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A Bill

Call Item 10
HOUSE BILL 1004

5 By: Representatives Lowery, Cozart, Warren, Gates
6 By: Senator A. Clark
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE LIMIT ON
10 SCHOOL CHOICE TRANSFERS UNDER THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
11 CHOICE ACT OF 2015; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 LIMIT ON SCHOOL CHOICE TRANSFERS UNDER
17 THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT OF 2015.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-18-1906(b)(1)(B), concerning the manner
23 in which siblings are counted as transfer students in the Public School
24 Choice Act of 2015, is amended to read as follows:

25 (B) For the purpose of determining the percentage of
26 school choice transfers under this subsection, siblings who are counted in
27 the numerator as transfer students shall count as one (1) student If the
28 application for a transfer that causes the school district to meet or exceed
29 the three percent (3%) numerical net maximum limit under subdivision
30 (b)(1)(A) of this section is on behalf of a sibling group, then the school
31 district shall allow all siblings in the sibling group to exercise school
32 choice under this subchapter.
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