A Bill

For An Act To Be Entitled
AN ACT TO AMEND THE EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION RATE FOR
THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES’ HEALTH INSURANCE
PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle
TO AMEND THE EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION RATE
FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES’ HEALTH
INSURANCE PROGRAM.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-1117(a), concerning the employer
cost for the public school employees’ health insurance program,
is amended to read as follows:
(a)(1) Beginning on October 1, 2004, local school districts Beginning
on January 1, 2014, a school district shall pay the health insurance
cost rate of one hundred thirty-one dollars ($131) one hundred fifty
dollars ($150) per month for each eligible employee electing to participate
in the public school employees’ health insurance program.
(2) The contribution rate under this subsection (a) shall
increase annually by the same percentage that the legislature increases the
salary and benefit component of the per-student foundation funding amount
under § 6-20-2305.

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