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A Bill

SENATE BILL 370

5 By: Senator Hickey
6 By: Representative Dalby
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE MAXIMUM
10 PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES; AND
11 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE MAXIMUM
16 PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF MUNICIPAL
17 ORDINANCES.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 14-55-504(a)(1), concerning maximum
23 penalties permitted, is amended to read as follows:

24 (a)(1) ~~Municipal corporations shall not have power to inflict any fine~~
25 ~~or penalty, by ordinance or otherwise, to a greater sum than one thousand~~
26 ~~dollars (\$1,000) for any one (1) specified offense or violation of a bylaw or~~
27 ~~ordinance, or double that sum for each repetition of such offense or~~
28 ~~violation.~~ A municipal corporation shall not impose a fine or penalty
29 greater than:

30 (A) One thousand dollars (\$1,000) for the first offense or
31 violation of a bylaw or ordinance;

32 (B) Two thousand dollars (\$2,000) for the second offense
33 or violation of the bylaw or ordinance; or

34 (C) Four thousand dollars (\$4,000) for each subsequent
35 offense or violation of the bylaw or ordinance.
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