

REVISED AGENDA (8/31/11)

Senate Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Economic Development House Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Economic Development Meeting Jointly

Tuesday, September 13, 2011

10:00 AM

Room A, MAC

Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Gene Jeffress, Chair
Sen. Stephanie Flowers, Vice Chair
Sen. Mike Fletcher
Sen. Jimmy Jeffress
Sen. Randy Laverty
Sen. Jim Luker
Sen. Mary Anne Salmon
Sen. David Wyatt

Rep. Jerry R. Brown, Chair
Rep. John Burris, Vice Chair
Rep. Charlie Collins
Rep. Robert E. Dale
Rep. John Charles Edwards
Rep. Lane Jean
Rep. Greg Leding
Rep. Homer Lenderman
Rep. Kelley Linck
Rep. Uvalde Lindsey
Rep. Fredrick J. Love
Rep. Walls McCrary
Rep. Stephen Meeks
Rep. Robert S. Moore, Jr.

Rep. Mike Patterson
Rep. Mark Perry
Rep. James Ratliff
Rep. Matthew Shepherd
Rep. Garry L. Smith
Rep. Randy Stewart
Rep. Lori Benedict, Non-Voting
Rep. David L. Branscum, Non-Voting
Rep. Josh Johnston, Non-Voting
Rep. Sheilla E. Lampkin, Non-Voting
Rep. Betty Overbey, Non-Voting
Rep. Gary Stubblefield, Non-Voting
Rep. Jeff Wardlaw, Non-Voting
Rep. Bruce Westerman, Non-Voting
Rep. Tommy Wren, Non-Voting

A. Call to Order

B. Consideration to Approve Minutes from the June 28, 29; July 7; August 3, 4, 2011 Meetings

C. Discussion on Interim Study Proposals (**Adopted 6-14-11**)

1. ISP 2011-029 "An Act to Protect Arkansas' Water in Areas Affected by Gas Drilling Operations"
– Representative Homer Lenderman, Sponsor
2. ISP 2011-040 "An Act to Create a Program for Annual Inspection of Gas Wells"
– Representative Greg Leding, Sponsor
3. ISP 2011-041 "An Act to Protect Arkansans by Requiring Bonds for Gas Drilling Operations"
– Representative Kathy Webb, Sponsor
4. ISP 2011-042 "An Act to Protect Air Quality in the Vicinity of Natural Gas Drilling Fields"
– Representative Greg Leding, Sponsor
5. ISP 2011-043 "An Act to Require Full Disclosure Regarding Natural Gas Drilling Chemicals"
– Representative Kathy Webb, Sponsor

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6. ISP 2011-057 “To Allow the Surface Owner of Property to Purchase the Tax-Delinquent Severed Mineral Rights to their Property and to Regulate Mineral Interests”

– Senator Steve Harrelson, Sponsor

7. ISP 2011-058 “To Regulate Noise Levels for Continuously Operated Non-Wellhead Compressor Facilities”

– Senator Jason Rapert, Sponsor

D. **Consideration to Adopt** Interim Resolution 2011-004 “Requesting the Interim House Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Economic Development to Review the Effectiveness of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission's Notice to the Public of its Regulations Concerning Captive Wildlife and to Encourage the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission to Provide Clear, Comprehensive, and Effective Notification to the Public of its Regulations Concerning Captive Wildlife”

1. Representative Garry Smith, Sponsor

2. Committee Discussion and Action

E. Other Business

F. Adjournment