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A Bill

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HOUSE BILL 2887

By: Representatives J. Johnson, Penix, Chesterfield, Thomas, Dangeau, Fite, Seawel, Green, Weaver, Hardwick, Pickett, Elliott, Dickinson, Jacobs By: Senator Broadway

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO REQUIRE CERTAIN DATA BE MADE AVAILABLE ON THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION WEBSITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

AN ACT TO REQUIRE CERTAIN DATA BE MADE AVAILABLE ON THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION WEBSITE.

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

SECTION 1. Before January 1, 2004, the Department of Education shall make the following information and data available and easily accessible on its website:

(1) Current comprehensive financial data reports for school districts, including:

(A) Local and state revenue sources;

(B) Administrator and teacher salary and benefit data;

(C) District balances;

(D) Any additional financial data;

(E) Administrative salary and benefit expenditures; and

(F) Teacher salary expenditures.

(2) Each school district's personnel policies required under Arkansas Code §§ 6-17-201 through 6-17-208;

(3)(A) Links to the local district's website containing the school district's contracts with school district employees and district salary schedules.

(B) Each school district or the district's educational cooperative, if the cooperative maintains the district's website, shall publish on the district's website the school district's contracts with all school district employees, except no social security numbers shall be published, and the district salary schedules including the salary schedules for regular certified employees, supplemental and extended contract schedules, and classified employee schedules.

(4) The annual budget of each school district.

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/s/ J. Johnson

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