

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 82nd General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1999  
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# A Bill

Act 40 of 1999  
HOUSE BILL 1148

5 By: Representative J. Jeffress  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED §§ 6-17-1208  
10 AND 6-17-1306 BY GRANTING LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS  
11 AUTHORITY TO PERMIT DISTRICT CERTIFIED EMPLOYEES WHO  
12 ARE HUSBAND AND WIFE TO SHARE ACCUMULATED SICK LEAVE  
13 AND AUTHORITY TO ESTABLISH SICK LEAVE POOLS OR BANKS  
14 FOR CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

## Subtitle

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16 "GRANTING SCHOOL DISTRICTS AUTHORITY TO  
17 PERMIT DISTRICT CERTIFIED EMPLOYEES WHO  
18 ARE HUSBAND AND WIFE TO SHARE  
19 ACCUMULATED SICK LEAVE AND AUTHORITY TO  
20 ESTABLISH SICK LEAVE BANKS FOR  
21 CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES."  
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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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26 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Annotated § 6-17-1208 is amended to read as  
27 follows:

28 "6-17-1208. Authority to liberalize policy.

29 The number of days of sick leave provided by this subchapter are  
30 minimums only, and nothing in this subchapter shall prohibit any school  
31 district from providing more days of sick leave or from having a more liberal  
32 policy for the administration of sick leave, including, but not limited to,  
33 the establishment of sick leave pools or banks and allowing district employees  
34 who are husband and wife to each utilize the other's accumulated sick leave."  
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36 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Annotated § 6-17-1306 is amended to read as

1 follows:

2 "6-17-1306. Authority to liberalize policy.

3 The number of days of sick leave provided by this subchapter are  
4 minimums only, and nothing in this subchapter shall prohibit any school  
5 district from providing more days of sick leave or from having a more liberal  
6 policy for the administration of sick leave, including, but not limited to,  
7 the establishment of sick leave pools or banks and allowing district employees  
8 who are husband and wife to each utilize the other's accumulated sick leave."  
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10 SECTION 3. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature  
11 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code  
12 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.  
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14 SECTION 4. If any provision of this Act or the application thereof to  
15 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect  
16 other provisions or applications of the Act which can be given effect without  
17 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
18 Act are declared to be severable.  
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20 SECTION 5. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are  
21 hereby repealed.  
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23 APPROVED: 2/11/1999  
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