

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

SENATE BILL 952

5 By: Senator Crumbly  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW TO CLARIFY A SCHOOL  
10 DISTRICT'S USE OF NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH ACT  
11 STUDENT FUNDING FOR TEACHER'S SALARIES; AND FOR  
12 OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

15 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW TO CLARIFY  
16 A SCHOOL DISTRICT'S USE OF NATIONAL  
17 SCHOOL LUNCH ACT STUDENT FUNDING FOR  
18 TEACHER'S SALARIES.  
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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23 *SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-20-2305(b)(4)(C)(i)(b), concerning public*  
24 *school funding for national school lunch students, is amended to read as*  
25 *follows:*

26 *“(b)(1) ~~Through June 30, 2007, the~~ The State*  
27 *Board of Education shall approve the use of funds by a school district to*  
28 *supplement salaries for classroom teachers only under the following*  
29 *conditions:*

30 *~~(1)(A)~~ (A) The school district meets the*  
31 *minimum teacher salary schedule in § 6-17-2403 without using funds provided*  
32 *under this subdivision (b)(4); and*

33 *~~(2)(B)~~ (B) The school district is permitted*  
34 *to use funds provided under this subdivision (b)(4) to supplement salaries*  
35 *for classroom teachers only to the extent the school district was using funds*  
36 *provided under this subdivision (b)(4) to supplement salaries for classroom*



1 teachers as of January 1, 2006.

2 (2) The state board may promulgate rules  
3 necessary for the implementation of subdivision (b)(4)(C)(i)(b) of this  
4 section.

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6 SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the  
7 General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that many school districts in this  
8 state, in reliance on previous acts of the General Assembly and rules of the  
9 State Board of Education, have increased their salary schedules with national  
10 school lunch student funding; and if these school districts are not permitted  
11 to continue to use these funds for that purpose the school districts will  
12 face a serious financial threat. Therefore, an emergency is declared to  
13 exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the  
14 public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

15 (1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

16 (2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor,  
17 the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the  
18 bill; or

19 (3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is  
20 overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto.

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22 /s/ Crumbly  
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