

1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **78th General Assembly**  
3 **Regular Session, 1991**

# A Bill

**HOUSE BILL**

4 **By: Representatives King, McKissack, Mills, Thurman, Allen and Gibson**

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## **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO CREATE THE STUDY COMMISSION ON COLLEGE GRADUATE  
9 RETENTION."

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

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13 SECTION 1. (a) There is established the Study Commission on College  
14 Graduate Retention. The commission shall be composed of:

15 (1) twelve (12) members representing higher education and  
16 business interests to be appointed by the Governor;

17 (2) not more than six (6) members of the House of Representatives  
18 from the Joint Interim Committee on Education to be appointed by the House Co-  
19 Chairman of the Joint Interim Committee on Education; and

20 (3) not more than three (3) Senators from the Joint Interim  
21 Committee on Education appointed by the Senate Co-Chairman of the Joint  
22 Interim Committee on Education.

23 (b) The members of the commission shall select a chairman.

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25 SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of the commission to examine methods to  
26 encourage college graduates to stay in Arkansas. The commission shall make  
27 its findings and recommendations to the Joint Interim Committee on Education  
28 by March 1, 1992. The commission shall expire upon the completion of its  
29 duties.

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31 SECTION 3. Members of the House of Representatives and the Senate of  
32 the Arkansas General Assembly who are appointed to the commission shall be  
33 entitled to receive milage and per diem while attending meetings of the  
34 commission at the same rate as for attending Joint Interim Committees of the  
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SECTION 4. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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

SECTION 6. All laws or parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

