

ARKANSAS SENATE
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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Bill No. 1700

TO IMPROVE STUDENT OUTCOMES BY PROVIDING STUDENTS, PARENTS, AND GUIDANCE
COUNSELORS WITH RELIABLE INFORMATION REGARDING THE COST OF COLLEGE AND JOB
OPPORTUNITIES IN ARKANSAS.

Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 1700

Amend House Bill No. 1700 as engrossed H3/18/21 (version: 3/18/2021 10:31:30 AM):

Page 2, delete lines 16 through 22, and substitute the following:

"6-60-1201. Definition.

As used in this subchapter, "college" means a state-supported two-year or four-year institution of higher education."

AND

Page 2, line 24, delete "Department of Education" and substitute "Division of Higher Education"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "Department of Education" and substitute "Division of Higher Education"

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "and vocational"

AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "schools"

AND

Page 2, line 33, delete "and vocational"

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Page 2, line 34, delete "schools"



AND

Page 2, line 36, delete "and vocational schools"

AND

Page 3, line 3, delete "and vocational"

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "schools"

AND

Page 3, line 19, delete "a vocational school" and substitute "a two-year college"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "department" and substitute "division"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 24 and 25, and substitute the following:
(2) The Division of Career and Technical Education;
(3) The Division of Elementary and Secondary Education;
(4) The Division of Information Systems; and
(5) The Department of Commerce."

AND

Page 3, line 26, delete "(c) The" and substitute "(c)(1) The"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 27 through 29, and substitute the following:
"this section shall utilize current state reports compiled into a single, easily understandable digest.

(2) The state reports to be utilized shall include without limitation the:

(A) Higher Education Consumer Guide;

(B) Economic Securities Report;

(C) Ready for Life Initiative report and State

Longitudinal Data System;

(D) College Scorecard; and

(E) Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System Data

Feedback reports of the National Center for Education Statistics.

6-60-1203. Information published to public by Division of Higher Education."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 30 through 33, and substitute the following:

"(a) The Division of Higher Education shall partner with the Ready for Life Initiative to include information required under § 6-60-1202 in the Arkansas Ready for Life searchable database, which shall include without limitation:"

AND

Page 3, line 35, delete "Graduation" and substitute "Average graduation"

AND

Page 3, line 36, delete "Salary" and substitute "Average salary"

AND

Page 4, line 2, delete "amounts" and substitute "headcount"

AND

Page 4, line 3, delete "information" and substitute "information of enrollees in each program"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 4 and 5, and substitute the following:

"(7) Percentage of students in student loan default;"

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete "Students receiving" and substitute "Percentage of students receiving"

AND

Page 4, delete line 9, and substitute the following:

"(11) The average one-year retention rate of students majoring in the top five (5) majors;"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 10 and 11, and substitute the following:

"(12) Average success rates, which measure the percentage of students who have graduated, transferred, or are still enrolled in colleges in this state."

AND

Page 4, line 14, delete "or vocational school"

AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "or vocational school"

AND

Page 4, line 19, delete "or vocational school"

AND

Page 4, line 20, delete "at this" and substitute "in this state"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 21 and 22, and substitute the following:
"{insert number} will graduate in 6 years; of those,"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 7 through 11, and substitute the following:
"6-60-1205. Effective date."

AND

Page 5, line 13, delete "January" and substitute "July"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 15 through 25

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____

By: Senator G. Stubblefield

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