Act 847 of the 1989 Regular Session.

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By: Joint Budget Committee

"AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6, CHAPTER 21, SUBCHAPTER 4, OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 TO INCREASE MEMBERSHIP ON THE TEXTBOOK SELECTION COMMITTEE, TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF BOOKS AVAILABLE FOR EACH STUDY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 6-21-409 (c) is hereby amended to read as follows:

(c) (1) For grades 7-12, inclusive, it shall be the duty of each selecting committee to recommend to the State Board of Education not less than eight (8) books for each unit of study on each subject for which it is appointed, provided at least eight (8) suitable books have been bid.

(2) For grades 1-6, inclusive, it shall be the duty of each selecting committee to recommend to the State Board of Education textbooks and other instructional materials for not less than eight (8) nor more than twelve (12) total basic instructional programs, provided at least eight (8) suitable programs have been bid, and textbooks and other instructional materials for not more than twelve (12) total supplementary instructional programs.

SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 3. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

APPROVED: March 22, 1989