

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
2 83rd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2001

A Bill

SENATE BILL 765

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5 By: Senator Gullett
6 By: Representative Dees

For An Act To Be Entitled

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10 AN ACT TO PREVENT THE DISCLOSURE OF GENETIC
11 INFORMATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

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14 AN ACT TO PREVENT THE DISCLOSURE OF
15 GENETIC INFORMATION.

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

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20 SECTION 1. No person or other entity who maintains genetic information
21 shall be compelled to disclose such information pursuant to a request for
22 compulsory disclosure in any judicial, legislative, or administrative
23 proceeding, unless:

24 (1) The request for compulsory disclosure is in accordance with
25 court-ordered paternity testing in a civil action to determine paternity;

26 (2) The individual whose genetic information is requested is a
27 party to the proceeding and the genetic information is at issue;

28 (3) The genetic information is for use in a law enforcement
29 investigation or criminal trial; or

30 (4) The genetic information is for use in a law enforcement
31 investigation where an insurer is reporting fraud or criminal activity.