1 2	State of Arkansas 88th General Assembly	A Bill		
3	Regular Session, 2011		SENATE BILL 364	
4				
5	By: Senator Teague			
6				
7		For An Act To Be Entitled		
8	AN ACT TO	T TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS		
9	INCOME TA	ME TAX LAWS BY ADOPTING RECENT CHANGES TO THE		
10	INTERNAL	REVENUE CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.		
11				
12				
13		Subtitle		
14	TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO ARKANSAS			
15	INC	OME TAX LAWS.		
16				
17				
18	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:			
19				
20	SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-84-102 is amended to read as follows:			
21	6-84-102. Purpose.			
22	It is the intent and purpose of this chapter to create and establish			
23	the Arkansas Tax-Deferred Tuition Savings Program pursuant to 26 U.S.C. § 529			
24	as in effect on January 1, $\frac{2007}{2011}$, to be administered by the Section 529			
25	Plan Review Committee through the adoption of rules and regulations for the			
26	administration of the	e program.		
27				
28		kansas Code § 6-84-103 is amended to r	ead as follows:	
29	6-84-103. Def:			
30		£ As used in this chapter:		
31		count" means an account established in	accordance with	
32	this chapter;			
33		count owner" means the person who, und	-	
34	the rules promulgated by the Section 529 Plan Review Committee, is entitled			
35	to select or change the designated beneficiary of an account, to designate			
36	any person other than	n the designated beneficiary to whom f	unds may be paid	

- l from the account, or to receive distributions from the account if no other
- 2 person is designated;
- 3 (3) "Act" means the Arkansas Tax-Deferred Tuition Savings
- 4 Program Act;
- 5 (4)(A) "Arkansas Tax-Deferred Tuition Savings Program Trust" or
- 6 "trust" means the trust created under § 6-84-104.
- 7 (B) Participation in the trust shall be open to Arkansas
- 8 residents and nonresidents alike;
- 9 (5) "Committee" means the Section 529 Plan Review Committee,
- 10 provided for in § 6-84-105, which that shall oversee the administration of
- 11 the Arkansas Tax-Deferred Tuition Savings Program and ensure that the program
- 12 complies with the provisions of this chapter and acts in accordance with 26
- 13 U.S.C. § 529 as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011;
- 14 (6) "Contribution" means:
- 15 (A) Any payment directly allocated to an account for the
- 16 benefit of a designated beneficiary or used to pay administrative fees
- 17 associated with an account; and
- 18 (B) That portion of any rollover amount treated as a
- 19 contribution under 26 U.S.C. § 529 as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011;
- 20 (7) "Contributor" means any person making a contribution to an
- 21 account;
- 22 (8) "Designated beneficiary" means, except as provided in § 6-
- 23 84-108, the individual designated at the time the account is opened as having
- 24 the right to receive a qualified withdrawal for the payment of qualified
- 25 higher education expenses or, if the designated beneficiary is replaced in
- 26 accordance with § 6-84-108, the replacement;
- 27 (9) "Higher education institution" means an eligible education
- 28 institution as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 135(c)(3) as in effect on January 1,
- 29 2007 2011;
- 30 (10) "Member of the family" shall have the same meaning as is
- 31 contained in 26 U.S.C. § 529(e) as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011;
- 32 (11) "Nonqualified withdrawal" means a withdrawal from an
- 33 account that is not:
- 34 (A) A qualified withdrawal;
- 35 (B) A withdrawal made as the result of the death or
- 36 disability of the designated beneficiary;

- 1 (C) A withdrawal made as the result of a scholarship, or 2 allowance, or payment described in 26 U.S.C. § 135(d)(1)(B) or (C) as in 3 effect on January 1, 2007 2011, received by the designated beneficiary but 4 only to the extent of the amount of the scholarship, allowance, or payment; 5 or 6 (D) A rollover or change in the designated beneficiary; 7 (12)"Person" means a person as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 529 as in 8 effect on January 1, 2007 2011; 9 "Program" means the Arkansas Tax-Deferred Tuition Savings (13)10 Program established by this chapter; 11 (14) "Qualified higher education expenses" means tuition and 12 other permitted expenses as set forth in 26 U.S.C. § 529(e) as in effect on 13 January 1, 2007 2011, for the enrollment or attendance of a designated 14 beneficiary at a higher education institution; 15 (15) "Qualified tuition program" means a qualified tuition 16 program as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 529(b) as in effect January 1, 2007 2011; 17 (16) "Qualified withdrawal" means a withdrawal from an account 18 to pay the qualified higher education expenses of the designated beneficiary 19 but only if the withdrawal is made in accordance with the requirements of the 20 program; and 21 "Rollover" means a disbursement or transfer from an account 22 that is transferred to or deposited within sixty (60) calendar days of the 23 transfer into an account of the same person for the benefit of the same 24 designated beneficiary or another person as a designated beneficiary if the 25 transferee account was created under this chapter or under another qualified 26 tuition program maintained in accordance with 26 U.S.C. § 529(c) as in effect 27 on January 1, 2007 2011. 28 29 SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 6-84-105 is amended to read as follows: 6-84-105. Administration - Authority - Powers. 30 31 This chapter shall be administered by the Section 529 Plan Review 32 Committee, which shall be composed of: 33 (1) The Director of the Department of Higher Education;
- 36 (3) The Treasurer of State.

(2)

System; and

34

35

The Executive Director of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement

- 1 (b) The committee shall adopt such rules and regulations as it deems 2 necessary and proper to administer this chapter and to ensure the compliance 3 of the Arkansas Tax-Deferred Tuition Savings Program with 26 U.S.C. § 529 as 4 in effect on January 1, 2007 2011.
- 5 (c) The committee shall have the following powers, duties, and 6 functions:
- 7 (1) To establish, develop, implement, and maintain the program 8 in a manner consistent with the provisions of this chapter and 26 U.S.C. § 9 529 as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011, and to obtain the benefits provided
- 10 by 26 U.S.C. § 529 for the program, account owners, and designated
- ll beneficiaries;
- 12 (2) To adopt rules and regulations for the general 13 administration of the program;
- 14 (3) To maintain, invest, and reinvest the funds contributed into
 15 the program consistent with the investment restrictions established by the
 16 committee and the standard of care described in the prudent investor rule
 17 presently codified as under § 24-2-610; and
- 18 (4)(A) To make and enter into any and all contracts, agreements,
 19 or arrangements and to retain, employ, and contract for the services of
 20 financial institutions, depositories, consultants, broker dealers, investment
 21 advisors or managers, third-party plan administrators, and research,
 22 technical, and other services necessary or desirable for carrying out the
 23 purposes of this chapter.
- 24 (B) Contracts entered into by the committee may be for a 25 term of from one (1) to ten (10) years.

27 SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 6-84-106 is amended to read as follows: 28 6-84-106. Investment direction.

Except as permitted in 26 U.S.C. § 529 as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011, no person shall have the right to direct the investment of any contributions to or earnings from the Arkansas Tax-Deferred Tuition Savings Program.

33

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 6-84-108(b), concerning Arkansas TaxDeferred Tuition Savings Program account transfers, is amended to read as follows:

- 1 (b) At the direction of an account owner, all or a portion of an 2 account may be transferred to another account of which the designated 3 beneficiary is a member of the family of the designated beneficiary of the 4 transferee account if the transferee account was created by this chapter or 5 under another qualified tuition program maintained in accordance with 26 6 U.S.C. § 529 as in effect January 1, 2007 2011. 7 8 SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 6-84-109(b), concerning Arkansas Tax-9 Deferred Tuition Savings Program account withdrawal reporting, is amended to
- read as follows:

 (b)(1) An account withdrawal paid to or for the benefit of any person
- 11 (b)(1) An account withdrawal paid to or for the benefit of any person 12 during any calendar year shall be reported to the person and to the Internal 13 Revenue Service.
- 14 (2) The report shall be made at the time required by the rules 15 of the Internal Revenue Service as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011, and 16 contain such information as is required by law.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code § 6-84-111 is amended to read as follows: 19 6-84-111. Funds exempt from tax.

17

2021

22

23

24

25

26

27

- (a) Except as otherwise indicated in this chapter, interest, dividends, and capital gains from funds invested in the Arkansas Tax-Deferred Tuition Savings Program or a tax-deferred tuition savings program established by another state under 26 U.S.C. § 529 as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011, shall be exempt from Arkansas income taxes.
- (b)(1) For tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2005, contributions to a tuition savings account established under this program may be deducted from the taxpayer's adjusted gross income for the purpose of calculating Arkansas income tax under § 26-51-403(b).
- 29 (2) The deductible contributions shall not exceed five thousand 30 dollars (\$5,000) per taxpayer in any tax year.
- 31 (3) Contributions to this program that have been deducted from 32 the taxpayer's adjusted gross income for prior tax years shall be subject to 33 recapture if the taxpayer:
- 34 (A) Makes a subsequent nonqualified withdrawal from the 35 account; or
- 36 (B) Rolls the account over to a tax-deferred tuition

- 1 savings program established by another state or institution under 26 U.S.C. § 2 529 as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011.
- (4) The contribution shall be recaptured by adding the amount 3 4 previously deducted, not to exceed the amount of the nonqualified withdrawal 5 or rollover, to the taxpayer's adjusted gross income for the tax year in 6 which the nonqualified withdrawal or rollover occurred.
- 7 (c)(l) Qualified withdrawals from a tuition savings account 8 established under this program or a tax-deferred tuition savings program established by another state under 26 U.S.C. § 529 as in effect on January 1, 9 10 2007 2011, will be exempt from Arkansas income tax with respect to the 11 designated beneficiary's income.
- 12 (2)(A) Nonqualified withdrawals from a tuition savings account 13 established under this program or a tax-deferred tuition savings program established by another state under 26 U.S.C. § 529 as in effect on January 1, 14 15 2007 2011, will be subject to Arkansas income tax.
- 16 (B) The nonqualified withdrawal will be taxable to the 17 party, account owner, or designated beneficiary who actually makes the withdrawal. 18
- 19 (d) Any earnings on the contribution that are included in the refund will be subject to Arkansas income tax if an account owner receives a refund 20 21 of contributions to a tuition savings account established under this program 22 or a tax-deferred tuition savings program established by another state under 23 26 U.S.C. § 529 as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011, because of either:
 - (1) The death or disability of the designated beneficiary; or
- 25 (2) A scholarship, allowance, or payment described in 26 U.S.C. § 135(d)(1)(B) or (C) as in effect on January 1, $\frac{2007}{2011}$, received by the 26 27 designated beneficiary.

33

24

- 29 SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 6-84-113 is amended to read as follows: 30 6-84-113. Liberal construction.
- 31 This chapter shall be liberally construed to comply with the 32 requirements of 26 U.S.C. § 529 as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011.

34 SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 26-51-404(a)(4), concerning scholarships, 35

fellowships, grants, and stipends, is amended to read as follows:

36 (4) Section 117 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in

1 effect on January 1, 2003 2011, regarding the taxability of scholarships, 2 fellowships, grants, and stipends, is adopted for the purpose of clarifying 3 and calculating Arkansas income tax liability. 4 SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 26-51-404(b)(10), concerning the exclusion 5 6 of discharge of indebtedness from gross income, is amended to read as 7 follows: 8 Sections 108 and 1017 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, 9 as in effect on January 1, 2009 2011, regarding income from the discharge of 10 indebtedness, are adopted for the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax 11 liability; 12 13 SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 26-51-404(b)(11), concerning the exclusion 14 from gross income of health flexible spending account contributions, is 15 amended to read as follows: 16 (11) Section 125 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, in effect 17 on January 1, 2009 2011, is adopted in computing amounts excludible from gross income under the Income Tax Act of 1929, § 26-51-101 et seq., for 18 19 payments received under a cafeteria plan; 20 21 SECTION 12. Arkansas Code § 26-51-404(b)(14), concerning the exclusion 22 from gross income of disability and health plan payments, is amended to read 23 as follows: (14) Sections 104-106 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as 24 25 in effect on January 1, 1999, regarding the exclusion from income of 26 disability and health plan payments, are adopted for the purpose of computing 27 Arkansas income tax liability; The following sections of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 regarding the exclusion from income of disability and health 28 29 plan payments, are adopted for the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax 30 liability: 31 (A) Sections 104 and 106 as in effect on January 1, 2011; 32 and 33 (B) Section 105 as in effect on March 30, 2010; 34 SECTION 13. Arkansas Code § 26-51-404(b)(20), concerning the exclusion 35

from gross income for employees whose education expenses were paid by an

1 employer, is amended to read as follows: 2 (20) Section 127 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in 3 effect on January 1, 2003 2011, regarding the exclusion from gross income for 4 employees whose education expenses were paid by an employer, is adopted for 5 the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax liability; 6 7 SECTION 14. Arkansas Code § 26-51-404(b)(25), concerning the exclusion 8 from gross income of employment-related adoption assistance benefits, is 9 amended to read as follows: 10 (25) Section 137 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in 11 effect on January 1, 2003 2011, regarding the exclusion from gross income of 12 benefits received under an employer's adoption assistance program, is adopted 13 for the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax liability; 14 SECTION 15. Arkansas Code § 26-51-409(a), concerning small business 15 16 corporations, is amended to read as follows: 17 Subchapter S of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on January 1, 2009 2011, regarding small business corporations, is adopted for 18 19 the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax liability. 20 21 SECTION 16. Arkansas Code § 26-51-414(a), concerning deferred 22 compensation plans, is amended to read as follows: 23 (a)(1) Sections 72, 219, 401-404, 406-416, and 457 of the Internal 24 Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on January 1, 2009, relating to annuities, 25 retirement savings, and employee benefit plans, respectively, are adopted for 26 the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax liability, except Arkansas 27 capital gains treatment and the Arkansas tax rates shall apply. The following sections relating to annuities, retirement savings, and employee 28 29 benefit plans are adopted for the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax 30 <u>liability</u>, except Arkansas capital gains treatment and the Arkansas tax rates 31 shall apply: 32 (A) Sections 72, 219, 402-404, 406-416, and 457 of the Internal 33 Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on January 1, 2011; 34 (B) Section 401 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on March 30, 2010. 35

(2) The requirements for filing a joint return under §

1 219(c)(1)(A) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 shall not apply. 2 3 SECTION 17. Arkansas Code § 26-51-414(b), concerning the application 4 of Arkansas income tax to Roth individual retirement accounts, is amended to 5 read as follows: 6 (b) Section 408A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on 7 January 1, 1999 2010, relating to Roth individual retirement accounts, is 8 adopted for the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax liability with the 9 following exceptions:, except with regard to adjusted gross income under 26 U.S.C. § 408A(c)(3), which shall be determined in the same manner as under § 10 11 26-51-403(b). 12 (1) (A) Sections 408A(d)(3)(A)(iii) and 408A(d)(3)(E) are not 13 adopted. 14 (B) All income from and tax attributable to distributions from a 15 non-Roth individual retirement account to a Roth individual retirement 16 account prior to January 1, 1999, shall be reported for tax year 1998, and 17 the tax may be paid over a four-year period as permitted by the Director of 18 the Department of Finance and Administration; and 19 (2) Adjusted gross income under § 408A(c)(3) shall be determined in 20 the same manner as under § 26-51-403(b). 21 22 SECTION 18. Arkansas Code § 26-51-415, concerning deductions for 23 interest expenses, is amended to read as follows: 24 Section 163 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on 25 January 1, 2009 2011, regarding deductions for interest expenses, is adopted for the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax liability. 26 27 SECTION 19. Arkansas Code § 26-51-419(a)(1), concerning deductions for 28 29 charitable contributions, is amended to read as follows: 30 (a)(1)(A) Section 170 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in 31 effect on January 1, 2009 2011, regarding deductions for charitable 32 contributions, is adopted for the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax 33 liability. 34 This adoption is for taxable years beginning on or after

January 1, 2009 2011, and will have no does not have an effect on tax years

35

36

before its adoption.

1 2 SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 26-51-423(a)(1), concerning business 3 expense deductions to adjusted gross income, is amended to read as follows: 4 (1) Business Expenses. All of § 162, except subsection (n), of 5 the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on January 1, 2009, March 30, 6 2010, regarding trade or business expenses, is adopted for the purpose of 7 computing Arkansas income tax liability; 8 9 SECTION 21. Arkansas Code § 26-51-423(a)(2), concerning medical and 10 dental expense deductions to adjusted gross income, is amended to read as 11 follows: 12 (2) Medical and Dental Expenses. Section 213 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on January 1, 1997 2011, is adopted in 13 14 computing the medical and dental expense deduction under the state income tax 15 law; 16 17 SECTION 22. Arkansas Code § 26-51-423(a)(4), concerning moving expense deductions to adjusted gross income, is amended to read as follows: 18 19 (4) Moving Expenses. Section 217 of the Internal Revenue Code 20 of 1986, as in effect on January 1, 1995 2011, regarding the deduction of 21 moving expenses, is adopted for the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax 22 liability. 23 24 SECTION 23. Arkansas Code § 26-51-423(d), concerning the deduction of 25 interest paid on qualified education loans to adjusted gross income, is 26 amended to read as follows: 27 (d) Section 221 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on 28 January 1, 2003 2011, regarding the deduction of interest paid on qualified 29 education loans, is adopted for the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax 30 liability. 31 32 SECTION 24. Arkansas Code § 26-51-423(e), concerning the deduction of 33 costs incurred for the cleanup of hazardous substances to adjusted gross 34 income, is amended to read as follows: 35 (e) Section 198 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on

January 1, 2009 2011, regarding the deduction of costs paid or incurred for

1 the cleanup of certain hazardous substances, is adopted for the purpose of 2 computing Arkansas income tax liability. 3 4 SECTION 25. Arkansas Code § 26-51-429(b), concerning the deduction of 5 oil and gas well depletion allowance to adjusted gross income, is amended to 6 read as follows: 7 (b) In computing the depletion allowance deduction allowed by this 8 section for oil and gas wells, the provisions of § 613 of the Internal 9 Revenue Code of 1986 shall not be are not in effect, but instead the 10 computation of the amount of the depletion deduction shall be is controlled 11 by the provisions of § 613A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on January 1, 2009 2011, which are adopted as part of the state income 12 13 tax law. 14 SECTION 26. Arkansas Code § 26-51-436(3), concerning luxury 15 16 automobiles and other property, is amended to read as follows: 17 Subsections (a), (b), (c), and (d) of § 280F of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on January 1, 1999 2011, regarding 18 19 investment tax credit and depreciation for luxury automobiles and other 20 property, is adopted for purposes of computing Arkansas income tax liability; 21 22 SECTION 27. Arkansas Code § 26-51-436(4), concerning limits on 23 itemized deductions, is amended to read as follows: 24 (4) Section 68 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in 25 effect on January 1, 2009 2011, is adopted to limit itemized deductions; 26 27 SECTION 28. Arkansas Code § 26-51-436(5), concerning limits on 28 deductions for medical savings account contributions, is amended to read as 29 follows: 30 (5) Section 220 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in 31 effect on January 1, 2005 2011, regarding the deductibility from income of 32 contributions made to a medical savings account by the taxpayer or the 33 taxpayer's employer, is adopted for the purpose of computing Arkansas income

343536

tax liability;

SECTION 29. Arkansas Code § 26-51-440(a)(1), concerning regulated

- 1 investment companies, real estate investment trusts, and financial asset 2 securitization investment trusts, is amended to read as follows:
- (a)(1) Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on January 1, 2009 2011, relating to regulated investment companies, real estate investment trusts, and financial asset securitization investment trusts, is adopted for the purpose of computing Arkansas income tax liability and shall govern all corporations that are registered as investment companies under the Investment Company Act of 1940, 15 U.S.C. § 80a-1 et seq., as in

effect on January 1, 2009 2011.

- SECTION 30. Arkansas Code \S 26-51-445 is amended to read as follows: 26-51-445. Adoption expenses.
- 13 (a) Section 23 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, 26 U.S.C. § 23,
 14 as in effect on January 1, 2003, and Section 36C of the Internal Revenue Code
 15 of 1986, as in effect on January 1, 2011, is are adopted for purposes of
 16 determining the allowable credit for adoption-related fees, costs, and
 17 expenses paid or incurred by a taxpayer.
- 18 (b)(1) The amount of credit allowed against Arkansas income tax due
 19 shall be is twenty percent (20%) of the federal credit as calculated pursuant
 20 to under 26 U.S.C. § 23 and § 36C.
 - (2) The amount of the credit that may be used by a taxpayer for a taxable year may not exceed the amount of income tax otherwise due.

2223

26

27

21

- SECTION 31. Arkansas Code § 26-51-448(a), concerning educational individual retirement accounts, is amended to read as follows:
 - (a) Section 530 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on January 1, $\frac{2009}{2011}$, relating to educational individual retirement accounts, is adopted for the purposes of computing Arkansas income tax liability.

2829

- 30 SECTION 32. Arkansas Code § 26-51-453(a), concerning deductions for 31 contributions to health savings accounts, is amended to read as follows:
- 32 (a) Subsections (a)-(d), (e)(2), (f), and (g) of § 223 of the Internal 33 Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011, regarding a 34 deduction from income for amounts deposited to health savings accounts, is 35 adopted for purposes of computing Arkansas income tax liability.

- 1 SECTION 33. Arkansas Code § 26-51-502(b)(1), concerning the credit for 2 household and dependent care services, is amended to read as follows:
- 3 (b)(1) Section 21 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as in effect 4 on January 1, 2007 2011, is adopted for purposes of determining the allowable 5 credit under the Income Tax Act of 1929, § 26-51-101 et seq., for household 6 and dependent care services necessary for gainful employment.

- 8 SECTION 34. Arkansas Code § 26-51-815(a)(1), concerning the 9 computation of capital gains and losses, is amended to read as follows:
- 10 (a)(1)(A) To the extent they apply to capital gains and losses 11 realized or incurred during income years beginning after December 31, 1996, 12 26 U.S.C. §§ 1211-1237 and 1239-1257 as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011,
- and the regulations of the Secretary of the Treasury promulgated under 26 U.S.C. §§ 1211-1237 and 1239-1257 as in effect on January 1, 2007 2011, are
- 15 adopted for the purpose of computing tax liability under the Income Tax Act
- 16 of 1929, § 26-51-101 et seq.
- 17 (B) However, the provisions of this section shall not apply to a C
 18 corporation as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 1361, as in effect on January 1, 1997
 19 2011.

20

- SECTION 35. Arkansas Code § 26-51-1702, concerning the allowance and calculation of the low income housing tax credit, is amended to add an additional subdivision (g) to read as follows:
- 24 (g)(1) A grant payment made under Section 1602 of the American
 25 Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Pub. L. No. 111-5, is excluded from
 26 gross income if the grant payment is made in lieu of a federal low income
 27 housing tax credit.
- 28 (2) The grant recipient shall comply with the requirements of
 29 this subchapter in the same manner as if the grant recipient had received a
 30 federal low income housing tax credit.

- SECTION 36. EFFECTIVE DATE. Subdivision (14)(B) of Section 12,

 subdivision (a)(1)(B) of Section 16, Section 17, Section 20, and Section 35

 shall be effective for tax years beginning on and after January 1, 2010.

 Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, subdivision (14)(A) of Section
- 36 12, Sections 13, 14, 15, subdivisions (a)(1)(A) and (a)(2) of Section 16,

```
1
     Sections 18, 19 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, and 34
 2
     shall be effective for tax years beginning on and after January 1, 2011.
 3
 4
 5
 6
7
 8
 9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25
26
27
28
29
30
31
32
33
34
35
36
```