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HOUSE RESOLUTION

8 REQUESTING THE JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION TO
9 STUDY THE FEASIBILITY AND DESIRABILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN
10 ARKANSAS BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL EDUCATORS_ STANDARDS AND
11 PRACTICES.

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15 AND DESIRABILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN ARKANSAS BOARD OF
16 PROFESSIONAL EDUCATORS_ STANDARDS AND STANDARDS.

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18 WHEREAS, the General Assembly hereby recognizes that teaching, school
19 administration, and the rendering of other professional educational services
20 in the schools of Arkansas affect the public interest; and

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22 WHEREAS, the General Assembly further recognizes that in order to
23 achieve the highest possible educational standards in the schools of this
24 state, qualified professional educators must be attracted and retained; and

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26 WHEREAS, it is the policy of the State of Arkansas to continually
27 improve the quality of preparation programs for professional educators, to
28 involve professional educators directly in establishing and maintaining the
29 standards of their profession, and to safeguard the welfare of students by
30 preventing the utilization of unqualified educators; and

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32 WHEREAS, it is further the State's policy to assure fair treatment to
33 applicants for certification and to safeguard the public's interest in the
34 effective expenditure of tax dollars for quality education; and

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1 WHEREAS, this policy can be accomplished most effectively if the
2 preparation and certification of professional educators is by an autonomous
3 State agency, composed in substantial part by professional educators,
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5 NOW THEREFORE,

6 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTIETH GENERAL
7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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9 THAT the Joint Interim Committee on Education is hereby requested to
10 study the feasibility and desirability of establishing an Arkansas Board of
11 Professional Educators_ Standards and Practices.
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