

**AGENDA**  
**Senate Committee on Children and Youth**  
**House Committee on Aging, Children and Youth, Legislative and Military Affairs**  
**Meeting Jointly**

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**Wednesday, October 14, 2015**

**10:00 AM**

**Room 171, State Capitol**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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Sen. Stephanie Flowers, Chair  
Sen. Bart Hester, Vice Chair  
Sen. Linda Chesterfield  
Sen. Missy Irvin  
Sen. Jonathan Dismang  
Sen. Jane English  
Sen. Alan Clark  
Sen. Bobby J. Pierce  
Sen. Linda Collins-Smith  
Sen. Greg Standridge

Rep. George B. McGill, Chair  
Rep. Charlene Fite, Vice Chair  
Rep. Justin T. Harris  
Rep. David Meeks  
Rep. Sue Scott  
Rep. Mary Broadaway  
Rep. Rebecca Petty  
Rep. Clarke Tucker  
Rep. Laurie Rushing  
Rep. Dan Sullivan

Rep. Bob Johnson  
Rep. Vivian Flowers  
Rep. Julie Mayberry  
Rep. Mickey Gates  
Rep. Karilyn Brown  
Rep. DeAnn Vaught  
Rep. Marcus E. Richmond  
Rep. Dave Wallace  
Rep. James Sturch  
Rep. Brandt Smith

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- A. Call to Order
- B. Opening Remarks
1. Senator Stephanie Flowers
  2. Representative George B. McGill
- C. Department of Human Services (DHS), Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS), Quarterly Performance Report, 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter, SFY 2015, April 1, 2015 – June 30, 2015 **[EXHIBIT C]**
- Cecile Blucker, Director, DCFS
- D. DHS, Division of Youth Services (DYS), 4<sup>th</sup> Quarterly Report, SFY 2015, April 1, 2015 – June 30, 2015 **[EXHIBIT D]**
- Marcus Devine, Director, DYS
- E. 2014 – 2015 Division of Youth Services Annual Report to the Legislature **[EXHIBIT E]**
- Marcus Devine, Director, DYS
- F. DHS-DCFS, Review of Rules, Ms. Christin Harper, DCFS Policy Unit Manager
1. Maintaining Family Ties in Out-of-Home Placement **[EXHIBIT F]**
  2. Division Contact with Children in Out-of-Home Placements
  3. Division Contact with Biological Parent, Legal Custodians, and Legal Guardians Involved in Out-of-Home Placements
  4. Child Near Fatalities and Fatalities **[EXHIBIT F1]**
- G. Administrative Office of the Court (AOC), Court Case Management System, Tim Holthoff, Court Information Systems (CIS) Division Director, AOC
1. CIS Projects Progress at a Glance-Week of September 28, 2015 **[EXHIBIT G1]**
  2. Arkansas Courts on Contexte and eFiling **[EXHIBIT G2]**
  3. AOC, CIS, Group Projects & Activities Report **[EXHIBIT G3]**

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H. Other Business

I. Adjournment