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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1194

5 By: Representative Warren
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT CONCERNING PURCHASES OF COMMODITIES BY PUBLIC
9 SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO ALLOW THE COMMISSIONER OF
10 ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION TO ROUND THE
11 PERCENTAGE CHANGE BETWEEN THE PURCHASE PRICE OF A
12 COMMODITY BY A SCHOOL DISTRICT AND THE CONSUMER PRICE
13 INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS TO THE NEAREST ONE
14 HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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18 TO ALLOW THE COMMISSIONER OF ELEMENTARY
19 AND SECONDARY EDUCATION TO ROUND THE
20 PERCENTAGE CHANGE BETWEEN THE PURCHASE
21 PRICE OF A COMMODITY AND THE CONSUMER
22 PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS TO
23 THE NEAREST ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS.
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26 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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28 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-21-304(a)(1)(B), concerning adjustments
29 of purchase price amounts of commodities by a public school district, is
30 amended to read as follows:

31 (B)(i) Annually on July 1, the Commissioner of Elementary
32 and Secondary Education shall adjust the purchase price amounts under
33 subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section by the percentage change in the
34 Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers or its successor.

35 (ii) When calculating the adjustment under
36 subdivision (a)(1)(A)(i) of this section, the commissioner may round the



1 final amount up to the nearest one hundred dollars (\$100).

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