

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 87th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2009

As Engrossed: S3/26/09

A Bill

SENATE BILL 736

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5 By: Senator Lavery

For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO ENSURE HUMANE CONSIDERATION FOR
10 STUDENTS ENROLLED IN CERTIFIED ISOLATED SCHOOL
11 DISTRICTS WITH SPECIAL GEOGRAPHIC CIRCUMSTANCES;
12 *TO PROVIDE AN ADJUSTMENT TO THE CALCULATION OF*
13 *AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP OF AN ISOLATED SCHOOL*
14 *FOR THE PURPOSE OF MEETING THE ENROLLMENT*
15 *THRESHHOLD FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REORGANIZATION; AND*
16 *FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Subtitle

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20 STUDENTS ENROLLED IN CERTIFIED ISOLATED
21 SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH SPECIAL GEOGRAPHIC
22 CIRCUMSTANCES.

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25 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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27 *SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-20-604(c), concerning special needs*
28 *funding for isolated schools, is amended to read as follows:*

29 *(c)(1) A school district meeting the requirements of subsection (b) of*
30 *this section shall receive an additional amount equal to twenty percent (20%)*
31 *of the foundation funding received by the school district under § 6-20-*
32 *2305(a)(2) for the operation of the isolated school areas if the school*
33 *district has:*

34 *~~(1)~~ (A) School facilities open for kindergarten through*
35 *grade twelve (K-12) in two (2) or more isolated schools meeting the*
36 *requirements of subsection (b) of this section;*



