

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
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5 By: Senator J. Jeffress

A Bill

SENATE BILL 35

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IN THEIR CHILD'S EDUCATION BY REQUIRING EMPLOYERS TO ALLOW PARENTS TO TAKE UNPAID LEAVE TO ATTEND PARENT-TEACHERS CONFERENCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IN THEIR CHILD'S EDUCATION BY REQUIRING EMPLOYERS TO ALLOW PARENTS TO TAKE UNPAID LEAVE TO ATTEND PARENT-TEACHERS CONFERENCES.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 11, Chapter 4, Subchapter 6, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

11-4-613. Unpaid leave to attend parent-teacher conferences.

(a) For purposes of this section:

(1) "Employee" means a person performing work or service of any kind or character for compensation;

(2) "Employer" means a person employing a person for compensation;

(3) "Parent" means:

(A) A natural parent; or

(B) A person with whom the student resides if the person

is:

(i) A stepparent;



