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A Bill

SENATE BILL 897

5 By: Senator P. Malone
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE PROHIBITION AGAINST HAZING
9 INCLUDES THE INITIATION INTO OR AFFILIATION WITH
10 SPORTS PROGRAMS AND OTHER EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES;
11 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-5-201(b), concerning hazing of students,
24 is amended to read as follows:

25 (b) The term "hazing" as defined in this section:

26 (1) ~~does~~ Does not include customary athletic events or similar
27 contests or competitions; and

28 (2) ~~is~~ Is limited to those actions taken and situations created
29 in connection with initiation into or affiliation with ~~any~~ an organization,
30 extracurricular activity, or sports program.
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