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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1947

5 By: Representative D. Meeks
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT CONCERNING DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME; TO ADOPT
9 YEAR-ROUND STANDARD TIME AND ELIMINATE DAYLIGHT
10 SAVING TIME IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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14 TO ADOPT YEAR-ROUND STANDARD TIME AND
15 ELIMINATE DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME IN
16 ARKANSAS.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 *SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 1, Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, is amended*
22 *to add an additional section to read as follows:*

23 *1-1-103. Exemption from daylight saving time.*

24 *(a) The state exempts itself from 15 U.S.C. § 260a, as it existed on*
25 *January 1, 2015, providing for the advancement of time known as daylight*
26 *saving time, during the period set by federal law for the advancement of time*
27 *each calendar year.*

28 *(b) The state shall observe the standard time otherwise applicable*
29 *during the period described in subsection (a) of this section.*
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31 *SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. Section 1 of this act is effective for*
32 *calendar years beginning on or after January 1, 2016.*
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34 /s/D. Meeks
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