

Hall of the House of Representatives
91st General Assembly - Regular Session, 2017
Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1781

TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC EDUCATION.

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1781

Amend House Bill No. 1781 as originally introduced:

Delete Representative Petty as sponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representative Lowery as sponsor of the bill

AND

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:
"AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS
CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC EDUCATION; TO REQUIRE A PUBLIC
SCHOOL DISTRICT TO PAY ONE-HALF (1/2) THE COST OF
REMEDICATION FOR A STUDENT WHO RECEIVED A HIGH SCHOOL
GRADE OF B OR BETTER IN THE SUBJECT AREA IN WHICH THE
STUDENT REQUIRES REMEDIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO REQUIRE A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO PAY
ONE-HALF (1/2) THE COST OF REMEDIATION
FOR A STUDENT WHO RECEIVED A HIGH SCHOOL
GRADE OF B OR BETTER IN THE SUBJECT IN
WHICH THE STUDENT REQUIRES REMEDIATION;
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 20, Subchapter 1, is
amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-20-108. Reimbursement for remediation cost.



(a) A public school district shall pay one-half (1/2) of the cost of remediation required for a student by an institution of higher education in this state if the student:

(1) Was enrolled in and attended school in the public school district from grades nine through twelve (9-12);

(2) Received a high school grade of B or better in the subject area in which the student requires remediation; and

(3) Enrolled in the institution of higher education within two (2) years of graduating high school.

(b) The public school district shall send the funds directly to the institution of higher education in which the student is enrolled to be credited to the account of the student."

The Amendment was read _____
By: Representative Petty
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