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Call Item 4

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1102

5 By: Representative Pickett
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO REQUIRE STUDENTS TO ENROLL IN THE SMART
10 CORE CURRICULUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

13 AN ACT TO REQUIRE STUDENTS TO ENROLL IN
14 THE SMART CORE CURRICULUM.
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17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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19 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-18-104 is amended to read as follows:
20 6-18-104. Placement.

21 (a) All students in grades kindergarten through twelve (K-12) of the
22 public schools of this state shall be placed in an educational program that
23 includes the minimum core curriculum established pursuant to § 6-61-217, the
24 Smart Core curriculum established by the State Board of Education, unless a
25 medical doctor and the parent or custodian of the student certifies that a
26 medical condition exists that impairs cognitive functioning and that the
27 student should not pursue the minimum core curriculum.

28 (b)(1) For the purposes of this section, students beginning with the
29 class of 2002 shall ~~meet all of these requirements~~ be enrolled in the minimum
30 core curriculum established pursuant to § 6-61-217 and be better prepared to
31 make career choices.

32 (2) Beginning with students in grade seven (7) in the 2004-2005
33 school year, students shall be enrolled as required under subsection (a) of
34 this section in the minimum core curriculum established pursuant to § 6-61-
35 217 and the Smart Core curriculum established by the state board.
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