

**ARKANSAS SENATE**  
90th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2015  
**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of House Bill No. 1241**

TO DELAY THE USE OF THE PARTNERSHIP FOR ASSESSMENT OF READINESS FOR COLLEGE AND  
CAREERS (PARCC) ASSESSMENT.

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**Amendment No. 2 to House Bill No. 1241**

Amend House Bill No. 1241 as engrossed, H3/4/15 (version: 03/04/2015 9:59:28 AM):

Delete Section 1 of the bill in its entirety and substitute the following language:

“SECTION 1. DO NOT CODIFY. TEMPORARY LANGUAGE.

(a)(1) The State Board of Education shall not renew its role as a governing state or its participation with the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers or enter into any contract or agreement in excess of one (1) year related to statewide assessments for public school students after the 2015-2016 school year or any school year thereafter.

(2) The state board shall take into consideration any recommendations that are made by the Governor’s Council on Common Core Review before entering into any contract or agreement related to statewide assessments for public school students for the 2016-2017 school year.

(b) This section does not prevent the Department of Education from completing activities with the Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers in order to conclude the 2014-2015 school year, including without limitation all activities related to the scoring and reporting of the 2014-2015 assessments.

(c) Beginning June 1, 2015, neither the state board nor the state Department of Education shall provide access of any individually identifiable student data collected at the state level to the federal Department of Education, to any of the federal Department of Education’s designated program monitors, technical assistance providers, research partners, government assistance organizations, or auditors if the audit is required under 34 C.F.R. § 80.26, without the express written consent of the parent of legal guardian of the student.”

AND

Page 2, line 11, delete "should be discontinued after the 2014-2015" and substitute "may need to be discontinued after the 2015-2016"



The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and \_\_\_\_\_

By: Senator J. Hendren

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Secretary