

ARKANSAS SENATE
86th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2007
Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 986

"AN ACT TO AMEND THE NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE TEACHER FAIR
DISMISSAL ACT OF 1983."

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 986.

Amend Senate Bill No. 986 as originally introduced:

Delete Senator Luker as the sponsor of the bill

AND

Add Senator Wilkins as the sponsor of the bill

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-1506(b)(2)(B), concerning notice requirements under the Teacher Fair Dismissal Act, is amended to read as follows:

(B)(i) The notice of recommended nonrenewal of a ~~teacher~~ teacher's contract shall include a simple but complete statement of the ~~reasons~~ each reason for the recommendation, setting forth the reasons in separately numbered paragraphs and identifying applicable dates, times, places, and events, so that a reasonable teacher can prepare a defense will know what the specific charges are without looking beyond the notice.

(ii) An objective standard shall be used to determine whether the notice complies with the law."



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

By: Senators Luker, Wilkins
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Secretary