1	State of Arkansas	As Engrossed: S2/26/25		
2	95th General Assembly	A Bill		
3	Regular Session, 2025		SENATE BILL 259	
4				
5	By: Senator Gilmore			
6	By: Representative Beaty Jr.			
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8		For An Act To Be Entitled		
9	AN ACT TO TR	AN ACT TO TRANSFER APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY FOR THE		
10	DIRECTOR OF	DIRECTOR OF THE ARKANSAS WATERWAYS COMMISSION TO THE		
11	GOVERNOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.			
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14		Subtitle		
15	TO TRAN	TO TRANSFER APPOINTMENT AUTHORITY FOR		
16	THE DIR	THE DIRECTOR OF THE ARKANSAS WATERWAYS		
17	COMMISS	SION TO THE GOVERNOR.		
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19	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GEN	ERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF	F ARKANSAS:	
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21	SECTION 1. Arkans	as Code § 15-23-203 is amende	ed to read as follows:	
22	15-23-203. Director.			
23	The Arkansas Waterways Commission may employ a Director of the Arkansas			
24	Waterways Commission as authorized by law and fix the salary of the director			
25	within the limitations of funds appropriated therefor to assist the			
26	<del>commission in the perfor</del>	commission in the performance of its duties under this subchapter.		
27	<u>(a) The Director</u>	(a) The Director of the Arkansas Waterways Commission shall be		
28	appointed by and serve a	appointed by and serve at the pleasure of the Governor and upon confirmation		
29	<u>by the Senate.</u>			
30	<u>(b) The director</u>	shall report to the Secretary	y of the Department of	
31	<u>Commerce.</u>			
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33	/s/Gilmore			
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