

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 324

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 AN ACT TO EXPEDITE DNA ANALYSIS IN CASES OF ALLEGED  
10 CHILD ABUSE AND CHILD MALTREATMENT, AND FOR OTHER  
11 PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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15 AN ACT TO EXPEDITE DNA ANALYSIS IN CASES  
16 OF ALLEGED CHILD ABUSE AND CHILD  
17 MALTREATMENT.  
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 12-12-1018, concerning analysis of DNA  
23 samples, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

24 (e) Unless the Executive Director of the State Crime Laboratory  
25 determines otherwise in a particular case, the State Crime Laboratory shall  
26 give first priority to the analysis and reporting of DNA evidence of alleged  
27 child abuse or child maltreatment.  
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