

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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A Bill

SENATE BILL 900

5 By: Senator J. Taylor
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STATE SURVEYOR TO REFER A
10 COMPLAINT ABOUT A SURVEYOR TO THE ARKANSAS STATE
11 BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS
12 AND LAND SURVEYORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 TO REQUIRE THE STATE SURVEYOR TO REFER A
16 COMPLAINT ABOUT A SURVEYOR TO THE
17 ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR
18 PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND
19 SURVEYORS.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 15-21-206(7) and (9), concerning the powers
25 of duties of the state surveyor, is amended to read as follows:

26 (7) To:

27 (A) Prescribe reasonable rules and regulations not
28 inconsistent with law designed to establish uniform professional surveying
29 and mapping methods and standards in this state;

30 (B) Disseminate the rules and regulations to those engaged
31 in the profession of land surveying; and

32 (C) ~~Administer the regulations by referring evidence of~~
33 ~~violations to the Arkansas State Board of Registration for Professional~~
34 ~~Engineers and Land Surveyors as provided in subdivision (9) of this section~~
35 To receive and refer any complaint against a surveyor to the Arkansas State
36 Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors which



1 shall have the authority to investigate complaints and to determine the
2 appropriate action, if any;

3 (8) To promote the training and the increase in number of
4 quality surveyors in this state;

5 (9) ~~To receive and investigate complaints against any surveyor~~
6 ~~and to present the results from the investigation of complaints to the board~~
7 ~~for such action as the board shall deem appropriate~~ To participate in the
8 review of a survey when requested by the State Board of Registration for
9 Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors and return the results of the
10 review to the board for appropriate action, if any;

11 (10) To assist the county assessors in establishing accurate
12 land descriptions of the state-owned or state-claimed lands and to assist the
13 public and private surveyors to obtain land ownership information for
14 surveying purposes;

15 (11) To accept for the state gifts, grants, and donations from
16 any and all persons, corporations, associations, and foundations and from the
17 federal or state government or any agency or program thereof to be deposited
18 in a financial institution in this state;

19 (12) To enter into such agreements or contracts with agencies of
20 the United States Government, agencies of the State of Arkansas, other
21 states, and registered land surveyors as he or she deems necessary or
22 desirable to properly plan and execute projects within the scope and purpose
23 of this subchapter; and

24 (13) To employ such surveyors and other professional and
25 nonprofessional assistants and to take other reasonable action as deemed
26 necessary to carry out the purposes of this subchapter.

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28 /s/ J. Taylor
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