

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 64

5 By: Senator Madison  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 11 OF  
10 *THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED, SOME*  
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## Subtitle

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15 TITLE 11 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987  
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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23 *SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 11-9-508(d)(4) resulting from Initiated Act*  
24 *4 of 1949 is amended to read as follows to clarify a reference and to make*  
25 *stylistic changes:*

26 (4)(A) Establish fees for medical services as provided ~~for~~ in  
27 Workers' Compensation Commission Rule 30 and its amendments.

28 (B) The commission shall make no distinction in approving  
29 fees from different classes of medical service providers or health care  
30 providers for provision of the same or essentially similar medical services  
31 or health care services as ~~defined herein~~ specified in this section; and  
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33 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 11-10-507(4) is amended to read as follows  
34 to make stylistic changes:

35 (4) Waiting Period. He or she has been unemployed for a waiting  
36 period of one (1) week. ~~No~~ A week shall not be counted as a week of



1 unemployment for the purposes of this subdivision (4):

2 (A) Unless it occurs within the benefit year which  
3 includes the week with respect to which he or she claims payment of benefits;

4 (B) If benefits have been paid with respect thereto; and

5 (C) Unless the individual was eligible for benefits with  
6 respect thereto as provided in this section and §§ 11-10-512 – 11-10-519,  
7 except for the requirements of this subdivision (4); and

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9 SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 11-10-507(5)(C)(ii)(b) is amended to read  
10 as follows to correct a reference:

11 (b) Services performed by an employee of a  
12 political subdivision of this state, as provided in § 11-10-210(a)(2)(B), or  
13 by an employee of a nonprofit educational institution which is not an  
14 institution of higher education, as provided in § ~~11-10-210(a)(4)(C)~~ § 11-10-  
15 210(a)(3), except to the extent that assistance under Title II of the  
16 Emergency Jobs and Unemployment Assistance Act of 1974 was paid on the basis  
17 of such services.

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19 SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 11-10-509(b)(2) is amended to read as  
20 follows to correct a reference and to make stylistic changes:

21 (2)(A) If compensation is denied to ~~any~~ an individual under ~~this~~  
22 ~~subdivision (b)(2)~~ subdivision (b)(1) of this section and the individual was  
23 not offered an opportunity to perform the services for the educational  
24 institution for the second of the academic years or terms, the individual, if  
25 otherwise eligible, ~~shall be~~ is entitled to a retroactive payment of  
26 compensation for each week for which the individual filed a timely claim for  
27 compensation and for which compensation was denied solely by reason of ~~this~~  
28 ~~clause~~ subdivision (b)(1) of this section.

29 (B) ~~provided that the~~ The individual ~~makes an application~~  
30 shall apply for the retroactive payment described in subdivision (b)(2)(A) of  
31 this section within two (2) weeks after receipt of notification from the  
32 educational institution that he or she will not have an opportunity to  
33 perform the services at that educational institution in the second academic  
34 year or term.

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36 SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 11-10-522(a)(1)(B)(ii) is amended to read

1 as follows to correct word usage:

2 (ii) For a ~~worker~~ claimant who does not meet the  
3 wage requirements of § 11-10-507(5), the notice of monetary determination  
4 shall include the reason for such determination.

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6 SECTION 6. The enactment and adoption of this act shall not repeal,  
7 expressly or impliedly, the acts passed at the regular session of the 87th  
8 General Assembly. All such acts shall have full effect and, so far as those  
9 acts intentionally vary from or conflict with any provision contained in this  
10 act, those acts shall have the effect of subsequent acts and as amending or  
11 repealing the appropriate parts of the Arkansas Code of 1987.

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13 /s/ Madison  
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