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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2174

5 By: Representative Bentley  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO ADDRESS DUPLICATIVE TRAINING OF CERTIFIED  
9 NURSE ASSISTANTS IN LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES; TO  
10 PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION FOR LICENSURE AS A PRIVATE  
11 CAREER SCHOOL OFFERING RESIDENT OR CORRESPONDENCE  
12 PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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### Subtitle

15 TO ADDRESS DUPLICATIVE TRAINING OF  
16 CERTIFIED NURSE ASSISTANTS IN LONG-TERM  
17 CARE FACILITIES; AND TO PROVIDE AN  
18 EXEMPTION FOR LICENSURE AS A PRIVATE  
19 CAREER SCHOOL OFFERING RESIDENT OR  
20 CORRESPONDENCE PROGRAMS.  
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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 § 6-51-603, concerning the exemptions for  
27 private career school offering resident and correspondence programs, is  
28 amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

29 "(13) Certified nurse aide or certified nursing assistant  
30 training programs:

31 (A) Whose underlying majority ownership has ownership of  
32 five (5) or more nursing facilities licensed by the Office of Long-Term Care;  
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34 (B) That are under the regulatory oversight of the Office  
35 of Long-Term Care.  
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