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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1076

5 By: Representative Ratliff
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE
9 ADMINISTRATIVE CONSOLIDATION OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND
10 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE
15 ADMINISTRATIVE CONSOLIDATION OF SCHOOL
16 DISTRICTS.
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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 § 6-13-1602 is amended to read as follows:
22 6-13-1602. Administrative consolidation list.

23 (a) By January 1 of each year, the Department of Education shall
24 publish a:

25 (1) List of all school districts with fewer than three hundred
26 fifty (350) students as calculated under subsection (b) of this section
27 ~~according to the school district average daily membership~~ in the school year
28 immediately preceding the current school year; and

29 (2) Consolidation list that includes all school districts with
30 fewer than three hundred fifty (350) students as calculated under subsection
31 (b) of this section ~~according to the school district average daily membership~~
32 in each of the two (2) school years immediately preceding the current school
33 year.

34 (b) The department shall calculate the number of students under this
35 section for an applicable year as:

36 (1) The average daily membership of the school district; plus



1 (2) The number of prekindergarten students for whom the school
2 district provides transportation, meals, and classrooms.

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