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7	By: Representative Wooldridge					
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9		Filed with: House Committee on Pub	olic Health, Welfare, and Labor			
10	pursuant to A.C.A. §10-3-21					
11	For An Act To Be Entitled					
12	AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN					
13	COUNSELING TO ISSUE A PROVISIONAL LICENSE FOR A					
14	LICENSED ASSO	OCIATE COUNSELOR; AND FOR OTHER P	URPOSES.			
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17		Subtitle				
18	TO REQU	IRE THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF				
19	EXAMINE	RS IN COUNSELING TO ISSUE A				
20	PROVISI	ONAL LICENSE FOR A LICENSED				
21	ASSOCIA	TE COUNSELOR.				
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23	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENE	ERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARK	ANSAS:			
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25	SECTION 1. Arkansa	as Code § 17-27-302, concerning t	he qualifications to			
26	become a licensed associa	ate counselor, is amended to add	an additional			
27	subsection to read as fol	llows:				
28	(e)(l) Upon applic	cation and satisfactory documenta	tion of all			
29	requirements, the board s	shall issue a provisional license	to an applicant to			
30	be a licensed associate of	counselor if he or she qualifies	under this section.			
31	(2) A provis	sional license under subdivision	(e)(l) of this			
32	section:					
33	<u>(A) Is</u>	s valid for one (1) year and up to	o three (3) attempts			
34	to pass the examination t	<u>inder § 17-27-306; and</u>				
35	<u>(B) Ca</u>	annot be renewed.				

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- 2 Referred by Representative Wooldridge
- 3 Prepared by: JMB/JMB

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