

ARKANSAS SENATE
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Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 478

"AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER SCHOOL LAW TO CHANGE THE FACILITY
DESCRIPTION, FUNDING METHOD, NOTICE REQUIREMENTS, AND OTHER
REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 478.

Amend Senate Bill No. 478 as engrossed, S3/19/01:

Page 7, delete lines 15 through 25 and substitute the following:

"(2)(A) The provisions from which the school district may be exempt, for the limited charter school only, shall be limited to the following:

(i) The duty-free lunch period requirements set forth in § 6-17-111;

(ii) The daily planning period requirements set forth in § 6-17-114;

(iii) The committee on personnel policies requirements set forth in § 6-17-201 through 6-17-208; and

(iv) Standards for accreditation set forth in the Arkansas Code, by the Department of Education, or the State Board of Education.

(B) No limited charter school may be allowed an exemption that would allow a full-time certified employee to be paid less than the salary provided in the school district's salary schedule for that employee."

AND

Page 8, delete line 21 and substitute the following:

"certified teachers approve the proposal.

(3)(i) A certified teacher choosing to join the staff of a limited charter school shall be employed by the district by written contract as set forth in §6-13-620(4) with such contract being subject to the provisions of the Teacher Fair Dismissal Act of 1983; and

(ii) The certified teacher shall also enter into a separate supplemental contract specifically for teacher's employment in the limited charter school with such supplemental contract being exempt from the Teacher Fair Dismissal Act of 1983 and § 6-17-807.

(i) Termination of the supplemental contract shall not be

used as a basis to deny continued employment of the teacher within the district in another public school at a similar grade level."

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

By: Senator Brown

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Secretary