

1 State of Arkansas

As Engrossed: S4/9/25

2 95th General Assembly

A Bill

3 Regular Session, 2025

HOUSE BILL 1886

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5 By: Representative Pearce

6 By: Senators D. Wallace, *Irvin*

For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE LABRADOR RETRIEVER AS THE
10 OFFICIAL CANINE OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR
11 OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

15 TO DESIGNATE THE LABRADOR RETRIEVER AS
16 THE OFFICIAL CANINE OF THE STATE OF
17 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 4 is amended to add an
22 additional section to read as follows:

23 1-4-142. State canine.

24 (a) The labrador retriever is designated as the official canine of the
25 State of Arkansas.

26 (b)(1) This section does not require a state agency or office to
27 republish a publication or brochure to list or display the state canine.

28 (2) A state agency or office may include information concerning
29 the state canine in a future publication or brochure or in a scheduled update
30 to a publication or brochure.

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32 /s/Pearce

