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2 82nd General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1791

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5 By: Representative J. Jeffress
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 "AN ACT TO PROHIBIT COURT ORDERED VISITATION MORE THAN
10 150 MILES FROM THE CHILD'S RESIDENCE DURING THE
11 CHILD'S SCHOOL TERM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

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15 "TO PROHIBIT COURT ORDERED VISITATION
16 MORE THAN 150 MILES FROM THE CHILD'S
17 RESIDENCE DURING THE CHILD'S SCHOOL
18 TERM."
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. It is hereby declared to be the public policy of this state
24 that it is detrimental to the educational well-being of children to be
25 required to travel distances greater than one hundred fifty (150) miles from
26 the child's residence, one way, for court ordered visitation during the
27 child's regular school term.
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29 SECTION 2. No court may require any person to cause, in any way, a
30 child to be transported a distance of more than one hundred fifty (150) miles
31 from the child's residence, one way, for court ordered visitation with a non-
32 custodial parent during the child's regular school term, except during breaks
33 of three (3) days or more.
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35 SECTION 3. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
36 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code

1 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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SECTION 4. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

SECTION 5. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.