1	INTERIM STUDY PROPOSAL 2011-102					
2	State of Arkansas As Engrossed: H3/24/11					
3	88th General Assembly A B1II					
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6	By: Representative Sanders					
7	Filed with: Interim House Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor					
8	pursuant to A.C.A. §10-3-217.					
9	For An Act To Be Entitled					
10	AN ACT TO REGULATE THE PERFECTION, FILING, AND					
11	ENFORCEMENT OF MECHANIC'S AND MATERIALMEN'S LIENS; TO					
12	CLARIFY THE STATE'S LIEN LAWS; AND FOR OTHER					
13	PURPOSES.					
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16	Subtitle					
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18	ENFORCEMENT OF MECHANIC'S AND					
19	MATERIALMEN'S LIENS; AND TO CLARIFY THE					
20	STATE'S LIEN LAWS.					
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23	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:					
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25	SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 18-44-115(a)(4), concerning the					
26	consequences of a residential contractor's failure to give the owner of real					
27	property notice of a potential lien, is amended to read as follows:					
28	(4) If a residential contractor fails to give the notice					
29	required under this subsection, then the residential contractor is barred					
30	from bringing an action either at law or in equity, including without					
31	limitation quantum meruit, to enforce any provision of a residential contract					
32	unless the residential contractor has substantially complied with the notice					
33	requirements of this subsection.					
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35	<u>/s/Sanders</u>					
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