

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

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1905

By: Representative Walker

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO SPECIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR A SUPERINTENDENT
IN A SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ONE THOUSAND (1000) STUDENTS
OR MORE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO SPECIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR A
SUPERINTENDENT IN A SCHOOL DISTRICT OF
ONE THOUSAND (1000) STUDENTS OR MORE.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-13-620(5)(A)(i), concerning the powers and duties of school district boards of directors, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(d)(1) For a school district with an average daily membership of one thousand (1000) students or more, a superintendent hired on or after July 1, 2011, shall have achieved a composite score of at least sixteen (16) on the American College Test or American College Test-equivalent exam.

(2) An interim superintendent of a school district with an average daily membership of one thousand (1000) students or more shall not be considered for a permanent superintendent position unless the interim superintendent has achieved a composite score of at least sixteen (16) on the American College Test or American College Test - equivalent exam.



SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY.

A superintendent who is currently employed in a school district with an average daily membership of one thousand (1000) students or more has one (1) year from the effective date of this act to provide evidence that he or she has satisfied the requirements of § 6-13-620(5)(A)(i)(d).