

Hall of the House of Representatives
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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1583

"AN ACT TO REQUIRE NOTIFICATION TO A SCHOOL DISTRICT WHEN A JUVENILE IS
ARRESTED OR ADJUDICATED DELINQUENT FOR ANY OFFENSE THAT MAY AFFECT
THE SAFETY OF THE JUVENILE WHILE AT SCHOOL OR THE SAFETY ANY OTHER
PERSON WHILE AT SCHOOL."

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1583.

Amend House Bill No. 1583 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 12 and 13, and substitute the following:
"JUVENILE OR OTHERS WHILE AT SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. "

AND

Page 1, delete lines 22 and 23, and substitute the following:
"OF THE JUVENILE OR OTHERS WHILE AT SCHOOL. "

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 9-27-309 is amended by adding an additional subsection to read as follows:

(i)(1) If a juvenile is arrested for unlawful possession of a firearm under § 5-73-119, an offense involving a deadly weapon under § 5-1-102, or battery in the first degree under § 5-13-201, the arresting officer shall as soon as practical notify the school superintendent of the school in which the juvenile is currently enrolled.

(2)(A) The school superintendent shall then notify the school principal and the school resource officer of the school in which the juvenile is currently enrolled.

(B) The arrest information shall be treated as confidential information and shall not be disclosed by the superintendent to any person other than the principal and resource officer who shall also maintain the information as confidential.

(3) The arrest information shall be used by the school only for the limited purpose of obtaining services for the juvenile or to ensure school safety."

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The Amendment was read _____
By: Representative Schall
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Chief Clerk

