

1 State of Arkansas  
2 90th General Assembly  
3 First Extraordinary Session, 2015  
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Call Item 7

# A Bill

SENATE BILL 5

5 By: Senators J. Woods, J. Dismang, Bledsoe, A. Clark, J. Cooper, J. Hutchinson, Irvin, E. Williams  
6 By: Representatives C. Douglas, Beck, Bragg, Branscum, Brown, Copeland, Deffenbaugh, Eubanks, L.  
7 Fite, Gates, Jean, Lemons, Pitsch, Scott, Sorvillo, Tosh

## For An Act To Be Entitled

10 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE TIME FOR  
11 THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO MEET IN FISCAL SESSION; AND  
12 FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

16 TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE TIME  
17 FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO MEET IN  
18 FISCAL SESSION.

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

23 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 10-2-101(b)(1), concerning the timing of  
24 the fiscal session of the General Assembly, is amended to read as follows:

25 (b)(1) The General Assembly shall meet in a fiscal session at 12:00  
26 noon on the second ~~Monday in February~~ Wednesday in April of each even-  
27 numbered year to consider appropriation bills.

29 SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 10-2-112(a)(1)(B)(i), concerning the  
30 prefiling of bills and resolutions, is amended to read as follows:

31 (B)(i) The second Monday of ~~January~~ March of each year of  
32 a fiscal session of the General Assembly.

34 SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 10-3-2104(d)(3), concerning findings  
35 recommendations of the House Committee on Education and Senate Committee on  
36 Education, is amended to read as follows:



1           (3) By ~~November~~ March 1 of the calendar year ~~before the~~  
2 ~~beginning~~ of a fiscal session, if the House Committee on Education and the  
3 Senate Committee on Education find that the recommendations in the most  
4 recent adequacy evaluation report filed under this section should be amended,  
5 the House Committee on Education and the Senate Committee on Education,  
6 jointly or separately, or both, shall advise in writing the President Pro  
7 Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives of  
8 their findings and amendments to the adequacy evaluation report.

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10           SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 19-4-304(b)(1), concerning the submission  
11 of the annual revenue forecast to the Legislative Council by the Director of  
12 the Department of Finance and Administration, is amended to read as follows:

13           (1) By ~~December~~ February 1 of the year ~~preceding~~ of a fiscal  
14 session; and

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