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 2 | State of Arkansas 86th General Assembly | A Bill | | |
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| 2 | Regular Session, 2007 | | HOUSE BILL 2692 | |
| 4 | Regular Session, 2007 | | HOUSE DIEL 2072 | |
| 5 | By: Representatives Overbe | y, Saunders, Glidewell | | |
| 6 | By: Senator Altes | | | |
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| 9 | For An Act To Be Entitled | | | |
| 10 | AN ACT TO ALLOW COUNTIES THE SAME TAX BENEFITS AS | | | |
| 11 | MUNICIPALITIES WHEN SELLING ADMISSION TICKETS TO | | | |
| 12 | CERTAIN | N EVENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. | | |
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| 15 | TO A | ALLOW COUNTIES THE SAME TAX BENEFIT | 'S | |
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| 20 | BE IT ENACTED BY THE | GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF A | RKANSAS: | |
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| 22 | SECTION 1. Ark | ansas Code § 26-52-411 is amended | to read as follows: | |
| 23 | 26-52-411. Admission tickets sold by municipalities and counties. | | | |
| 24 | The gross recei | pts or gross proceeds derived by m | unicipalities of this | |
| 25 | state from the sale o | f tickets or admissions to places | of amusement or to | |
| 26 | athletic, entertainment, or recreational events; or fees for the privilege of | | | |
| 27 | having access to or the use of amusement, entertainment, athletic, or | | | |
| 28 | recreational facilities, including free or complimentary passes, tickets, | | | |
| 29 | admissions, dues, or fees, such free or complimentary passes, tickets, dues, | | | |
| 30 | or fees hereby being declared to have a value equivalent to the sale price of | | | |
| 31 | tickets, passes, admissions, fees, or dues of like kind, shall be exempt from | | | |
| 32 | the Arkansas gross receipts tax levied by the Arkansas Gross Receipts Act, § | | | |
| 33 | 26-52-101 et seq. | | | |
| 34 | <u>The gross recei</u> | The gross receipts or gross proceeds derived by municipalities and | | |
| 35 | <u>counties of this stat</u> | e from the following are exempt fr | <u>om the excise tax</u> | |
| 36 | levied by the Arkansa | s Gross Receipts Act of 1941, § 26 | -52-101 et seq.: | |



| 1 | (1) Sale of tickets or admissions to places of amusement or to | | |
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| 2 | athletic, entertainment, or recreational events; | | |
| 3 | (2) Fees for the privilege of having access to or the use of | | |
| 4 | amusement, entertainment, athletic, or recreational facilities; and | | |
| 5 | (3)(A) Free or complimentary passes, tickets, dues, or fees for | | |
| 6 | access to or the use of amusement, athletic, entertainment, or recreational | | |
| 7 | facilities. | | |
| 8 | (B) Free or complimentary passes, tickets, dues, or fees | | |
| 9 | described in subdivision (3)(A) of this section are declared to have a value | | |
| 10 | equivalent to the sale price of passes, tickets, dues, or fees of like kind. | | |
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