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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1755

5 By: Representative Slinkard
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING APPEALS TO A
9 COUNTY COURT FROM A COUNTY EQUALIZATION BOARD; TO
10 PROHIBIT A COUNTY COURT CLERK FROM CHARGING A FEE FOR
11 FILING AN APPEAL FROM A COUNTY EQUALIZATION BOARD;
12 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING APPEALS TO A
16 COUNTY COURT FROM A COUNTY EQUALIZATION
17 BOARD; AND TO PROHIBIT A COUNTY COURT
18 CLERK FROM CHARGING A FEE FOR FILING AN
19 APPEAL FROM A COUNTY EQUALIZATION BOARD.
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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25 SECTION 1. The introductory language of Arkansas Code § 21-6-406,
26 concerning the miscellaneous fees a county court clerk may charge, is amended
27 to read as follows:

28 ~~(a) Clerks of the county courts of the various counties in the State~~
29 ~~of Arkansas are authorized to~~ A clerk of a county court may charge the
30 following maximum fees:
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32 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 21-6-406, concerning the miscellaneous fees
33 a county court clerk may charge, is amended to add an additional subsection
34 to read as follows:

35 (b) A clerk of a county court shall not charge a fee for filing an
36 appeal from a county equalization board.



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SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 26-27-318(a)(1), concerning an appeal from a decision of a county equalization board, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1)(A) The county assessor or ~~any a~~ property owner who ~~may feel~~ is aggrieved at the action of the county equalization board may appeal from the action of the county equalization board to the county court by filing a petition of appeal with the county clerk, who shall assign a case number to the appeal.

(B) The county clerk shall not charge a fee for filing an appeal under subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section.