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A Bill

SENATE BILL

188

By: Senator Luelf

For An Act To Be Entitled

"AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE CONTRACT PERIOD FOR ANY CONTRACT OF EMPLOYMENT ENTERED INTO BETWEEN TEACHERS AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS SHALL NOT EXCEED ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY-FIVE DAYS FOR ANY SCHOOL YEAR UNLESS THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY PROVIDES PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS AN AVERAGE INCREASE IN SALARY OF FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. Those requirements contained in the "Standards of Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools" prepared by the Education Standards Committee concerning minimum student-teacher interaction time, minimum period for teacher contracts, and the minimum elementary principal contract period shall be indefinitely suspended until the Arkansas General Assembly enacts legislation which will provide Arkansas public school teachers an average increase in salary of not less than four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00). For purposes of this act, the amount of four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00) shall include both state and local funds.

If the General Assembly does not enact legislation which will provide public school teachers an average increase in salary of four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00) using state and local funds, the contract period for any contract of employment entered into between a teacher and a school district shall not exceed one hundred eighty-five (185) teacher contract days for any school year beginning with the 1989-1990 school year.

SECTION 2. This act shall be known as the "No Raise-No Days" act.

SECTION 3. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code

Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.