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A Bill

SENATE BILL

5 By: Senator L. Chesterfield
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT CONCERNING THE FEE TO ATTEND A VICTIM IMPACT
9 PANEL THAT IS REQUIRED BY LAW OF ANY PERSON CONVICTED
10 OF DRIVING OR BOATING WHILE INTOXICATED, REFUSAL TO
11 SUBMIT TO A CHEMICAL TEST, OR POSSESSION OF ALCOHOL
12 BY A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 CONCERNING THE FEE TO ATTEND A VICTIM
16 IMPACT PANEL THAT IS REQUIRED BY LAW OF
17 ANY PERSON CONVICTED OF DRIVING OR
18 BOATING WHILE INTOXICATED, REFUSAL TO
19 SUBMIT TO A CHEMICAL TEST, OR POSSESSION
20 OF ALCOHOL BY A MINOR.
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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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26 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-65-121 is amended to read as follows:

27 5-65-121. Victim impact panel attendance – Fee.

28 (a)(1) A person whose driving privileges are suspended or revoked for
29 violating § 5-65-103, § 5-65-205, § 5-65-303, § 5-65-310, or § 3-3-203 shall
30 attend a victim impact panel sponsored by an organization approved by the
31 Division of Aging, Adult, and Behavioral Health Services of the Department of
32 Human Services.

33 (2) The organization selected by the division shall be an
34 organization that provides statewide services to victims of drunk driving.

35 (b)(1) The organization approved by the division may collect a program
36 fee of ~~ten dollars (\$10.00)~~ twenty dollars (\$20.00) per enrollee to offset



1 program costs to be remitted to the organization.

2 (2) The organization approved by the division shall provide
3 proof of attendance and completion to the person required to attend the
4 victim impact panel upon completion of the victim impact panel.

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