| 1 | State of Arkansas | As Engrossed: \$3/27/13 A Bill | |
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| 2 | 89th General Assembly | A DIII | |
| 3 | Regular Session, 2013 | | HOUSE BILL 1486 |
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| 5 | By: Representatives Miller, Barnett, Collins, Davis, Dotson, D. Douglas, Farrer, Hammer, Holcomb, | | |
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| 7 | By: Senator Irvin | | |
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| 10 | AN ACT TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES FOR WORKING PERSONS WITH | | |
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| 25 | BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENE | RAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARK | ANSAS: |
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| 27 | | s Code § 20-77-1203(2), concerni | 0 |
| 28 | - | the state Medicaid program, is | amended to read as |
| 29 | follows: | | |
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| 31 | • | unearned income standards to re | |
| 32 | security income, who would be considered to be receiving supplemental | | |
| 33 | • | but for his or her earned income | |
| 34 | • | less than two hundred fifty per | cent (250%) of the |
| 35 | federal poverty guideline | ; | |
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| 1 | SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 20-77-1204, concerning rules for the | | |
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| 2 | Medicaid Program for Low-Income Disabled Working Persons is amended to read | | |
| 3 | as follows: | | |
| 4 | (c) A rule adopted under this section shall not include a test for | | |
| 5 | income, assets, or resources. | | |
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| 7 | SECTION 3. DO NOT CODIFY. (a) The Department of Human Services shall | | |
| 8 | adopt rules to implement this section. | | |
| 9 | (b) If necessary, the department shall apply for a waiver from the | | |
| 10 | Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services for approval of the rules adopted | | |
| 11 | under this section. | | |
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