

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

SENATE BILL 270

By: Senators J. Woods, J. Hutchinson

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO ALLOW PARTICIPATION IN EXTRACURRICULAR
ACTIVITIES BY STUDENTS ENROLLED IN GRADES SEVEN
THROUGH TWELVE (7-12) IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS
WITHOUT A WAITING PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

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ACTIVITIES BY STUDENTS ENROLLED IN GRADES
SEVEN THROUGH TWELVE (7-12) IN PUBLIC AND
PRIVATE SCHOOLS WITHOUT A WAITING PERIOD.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 10, Subchapter 1, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

6-10-107. Participation in interscholastic athletic and extracurricular activities in grades seven through twelve (7-12).

(a) A student enrolled in grades seven through twelve (7-12) in a public school or a private school may participate in interscholastic athletic or extracurricular activities in this state immediately upon moving into a school district or beginning to attend a public school or private school.

(b) It is a violation of the Code of Ethics for Arkansas Educators concerning maintaining professional relationships with students and maintaining professional integrity for a licensed teacher, administrator, or athletic coach to recruit a student from another school to participate in an athletics program or extracurricular activity.



/s/J. Woods