

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

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**Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 503**

"AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - GRANTS AND AIDS TO LOCAL  
SCHOOL DISTRICTS APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2005-2007 BIENNIUM."

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**Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill No. 503.**

Amend Senate Bill No. 503 as engrossed, S3/28/05 (version: 03-28-2005 15:53)

Add new sections immediately following Section 21 to read as follows:

" SECTION 22. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. RETIREMENT MATCHING. Beginning with the 1996-97 school year, Local School Districts shall pay the teacher retirement employer contribution rate for any eligible employee in accordance with rules and regulations established by the Teacher Retirement Board of Directors. The appropriation contained herein for Teacher Retirement Matching each fiscal year shall be used to provide the employer matching for employees of the Cooperative Education Services Areas, Vocational Centers, Arkansas Easter Seals and the school operated by the Department of Correction.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2007.

SECTION 23. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. HEALTH INSURANCE. Beginning with the 1996-97 school year, Local School Districts shall pay no less than the health insurance contribution rate established by Arkansas Code 6-17-1117 for each eligible employee electing to participate in the Public School Employee Health Insurance Program. The appropriation contained herein for Public School Employee Insurance each fiscal year shall be used to provide the state contribution for insurance premiums for employees of the Cooperative Education Services Areas, Vocational Centers, and the school operated by the Department of Correction who participate in the Arkansas Public School Life and Health Insurance Program.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2007."

And appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.



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

By: Representative Mahony  
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Secretary