

# ARKANSAS REGISTER

## Proposed Rule Cover Sheet



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Name of Rule ADE-DESE Rules Governing Background Checks  
Newspaper Name Arkansas Democrat Gazette  
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Location and Time of Public Meeting Four Capitol Mall, Little Rock, AR 72201

## 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 Division of Elementary and Secondary Education are considering revisions to the following DESE Rules and are releasing them for public comment: Student Discipline and School Safety; Special Education and Related Services, Sec. 11.00 Discipline Procedures; Special Education and Related Services, Sec. 18.00 Residential Placement; Background Checks; The Arkansas Better Chance Program; and Scoliosis Screening.

A public hearing regarding these amended rules will be held on February 12, 2020, at 1:30 p.m. at the Arkansas Department of Education Auditorium, Four Capitol Mall, Little Rock, AR 72201. Written comments regarding these proposed rules may be mailed to the Office of Legal Services at Four Capitol Mall, Room 301A, Little Rock, AR 72201. Comments also may be emailed to [ADE.RulesComments@arkansas.gov](mailto:ADE.RulesComments@arkansas.gov). A copy of the proposed rules can be found at the Department's website at: <http://www.arkansased.org/divisions/legal/rules/pending>. Copies also may be obtained by contacting ADE's Office of Legal Services at the above address or via phone at (501) 682-4227.

## Taylor Dugan (ADE)

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**From:** Courtney Salas-Ford (ADE)  
**Sent:** Monday, February 3, 2020 10:51 AM  
**To:** Taylor Dugan (ADE)  
**Subject:** FW: Request for publication  
**Attachments:** Notice of Rulemaking .doc

On 2/3/20, 10:30 AM, "legalads@arkansasonline.com" <legalads@arkansasonline.com> wrote:

Thank you. Will run in listed counties on Fri 2/7 and Sat 2/8, but will run in all 75 counties on Sun 2/9.

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From: "Courtney Salas-Ford (ADE)" <Courtney.Salas-Ford@arkansas.gov>  
To: legalads@arkansasonline.com  
Sent: Monday, February 3, 2020 9:50:14 AM  
Subject: Re: Request for publication

Let's do the counties listed below on 2/7-8, and statewide on 2/9. Does that work?

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Sunday is now the only day that the printed newspaper is delivered to all 75 counties in Arkansas.