

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.

1 State of Arkansas
2 86th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2007
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1301

5 By: Representative Harris
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO APPLY STATE FOUNDATION FUNDING AMOUNTS
10 PAID TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF ALL
11 ELIGIBLE EMPLOYEES ELECTING TO PARTICIPATE IN THE
12 PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM
13 ADMINISTERED BY THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE
14 AND HEALTH INSURANCE BOARD; TO CREATE THE PUBLIC
15 SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE FUND TO BE
16 USED FOR ADDITIONAL MONTHLY CONTRIBUTIONS TO
17 PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUMS;
18 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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21 TO APPLY CERTAIN FOUNDATION FUNDING
22 AMOUNTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF PUBLIC SCHOOL
23 EMPLOYEES PARTICIPATING IN THE PUBLIC
24 SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE
25 PROGRAM AND TO CREATE THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
26 EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE FUND.
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29 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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31 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-1117(a), concerning school district
32 contributions to employee health insurance premiums, is amended to read as
33 follows:

34 (a)(1) Beginning on October 1, ~~2004~~ 2007, local school districts shall
35 pay the health insurance contribution rate of one hundred thirty-one dollars
36 (\$131) per month for each ~~eligible~~ employee ~~electing~~ eligible to participate



1 in the public school employees' health insurance program administered by the
2 State and Public School Life and Health Insurance Board.

3 (2) With respect to amounts received in a plan year in excess of
4 the amount required for public school employee participants in the employees'
5 health insurance program, the Employee Benefits Division of the Department of
6 Finance and Administration shall annually administer the excess amount to
7 reduce the health insurance premiums of all public school employee
8 participants of the employees' health insurance program for the following
9 year.

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