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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill 1433

TO REQUIRE A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER WHO IS EXECUTING OR SERVING AN
ORDER OF PROTECTION TO SERVE ANY OUTSTANDING CRIMINAL WARRANTS
RELATED TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OR OFFENSES INVOLVING THE PETITIONER AS
THE VICTIM.

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 1433

Amend House Bill 1433 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete everything after the enacting clause, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 9-15-208 is amended to read as follows:
9-15-208. Law enforcement assistance.

(a) When an order of protection is issued under this chapter, upon request of the petitioner the circuit court may order a law enforcement officer with jurisdiction to accompany the petitioner and assist in placing the petitioner in possession of the dwelling or residence or to otherwise assist in execution or service of the order of protection.

(b) The court may also order a law enforcement officer to assist the petitioner in returning to the residence and getting personal effects.

(c) If law enforcement is assisting in the execution or service of an order of protection under § 9-15-202 or § 9-15-204, law enforcement shall, upon service of the notice of the petition, ex parte temporary order of protection, or notice of hearing, serve any outstanding misdemeanor or felony criminal warrant.

(d)(1) If a respondent appears at a hearing under § 9-15-204 and the court is aware that there is a pending active criminal warrant for the respondent that has not been served, the court shall notify law enforcement to respond to the courtroom.



(2) If law enforcement is responding to a courtroom under subdivision (d)(1) of this section, the responding law enforcement shall serve, detain, and transport the respondent to the local detention facility.

(e)(1) If the active warrant is a warrant outside of the current jurisdiction, the arresting agency shall:

(A) Contact the jurisdiction that issued the warrant;
and

(B) Confirm whether the jurisdiction will extradite the respondent to the jurisdiction's detention facility.

(2) If the arresting agency confirms that the appropriate jurisdiction will extradite the respondent to the jurisdiction's detention facility under subdivision (e)(1)(B) of this section, the arresting agency shall hold the individual at the local detention facility to allow the issuing jurisdiction to transport the individual to the jurisdiction that issued the warrant."

The Amendment was read _____
By: Representative McCullough
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