

ARKANSAS SENATE
85th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2005
Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 1163

"THE ARKANSAS DISTANCE LEARNING SCHOOLS ACT OF 2005."

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 1163.

Amend Senate Bill No. 1163 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 22, delete "(1)" and substitute "(1)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 26 and substitute the following
"computer-based instructional method.

(B) A public school shall not be eligible to operate a distance learning charter school;"

AND

Page 2, delete line 35 and substitute the following:

"(C) A governmental entity, except for a public school; or"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 4 through 12 and substitute:

"(4) "Eligible student" means:

(A) Any public or private school student who was enrolled in and attended a traditional public or private school in a traditional classroom setting for at least one (1) year prior to the year in which the student seeks enrollment in the distance learning charter school;

(B) Any student who is seeking enrollment in public school kindergarten or grade one (K-1) for the first time; or

(C) Any student who is referred specifically to a distance learning charter school by the public or private school that the student is currently attending; and

(5)(A) "Public school" means a school that is part of a public school district under the control and management of a local board.

(B) "Public school" includes the Arkansas School for Mathematics, Sciences, and the Arts."

AND



Page 8, line 4, delete "one-thousand 1,000" and substitute "five hundred (500)"

AND

Page 8, line 9, delete "one-thousand (1,000)" and substitute "five hundred (500)"

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Page 8, line 14, delete "one-thousand (1,000)" and substitute "five hundred (500)"

AND

Page 8, line 28, delete "three thousand (3,000)" and substitute "one thousand five hundred (1,500)"

AND

Page 8, delete line 29 through 34

AND

Page 8, line 35, delete "(d)" and substitute "(c)"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 17 through 19 and substitute the following:
"from the state in an amount established by the State Board of Education, which shall not exceed an amount equal to the foundation funding per student as determined under the Public School Funding Act of 2003, § 6-20-2301 et seq., plus funding for additional education categories under § 6-20-2305 in amounts determined by the state board as appropriate to support the needs of students attending the distance learning charter school."

AND

Page 10, delete line 1 and substitute "grants, and other revenues as may be provided by law and approved by the state board."

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

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