

1 State of Arkansas
2 BOYS' STATE
3 Boys State, 2021

A Bill

SENATE BILL 1

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5 By: Senator T. Garner
6 By: Representative Evans

For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO PROVIDE INCREASED OPPORTUNITIES FOR
10 EMPLOYMENT FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES; TO
11 PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES FOR SELF-SUFFICIENCY AND
12 INDEPENDENCE FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES; AND
13 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

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17 TO PROVIDE INCREASED OPPORTUNITIES FOR
18 EMPLOYMENT FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH
19 DISABILITIES.

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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF ARKANSAS BOYS' STATE:

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24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, is amended
25 to add an additional section to read as follows:

26 6-6-107. Training opportunities for individuals with disabilities.

27 (a) The purpose of this section is to provide increased opportunities
28 for employment of individuals with disabilities through individualized
29 training with the goal of creating opportunities for employment to maximize
30 employment, economic self-sufficiency, independence, and inclusion and
31 integration into society.

32 (b) The State Board of Education and the Division of Workforce
33 Services shall provide training programs for Arkansas citizens with
34 disabilities to meet the goals specified in subsection (a) of this section.

35 (c)(1) The State Board of Education and the Division of Workforce
36 Services shall jointly create programs required under this section.

1 (2) Each program created under this section shall include a
2 component aimed at:

3 (A) Assisting individuals with disabilities in overcoming
4 social and cultural restrictions; and

5 (B) Providing the general public with information
6 concerning social and cultural restrictions on full participation in society
7 for individuals with disabilities.

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