in which the plaintiff resided.

34 (B) If the plaintiff is an entity other than an
35 individual, the county where the plaintiff had its principal office in this
36 state at the time of the accrual of the cause of action.

