

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

1 State of Arkansas *As Engrossed: H3/3/21 H3/15/21*
2 93rd General Assembly **A Bill**
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HOUSE BILL 1594

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5 By: Representatives Vaught, Godfrey, *Haak, Hawks, L. Johnson, Maddox*
6 By: Senators L. Eads, *Hester, J. Sturch, D. Wallace*

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8 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

9 AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING TEACHING
10 LICENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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13 **Subtitle**

14 TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING TEACHING
15 LICENSES.

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

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20 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 17, Subchapter 4, is amended
21 to add an additional section to read as follows:

22 6-17-430. Licensing of noncitizens.

23 (a) The Division of Elementary and Secondary Education may grant a
24 license under this subchapter to an individual who, in addition to fulfilling
25 the requirements to teach in this state, satisfies the following
26 requirements:

27 (1) The United States Department of Homeland Security has
28 approved the individual's request for exemption under the Deferred Action for
29 Childhood Arrivals policy;

30 (2) The individual's exemption status under the Deferred Action
31 for Childhood Arrivals policy has:

32 (A) Not expired; or

33 (B) Been properly renewed; and

34 (3) The individual has a current and valid employment
35 authorization document issued by the United States Citizenship and
36 Immigration Service.



