

1 INTERIM STUDY PROPOSAL 2013-050

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1777

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6 By: Representative Kizzia

7 Filed with: Interim House Committee on Education
8 pursuant to A.C.A. §10-3-217.

9 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

10 AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE
11 ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING EARLY CHILDHOOD *EDUCATION*;
12 *TO STUDY THE EFFECTIVE USE OF STATE RESOURCES AND*
13 *COORDINATION OF PROGRAMS TO IMPROVE EDUCATIONAL*
14 *OUTCOMES FOR CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO AGE FIVE (5); AND*
15 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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18 **Subtitle**

19 TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF
20 THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING EARLY
21 CHILDHOOD EDUCATION.

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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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26 *SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 45, Subchapter 1, is amended*
27 *to add an additional section to read as follows:*

28 *6-45-112. Study of educational programs for children from birth*
29 *through five (5) years of age.*

30 *(a) The House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on*
31 *Education in partnership with the Arkansas Early Childhood Commission and*
32 *other organizations identified by the House Committee on Education and the*
33 *Senate Committee on Education, shall conduct an interim study of Arkansas*
34 *early childhood education to:*

35 *(1) Evaluate the efficiency and effectiveness of the state's*
36 *current programs serving children from birth to five (5) years of age;*

