

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 87th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2009
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2176

5 By: Representative King
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO PROHIBIT A DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP
10 REGISTRY IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER
11 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

13 TO PROHIBIT A DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP
14 REGISTRY IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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20 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 9, Chapter 11, Subchapter 1 is amended
21 to add an additional section to read as follows:

22 9-11-110. Validity of domestic partnership registries.

23 (a) A county or municipality shall not create a domestic partnership
24 registry or other certification process that recognizes a domestic partner
25 relationship not recognized by the Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 83.

26 (b) An ordinance, resolution, or proclamation in violation of
27 subsection (a) of this section is void.
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