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2 95th General Assembly

A Bill

3 Regular Session, 2025

SENATE BILL 189

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5 By: Senators A. Clark, Caldwell, Crowell, Flippo, Hill, B. Johnson, M. Johnson, M. McKee, J. Payton, C.

6 Penzo, J. Petty, Rice, J. Scott, Stone, G. Stubblefield, D. Wallace, Dees, *J. Bryant, F. Love*

7 *By: Representatives Bentley, A. Brown, Hall, Long, Womack, Lundstrum, K. Brown, Crawford, Torres*

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For An Act To Be Entitled

10 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE IVERMECTIN FOR HUMAN USE TO BE
11 SOLD WITHOUT A PRESCRIPTION OR CONSULTATION WITH A
12 HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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Subtitle

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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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23 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 20, Chapter 7, Subchapter 1, is amended
24 to add an additional section to read as follows:

25 20-7-147. Ivermectin without prescription or consultation with
26 healthcare professional.

27 (a) As used in this section, "over-the-counter medication" means
28 medication that may be legally sold and purchased without a prescription.

29 (b) Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, ivermectin suitable for
30 human use may be sold or purchased as an over-the-counter medication in this
31 state without a prescription or consultation with a healthcare professional.

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/s/A. Clark

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APPROVED: 3/25/25

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