

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2793

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

10 AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT THE TEACHER DAILY PLANNING
11 PERIOD OCCURS DURING THE STUDENT INSTRUCTIONAL
12 DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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17 STUDENT INSTRUCTIONAL DAY.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-114(a)(2), concerning the daily
23 planning period for teachers, is amended to read as follows:

24 (2)(A) The planning time shall be in increments of no less than
25 forty (40) minutes during the student instructional day.

26 (B)(i) A teacher who does not receive the planning time
27 required under subdivision (a)(2)(A) of this section during the student
28 instructional day shall be compensated at his or her hourly rate of pay for
29 each missed planning period except as provided in subdivision (B)(ii) of this
30 section.

31 (ii) Planning periods missed because of occasional,
32 not-regularly-scheduled field trips, fire drills, or bomb scares.

33 (C) A school district shall be exempt from the provisions
34 of this subdivision (a)(2) if it:

35 (i) Has collectively negotiated a contract through a
36 local teacher's association; and



