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A Bill

SENATE BILL 332

By: Senators J. Key, Elliott, J. English, Rapert

By: Representatives Lenderman, J. Edwards, Hopper, Hutchison, Lampkin, Murdock, Nickels, Ratliff, F. Smith, Williams, Word

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION RATE FOR
THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE
PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AMEND THE EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION RATE
FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' HEALTH
INSURANCE PROGRAM.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-1117(a), concerning the employer contribution rate for the public school employees' health insurance program, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) ~~Beginning on October 1, 2004, local school districts~~ Beginning on January 1, 2014, a school district shall pay the health insurance contribution rate of ~~one hundred thirty one dollars (\$131)~~ one hundred fifty dollars (\$150) per month for each eligible employee electing to participate in the public school employees' health insurance program.

(2) The contribution rate under this subsection (a) shall increase annually by the same percentage that the legislature increases the salary and benefit component of the per-student foundation funding amount under § 6-20-2305.

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