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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1407

5 By: Representative C. Douglas
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7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 AN ACT TO ALLOW A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT TO SUBMIT BY
9 ELECTRONIC MEANS ANY SIGNATURES REQUIRED FOR
10 REPORTING PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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13 **Subtitle**

14 TO ALLOW A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT TO
15 SUBMIT BY ELECTRONIC MEANS ANY SIGNATURES
16 REQUIRED FOR REPORTING PURPOSES.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-10-129, concerning efficiency in
22 reporting, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

23 (e)(1) A school district or public school may submit by electronic
24 means any signatures required when submitting reports or data and other
25 information to the Department of Education and the Department of Career
26 Education.

27 (2) As used in this subsection, "electronic means" means any of
28 the following:

29 (A) A scanned and emailed version of a paper document;

30 (B) A document submitted by facsimile transmission;

31 (C) An electronic signature system that includes a
32 passcode and is administered by the Department of Education; or

33 (D) Other technological means approved by the
34 Department of Education.
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