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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1408

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT CONCERNING WHO MAY SERVE AS A PROCTOR OF A  
9 TEST OR ASSESSMENT ADMINISTERED UNDER THE ARKANSAS  
10 COMPREHENSIVE TESTING, ASSESSMENT, AND ACCOUNTABILITY  
11 PROGRAM ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

14 CONCERNING WHO MAY SERVE AS A PROCTOR OF  
15 A TEST OR ASSESSMENT ADMINISTERED UNDER  
16 THE ARKANSAS COMPREHENSIVE TESTING,  
17 ASSESSMENT, AND ACCOUNTABILITY PROGRAM  
18 ACT.  
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-15-438(d), concerning testing proctors,  
25 is amended to read as follows:

26 (d)(1) ~~A licensed teacher, including a long-term substitute teacher or~~  
27 ~~retired teacher acting as a substitute teacher, The following individuals~~  
28 may serve as a proctor during the administration of a test or assessment  
29 under this subchapter if the ~~licensed teacher~~ individual has received the  
30 training required by the state board, commissioner, or the Department of  
31 Education;

32 (A) Any employee, including a substitute teacher, of a  
33 public school district or an open-enrollment public charter school where the  
34 test or assessment is being administered; and

35 (B) A retired teacher.  
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1           (2) ~~The state board shall not adopt a statewide test or~~  
2 ~~assessment that prohibits the use of a licensed teacher, including a long-~~  
3 ~~term substitute teacher or retired teacher acting as a substitute teacher, to~~  
4 ~~serve as a proctor during the administration of the test or assessment. A~~  
5 ~~relative or guardian of a student shall not serve as a proctor in the same~~  
6 ~~testing room as the student during the administration of a test or assessment~~  
7 ~~under this subchapter.~~

8           (3) ~~As used in this section, "long term substitute teacher"~~  
9 ~~means an individual who holds a valid teaching license who does not have a~~  
10 ~~full-time contract with a school district.~~

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