1	State of Arkansas	A Bill	
2	86th General Assembly	A DIII	HOUGE DILL 2420
3	Regular Session, 2007		HOUSE BILL 2429
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5	By: Representative Abernathy		
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7 8		For An Act To Be Entitled	
9	AN ACT CONCERNING THE CALCULATION OF A SCHOOL		
10	DISTRICT'S MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER		
11	PURPOSES.		
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13	Subtitle		
14	AN ACT CONCERNING THE CALCULATION OF A		
15	SCHOOL DISTRICT'S MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS.		
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18	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GEN	ERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF	ARKANSAS:
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20	SECTION 1. Notwithstanding anything in Arkansas Code § 6-20-2303(11)		
21	to the contrary, in determining a school district's miscellaneous funds there		
22	shall not be included in the five-year average of collections any of the		
23	following funds that the school district is no longer receiving: federal		
24	forest reserves, federal grazing rights, federal mineral rights, federal		
25	impact aid, federal floor	d control, wildlife refuge fur	nds, or severance taxes.
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27	SECTION 2. EMERGE	NCY CLAUSE. It is found and o	determined by the
28	General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the 2006 Act 57 study		
29	recommended that foundation funding and categorical funding be increased for		
30	the 2007-2008 and 2008-2009 school years; that the method of calculating the		
31	state foundation funding aid should be changed to ensure that all public		
32	school districts receive the full amount of foundation funding; and that this		
33	act is necessary to ensure that public school districts receive adequate		
34	foundation funding for the 2007-2008 school year. Therefore, an emergency is		
35	declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the		
36	public peace, health, and	d safetv shall become effectiv	ze on July I. 2007.

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