Notice of Rulemaking

Pursuant to Arkansas Code Annotated § 25-15-201 et seq., notice is hereby given that the Arkansas State Board of Education and the Arkansas Department of Education is considering implementing new Rules Gov. Criminal Background Checks for Substitute Teachers and revisions to the Rules Gov. the Requirement of a Criminal Background Check for the Employment of Personnel in School Districts. A public hearing will be held on both rules beginning at 10:00 am on March 12, 2008 in the ADE Auditorium at #4 Capitol Mall, Little Rock, AR. Written comments should be mailed to the Office of Legal Counsel, #4 Capitol Mall, Room 404-A, Little Rock, AR 72201. Copies of the proposed revisions may be obtained at the Arkansas Department of Education, Office of Legal Counsel, or by accessing the Department's website at http://arkansased.org.