ARKANSAS SENATE

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Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 391

"AN ACT TO PROVIDE SPECIAL NEEDS FUNDING FOR CERTAIN ISOLATED SCHOOLS: AND TO PROVIDE SPECIAL NEEDS FUNDING FOR CERTAIN SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH A LOW STUDENT DENSITY."

Amendment No. 6 to Senate Bill No. 391.

Amend Senate Bill No. 391 as engrossed, S3/10/05 (version: 03-10-2005 09:17):

Page 2, delete lines 18 through 20 entirely, and substitute the following: "(C) Filed an affidavit of isolated school status with the State Board of Education after the consolidation or annexation process or the effective date of this section and the facts of the affidavit are verified by the State Board of Education, or its designee, to meet the requirements of 6-20-601 but for the average daily membership requirements of three hundred fifty (350) students or less."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 16 through 21 and substitute:

"(f) A school district shall receive an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the foundation funding received by the school district under § 6-20-2305(a)(2) based on the three-quarter average daily membership of the school district if the district:

(1) Has a three-quarter average daily membership of less than five hundred (500) students;

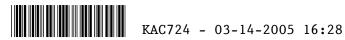
(2) A density ratio of two (2) students or less per square mile; and

(3) The school district received no less than two (2) isolated schools that meet the requirements of § 6-20-601 because of consolidation or annexation under Act 60 of the Second Extraordinary Session of the Eighty-Fourth General Assembly."

AND

Page 3, delete line 24 and substitute:

"provided under § 6-20-603, but shall only receive funding under one (1) of the categories established under subsections (c) through (f) in this section."



If appropriate, renumber the remaining sections of the bill

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and **By: Senator Laverty** KAC/TAT - 03-14-2005 16:28 KAC724 Secretary

AND