

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  
2 86th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2007  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1702

5 By: Representative Sumpter  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 11-10-210 TO  
10 CLARIFY THE EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF A LOCUM TENENS  
11 PHYSICIAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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15 210 TO CLARIFY THE EMPLOYMENT STATUS OF  
16 A LOCUM TENENS PHYSICIAN.  
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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 § 11-10-210(f), concerning exclusions from  
22 the definition of "employment" with regard to workforce services is amended  
23 to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

24 (21)(A) Services performed by a locum tenens physician.

25 (B) As used in this subdivision (f)(21), "locum tenens  
26 physician" means a physician licensed or otherwise authorized by the Arkansas  
27 State Medical Board to practice medicine who temporarily substitutes for a  
28 physician on sabbatical or vacation or who is absent for an extended period  
29 of not more than thirty-five (35) days.  
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