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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1808

5 By: Representative Boyd
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO REPEAL UNCODIFIED ACTS 2015, NO. 863
9 CONCERNING PARTICIPATION IN INTERSCHOLASTIC
10 ACTIVITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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14 TO REPEAL UNCODIFIED ACTS 2015, NO. 863
15 CONCERNING PARTICIPATION IN
16 INTERSCHOLASTIC ACTIVITIES.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. Uncodified Section 1 of Acts 2015, No. 863, concerning
22 participation in interscholastic activities, is repealed.

23 ~~(a) The Arkansas Activities Association (AAA) shall allow a private~~
24 ~~school student attending a AAA member private school that does not offer~~
25 ~~grades ten through twelve (10-12) to participate on an athletic team during~~
26 ~~the spring semester at a public high school the student will attend during~~
27 ~~the next school year if:~~

28 ~~(1) The private school does not offer the athletic program; and~~

29 ~~(2) The student meets the participation requirements, except for~~
30 ~~attendance requirements, by the school district in which the student seeks to~~
31 ~~participate on an athletic team that is in the resident school district in~~
32 ~~which the student's parent or guardian resides as determined under § 6-18-~~
33 ~~202.~~

34 ~~(b) If a student participates on an athletic team during the spring~~
35 ~~semester at a public high school as allowed under subsection (a) of this~~
36 ~~section and the student does not attend the public high school in the next~~



1 ~~school year, the student shall be ineligible to participate in AAA sanctioned~~
2 ~~athletics for one (1) year unless the student's parent or guardian make a~~
3 ~~complete and bona fide change of domicile move in accordance with the~~
4 ~~Arkansas Activities Association guidelines for public and nonpublic change of~~
5 ~~domicile.~~

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