

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

1 UState of Arkansas
2 82nd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1999

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2273

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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 PRECLUDE A TEACHER'S EMPLOYMENT FROM BEING
10 CONSIDERED PREMATURELY BY A SCHOOL BOARD; AND FOR
11 OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

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14 "TO PRECLUDE A TEACHER'S EMPLOYMENT FROM
15 BEING CONSIDERED PREMATURELY BY A SCHOOL
16 BOARD."

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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. (a) No school board shall consider the performance or
22 potential renewal, nonrenewal, termination or suspension of a teacher or group
23 of teachers except:

24 (1) Following a grievance hearing; or

25 (2) Following a hearing conducted pursuant to the Arkansas Teacher
26 Fair Dismissal Act of 1983.

27 (b) This section shall not, however, preclude a school board from
28 issuing contracts to teachers prior to May 1 of each school year.
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30 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature
31 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code
32 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.
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34 SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to
35 any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect
36 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without

1 the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this
2 act are declared to be severable.

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5 hereby repealed.

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