For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE
CONCERNING SCHOOLS OF INNOVATION; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Subtitle
TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE
CONCERNING SCHOOLS OF INNOVATION.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-15-2802(c)(7)-(10), concerning rules for
a school of innovation designation, is amended to read as follows:

(7) Documentation of the understanding and implementation of
research-based practices of professional learning communities;

(8) Process for revocation of a designation as a district of
innovation or school of innovation;

(9) Reporting and oversight responsibility of the school of
innovation and the Department of Education;

(10) Budget and financial details of the school of
innovation; and

(11) Other information necessary as determined by the state
board.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-15-2804(a), concerning schools of
innovation, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(11) Demonstrate research-based implementation of
professional learning communities throughout the school that address
the needs of the students and professionals.

/s/Cozart

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