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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1905

5 By: Representative Walker
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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

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13 TO SPECIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR A
14 SUPERINTENDENT IN A SCHOOL DISTRICT OF
15 ONE THOUSAND (1000) STUDENTS OR MORE.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-13-620(5)(A)(i), concerning the powers
22 and duties of school district boards of directors, is amended to add an
23 additional subdivision to read as follows:

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

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

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

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