

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 2619

5 By: Representative Walters  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO PROVIDE TEACHERS CREDIT ON THE  
10 COMPENSATION SCHEDULE FOR TEACHING AT A JUVENILE  
11 DETENTION FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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### Subtitle

14 TO PROVIDE TEACHERS CREDIT ON THE  
15 COMPENSATION SCHEDULE FOR TEACHING AT A  
16 JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITY.  
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-2403(d), concerning the minimum  
22 teacher compensation schedule, is amended to read as follows:

23 (d)(1) For purposes of the salary schedules described in this section,  
24 the teacher's experience is his or her total years' experience as a teacher  
25 with a valid Arkansas teaching license and teaching at any:

26 (A) Public school accredited by the Department of  
27 Education or a nationally recognized accrediting association;

28 (B) Private school within the State of Arkansas accredited  
29 by a nationally recognized accrediting association; ~~or~~

30 (C) Institution of higher education within the State of  
31 Arkansas accredited by a nationally recognized higher education institution  
32 accrediting association; or

33 (D) Any facility operated by the Division of Youth  
34 Services or any facility contracting with the Division of Youth Services to  
35 provide care for juveniles committed to the Division of Youth Services.

36 (2) A teacher's years of experience shall be based upon:



1 (A) The years in the school district in which the teacher  
2 is employed when the salary schedule in this section is considered; and

3 (B) The teacher's years of experience with a valid  
4 Arkansas teaching license at an institution in subdivision (d)(1) of this  
5 section.

6 (3) For purposes of this section, "years of service" means:

7 (A) Performing the full-time duties of a teacher for a  
8 full school year with a valid Arkansas teaching license; or

9 (B) Years of employment with an Arkansas public school in  
10 a full-time position that requires that the teacher have an Arkansas teaching  
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13 /s/ Walters  
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