

1 State of Arkansas *As Engrossed: H3/13/13 H3/20/13*

2 89th General Assembly

A Bill

3 Regular Session, 2013

HOUSE BILL 1616

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5 By: Representative Nickels

6 By: Senator D. Sanders

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For An Act To Be Entitled

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AN ACT CONCERNING *BAND, MUSIC, AND VISUAL ARTS*

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CREDITS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS IN MIDDLE SCHOOL

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AND HIGH SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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Subtitle

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

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SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-16-130, concerning visual art and music instruction in public schools, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

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(c) A student enrolled in grade seven (7) or grade eight (8) shall participate in:

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(1) Visual arts instruction, appreciation, and application; or

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(2) Performing arts instruction, appreciation, and application.

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/s/Nickels

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