

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **78th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1991**
4 **By: Representative Dawson**

A Bill

HOUSE BILL

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT NO PERSON MAY SERVE AS A MEMBER OF
9 THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF ANY SCHOOL DISTRICT WHO IS
10 DELINQUENT IN THE PAYMENT OF ANY AD VALOREM TAXES OR HAS
11 FAILED TO PAY FEDERAL OR STATE INCOME TAXES; AND FOR OTHER
12 PURPOSES."

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

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16 SECTION 1. No person may serve, whether elected or appointed, as a
17 member of the board of directors of any school district who is delinquent in
18 the payment of any ad valorem taxes levied under any laws of this state or who
19 has failed to pay federal or state income taxes.

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21 SECTION 2. (a) Any citizen residing in the school district or the
22 prosecuting attorney of the county in which the school district is located may
23 bring an action in the circuit court in the county in which the school
24 district is located to remove any member from the board of directors of the
25 school district who has violated this act.

26 (b) If, upon hearing, the charges are proved to be true, the court
27 shall enter a judgment of record removing the board member from the board.

28 (c) The board of directors of the school district may provide for the
29 removal of any appointed board member who violates this act upon a majority
30 vote of the board.

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32 SECTION 3. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
33 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
34 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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1 SECTION 4. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
2 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
3 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
4 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
5 act are declared to be severable.

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7 SECTION 5. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are
8 hereby repealed.

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