

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

As Engrossed: S4/3/09
A Bill

SENATE BILL 1007

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5 By: Senator Crumbly
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8 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

9 AN ACT *PROVIDING FOR AN INTERIM STUDY CONCERNING*
10 *GRANTS AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO RURAL*
11 *ENTERPRISE COMMUNITIES OR OTHER LOCAL ENTITIES*
12 *FORMED UNDER THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF*
13 *AGRICULTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*
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15 **Subtitle**

16 *PROVIDING FOR AN INTERIM STUDY*
17 *CONCERNING GRANTS AND FINANCIAL*
18 *ASSISTANCE TO RURAL ENTERPRISE*
19 *COMMUNITIES OR OTHER LOCAL ENTITIES*
20 *FORMED UNDER THE UNITED STATES*
21 *DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE*
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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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26 *SECTION 1. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. (a) The Senate Interim Committee on*
27 *Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development and the House Interim*
28 *Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development shall study the*
29 *feasibility of designating rural enterprise communities or other local*
30 *entities formed under the United States Department of Agriculture as entities*
31 *eligible to receive state funds for the purpose of providing grants or*
32 *financial assistance for services and technical assistance to improve the*
33 *quality of life in rural areas.*

34 *(b) The Senate Interim Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and*
35 *Economic Development and the House Interim Committee on Agriculture,*
36 *Forestry, and Economic Development shall provide a report concerning the*



1 findings of the study under this section to the following by November 1,
2 2010:

- 3 (1) The President Pro Tempore of the Senate; and
4 (2) The Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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