

Stricken language would be deleted from present law. Underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

SENATE BILL 224

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5 By: Senator Mahony
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED § 6-11-104 TO
10 PROVIDE THAT SPECIAL MEETINGS OF THE STATE BOARD OF
11 EDUCATION OR THE STATE BOARD OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION MAY
12 BE CALLED BY THE CHAIRMAN OR BY ANY THREE (3) MEMBERS OF
13 THE BOARD WITH NOTICE TO THE MEMBERS; AND FOR OTHER
14 PURPOSES."

Subtitle

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17 "TO PROVIDE THAT SPECIAL MEETINGS OF THE
18 STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION OR THE STATE
19 BOARD OF VOCATIONAL EDUCATION MAY BE
20 CALLED BY THE CHAIRMAN OR BY ANY 3
21 MEMBERS WITH NOTICE TO THE MEMBERS."
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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25 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Annotated § 6-11-104 is amended to read as
26 follows:

27 "6-11-104. Meetings.

28 (a) The State Board of Education shall meet a minimum of six (6) times
29 annually. The board will meet each December to determine the meeting dates for
30 the following year. Special meetings may be called by the chairman of the
31 board ~~on five (5) days' written~~ with no less than twenty-four (24) hours
32 notice to the members and the Director of General Education and with timely
33 responses from enough board members that they will attend such meeting so as
34 to indicate that a quorum will be present. In the absence of the chairman, the
35 Director of General Education shall call a meeting on the request of three (3)
36 members of the board with the same notice and response requirements. If both

1 the chairman and the Director of General Education shall be absent or refuse
2 to call a meeting, any three (3) members of the board may call a meeting by
3 utilizing the same notice and response requirements in notifying the members
4 and the office of the Director ~~similar notices in writing.~~

5 (b) The State Board of Vocational Education shall meet a minimum of
6 four (4) times annually. The board will meet each July to determine the
7 meeting dates for the following year. Special meetings may be called by the
8 chairman of the board ~~on five (5) days' written~~ with no less than twenty-four
9 (24) hours notice to the members and the Director of Vocational and Technical
10 Education with timely responses from enough board members that they will
11 attend such meeting so as to indicate that a quorum will be present. In the
12 absence of the chairman, the Director of Vocational and Technical Education
13 shall call a meeting on the request of three (3) members of the board with the
14 same notice and response requirements. If both the chairman and the Director
15 of Vocational and Technical Education shall be absent or refuse to call a
16 meeting, any three (3) members of the board may call a meeting by utilizing
17 the same notice and response requirements in notifying the members and the
18 Office of the Director ~~similar notices in writing."~~

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20 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
21 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
22 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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24 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
25 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
26 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without
27 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
28 act are declared to be severable.

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

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/s/Senator Mahony

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