## **ARKANSAS SENATE**

86th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2007

## **Amendment Form**

JBC 02/22/07 (1)

## Subtitle of House Bill No. 1061

"AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - MEDICAID ADMINISTRATION CLAIMING SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION."

## Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1061.

Amend House Bill No. 1061 as originally introduced:

Add a new section immediately following Section 1 to read as follows:

"SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. <u>LIMITATIONS AND REPORTING.</u> Disbursement of funds authorized by this act shall be subject to the following limitations:

- (1) No part of these funds shall be used to coerce, influence, or provide incentive to local school districts to select or deselect a Medicaid provider;
- (2) The Department of Education shall report annually to the House and Senate Public Health, Welfare and Labor Committees that the funds are not being used in a manner prohibited by this act and how they are being expended;
- (3) If any part of this section requires the state plan for the Arkansas Medicaid Administrative Claiming Program to be renegotiated with the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services or would cause in any way the loss of federal funds, this section shall be declared void and be severed from this Act."

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent sections of the bill.



The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and \_\_\_\_\_ By: Senator Faris LEB/LEB - 02-22-2007 11:29 \_\_\_\_\_ LEB058