

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

State of Arkansas  
89th General Assembly  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 699

By: Senator Holland

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING AMOUNTS; TO  
PROVIDE RESOURCES FOR EDUCATIONAL ADEQUACY; TO  
DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

TO AMEND PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING AMOUNTS;  
TO PROVIDE RESOURCES FOR EDUCATIONAL  
ADEQUACY; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

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

SECTION 1. The purpose of this ct is to amend public school funding amounts; to provide resources for educational adequacy; and to declare an emergency.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that it is the state's constitutional obligation to provide a general, suitable, and efficient free system of public schools in the state; that the public school funding distribution changes in this act are needed to ensure that proper funding is provided to public schools and school districts; and that this act is necessary so that public schools and school districts will receive the amount of funding provided under this act for the 2013-2014 school year. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2013.

