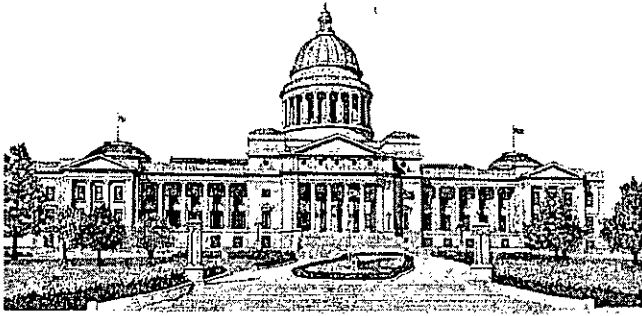


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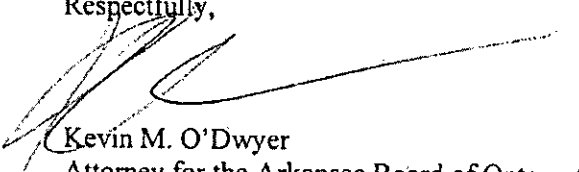
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3. Two copies of the Proposed Amendment (clean copy).
4. Two copies of a Summary.
5. Copy of Act or Regulation.
6. Two copies of the Notice of Hearing that is being published, setting forth the public hearing for April 23, 2020 with e-mail from the Daily Record.

Please let me know if you need anything further at this time.

Respectfully,


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All individuals desiring to attend said hearing may do so. All individuals desiring to address the Board should contact Howard F. Flippin, O.D., Executive Director, 501-268-4351. Individuals desiring a copy of the proposed Chapter IX, Article I, as referred to herein, may contact Howard F. Flippin, O.D., Executive Director, at the above number.

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