Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1	State of Arkansas	As Engrossed: H1/10/01	
2	83rd General Assembly	A Bill	
3	Regular Session, 2001		HOUSE BILL 1030
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5	By: Representative Minton		
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8	For An Act To Be Entitled		
9	AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 26-75-222 TO ESTABLISH		
10	THAT A CONSTRUCTION PROJECT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE		
11	DEFINITION OF A SINGLE TRANSACTION; AND FOR OTHER		
12	PURPOSES.		
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14	Subtitle		
15	TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 26-75-222 TO		
16	ESTABLISH THAT A CONSTRUCTION PROJECT		
17	SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE DEFINITION OF A		
18	SINGL	LE TRANSACTION.	
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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 26-75-222(b) is amended to read as follows:		
24	(b)(1)(A) The term "single transaction", as used in this section and $\S\S$		
25	26-75-207 - 26-75-212, shall be defined by ordinance of the municipality		
26	levying the tax <u>and shall include a construction project as a single</u>		
27	transacti on.		
28	(B)(i) Every city ordinance adopted a	after January 1, 1998,
29	which calls for an election to levy a local sales and use tax authorized by		
30	this subchapter or any other provision of the Arkansas Code shall contain a		
31	definition of the term "single transaction" which definition shall amend all		
32	other previous ordinances defining "single transaction".		
33	(ii) Provided, however, any city which adopts an		
34	ordinance which calls for an election to levy a local sales and use tax		
35	authorized by this subchapter or any other provision of the Arkansas Code may		
36	comply with this provision by adopting a definition of the term "single		

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1 transaction" prior to the commencement of the collection of the local sales 2 and use tax.

- (2) Effective January 1, 1998 2002, the most recent definition of "single transaction" adopted prior to January 1, 1998 2002, shall <u>include a construction project as a single transaction and shall</u> apply to and amend all previous local sales and use tax ordinances.
- (3) It is the intent of this provision to require each city which levies a local sales and use tax to adopt a uniform definition of the term "single transaction" for all taxes levied by the city or county.
 - (4) This provision is limited to ordinances levying local sales and use taxes collected by the Department of Finance and Administration.

- SECTION 2. Arkansas Code 26-74-220(b) concerning maximum tax limitations, is amended to read as follows:
- (b)(1) The term "single transaction", as used in this section and §§ 26-75-207 26-75-212, shall be defined by ordinance of the county levying the tax and shall include a construction project as a single transaction.
 - (2)(A) Every county ordinance adopted after January 1, 1998, which calls for an election to levy a local sales and use tax authorized by this subchapter or any other provision of the Arkansas Code shall contain a definition of the term "single transaction" which definition shall amend all other previous ordinances defining "single transaction".
 - (B) Provided, however, any county which adopts an ordinance which calls for an election to levy a local sales and use tax authorized by this subchapter or any other provision of the Arkansas Code may comply with this provision by adopting a definition of the term "single transaction" prior to the commencement of the collection of the local sales and use tax.
 - (3) Effective January 1, 1998 2002, the most recent definition of "single transaction" adopted prior to January 1, 1998 2002, shall include a construction project as a single transaction and shall apply to and amend all previous local sales and use tax ordinances.
 - (4) It is the intent of this provision to require each county which levies a local sales and use tax to adopt a uniform definition of the term "single transaction" for all taxes levied by the county.
 - (5) This provision is limited to ordinances levying local sales

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1	and use taxes collected by the Department of Finance and Administration.	
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3	SECTION 3. The Department of Finance and Administration shall	
4	promulgate rules and regulations to administer the provisions of this act.	
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6	SECTION 4. <u>Effective Date.</u> [THE ARKANSAS CODE REVISION COMMISSION IS	
7	NOT REQUIRED TO CODIFY THIS SECTION.] This act shall be effective January 1,	
8	<u>2002.</u>	
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