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

State of Arkansas

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A Bill

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By: Representative J. Mayberry
By: Senator A. Clark

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE LIMITATION ON SCHOOL CHOICE TRANSFERS UNDER THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT OF 2015; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE LIMITATION ON SCHOOL CHOICE TRANSFERS UNDER THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT OF 2015.

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

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-18-1906(b)(1), concerning limitations on school choice transfers under the Public School Choice Act of 2015, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(D) A student who is eligible to transfer to a nonresident district under this subchapter shall not count against the cap of three percent (3%) of the resident district under subdivision (b)(1)(A) of this section if the student attended a preschool operated by the nonresident district or a group of nonresident districts for at least one (1) year before the school year in which the student intends to enroll in a kindergarten class in the nonresident district.

/s/J. Mayberry