

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.

State of Arkansas

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88th General Assembly

A Bill

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HOUSE BILL 1017

By: Representative Garner

For An Act To Be Entitled

*AN ACT CONCERNING WEBSITES TO ASCERTAIN THE
EXPENDITURE DATA OF STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF
HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Subtitle

*CONCERNING WEBSITES TO ASCERTAIN THE
EXPENDITURE DATA OF STATE-SUPPORTED
INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION.*

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

*SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 61, Subchapter 1 is amended
to add an additional section to read as follows:*

*6-61-135. Presentation of expenditure data by state-supported
institutions of higher education.*

*(a) As used in this section, "expenditure data" means information
regarding the spending of public funds that adequately identifies the
purpose, amount, payor, and vendor, if such disclosure is permissible under
the Arkansas Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq., and
federal laws or regulations.*

*(b) A state-supported institution of higher education shall present
expenditure data on a website operated by the state-supported institution of
higher education.*

(c) The website shall:

*(1) Be updated on a regular basis to present expenditure data
for the current fiscal year and prior year's annual expenditures, starting
with the 2013 fiscal year; and*



1 (2) Retain expenditure data for each state fiscal year, starting
2 with the 2013 fiscal year, until ten (10) years of expenditure data are
3 available, after which the website shall retain at least ten (10) years of
4 expenditure data.

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