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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1909

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT CONCERNING THE ELIGIBILITY FOR BURIAL IN A  
9 STATE VETERANS' CEMETERY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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### Subtitle

11 AN ACT CONCERNING THE ELIGIBILITY FOR  
12 BURIAL IN A STATE VETERANS' CEMETERY.  
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17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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19 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 20-81-112(c)(1), concerning the state  
20 veterans' cemetery system, is amended to read as follows:

21 (1) (A) Promulgate ~~appropriate guidelines~~ rules for determining  
22 eligibility for burial;.

23 (B)(i) The rules shall include guidelines for the  
24 establishment of a special location for the remains of:

25 (a) A veteran who is a recipient of the Medal  
26 of Honor; and

27 (b) A person who enlisted or otherwise served  
28 in the Armed Forces of the United States but did not serve any active duty  
29 due to being discharged in order to perform significant civilian duties for  
30 and on behalf of the United States of American.

31 (ii) This section does not grant a right, benefit,  
32 or privilege to an eligible civilian other than the possibility of being  
33 buried in a state veterans' cemetery;  
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