Act 741 HB1636

"AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 1 OF ACT 125 OF 1979 ESTABLISHING PENALTIES FOR ABUSING OR INSULTING PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. Section 1 of Act 125 of 1979, the same being Arkansas Statute 80-1905.1, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 1. (a) Any person who shall abuse or insult a public school teacher while such teacher is performing normal and regular or assigned school responsibilities shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be liable to a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) nor more than one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

(b) Each school district shall report to the State Department of Education any prosecutions within the school districts under this Act."

SECTION 2. All laws or parts of laws in conflict with this \mbox{Act} are hereby repealed.

APPROVED: April 7, 1987