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1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **79th General Assembly**  
3 **Regular Session, 1993**  
4 **By: Representative Mahony**

**H.C.R. 1006**

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7 **HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

8 REQUESTING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND PRESIDENT  
9 CLINTON TO SUPPORT REAUTHORIZATION OF THE ELEMENTARY AND  
10 SECONDARY EDUCATION ACT OF 1965 TO ENCOURAGE SYSTEMIC  
11 EDUCATIONAL REFORM.

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13 **Subtitle**

14 REQUESTING CONGRESS AND PRESIDENT CLINTON TO REAUTHORIZE  
15 THE ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION ACT OF 1965.

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17 WHEREAS, the 103rd Congress will soon consider the reauthorization of  
18 the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965; and

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20 WHEREAS, Chapter One of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of  
21 1965 established a grant program providing aid to schools to help  
22 disadvantaged students achieve necessary educational skills; and

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24 WHEREAS, many educators consider Chapter One essential to public  
25 education but as currently organized, Chapter One is a fundamental impediment  
26 to educational reform;

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28 WHEREAS, a restructuring of Chapter One through reauthorization of the  
29 Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 will provide greater  
30 flexibility for educational reform.

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32 NOW THEREFORE,  
33 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SEVENTY-NINTH GENERAL  
34 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

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1            THAT the Seventy-Ninth General Assembly of the State of Arkansas  
2 respectfully requests that the United States Congress and President Clinton  
3 support a reauthorization of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of  
4 1965, to ensure that the Chapter One program is both equitable and provides  
5 increased flexibility in the use of funds to foster systemic educational  
6 reforms.

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