

AGENDA (Revised 3/8/17 @ 6:14 PM Moved SB5 & SB7 off Deferred)
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Sen. Eddie Joe Williams, Chair
Sen. Gary Stubblefield, Vice-Chair
Sen. Missy Irvin
Sen. Bart Hester

Sen. Bryan King
Sen. Terry Rice
Sen. Trent Garner
Sen. David Wallace

RE-REFERRED

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB513	Hester	TO PROHIBIT PUBLIC ENTITIES FROM CONTRACTING WITH AND INVESTING IN COMPANIES THAT BOYCOTT ISRAEL.
SB448	Hester	TO EXPAND THE ABILITY OF THE STATE TO NEGOTIATE CONTRACTS; TO DEFINE "COLLUSION" UNDER ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW; AND TO REQUIRE REVIEW OF A CONTRACT BEFORE IT IS RATIFIED OR AFFIRMED.

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB183	J. Hutchinson	TO ALLOW A WET COUNTY TO AUTHORIZE BY ORDINANCE THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION.
SB426	D. Sanders	TO AMEND THE DISCLOSURE ACT FOR PUBLIC INITIATIVES, REFERENDA, AND MEASURES REFERRED TO VOTERS; CONCERNING REGISTRATION AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; AND CONCERNING FILING DEADLINES.
SB508	Irvin	TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING ARKANSAS DISTILLERIES; TO AUTHORIZE ON-PREMISES SALES BY THE DRINK; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
SB512	Collins-Smith	TO AMEND THE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT; AND CONCERNING THE ADOPTION OF A NEW RULE BY A STATE AGENCY.
SB515	G. Stubblefield	TO EXEMPT CERTAIN RECORDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FROM THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967.
SB520	Maloch	TO PROVIDE FOR OVERSIGHT OF CERTAIN SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS NEGOTIATED BY OUTSIDE COUNSEL ON BEHALF OF THE STATE.
SB521	Hickey	TO AMEND THE PROCESS AND REQUIREMENTS FOR REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS AND REQUESTS FOR QUALIFICATIONS; TO LIMIT THE TERM OF PUBLIC CONTRACTS; AND TO REQUIRE CERTAIN DISCLOSURES IN PROCURING PUBLIC CONTRACTS.
SB525	Rapert	TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR APPROVAL OF A PLAN FOR EXCESS FINANCIAL RESOURCES FOR A BURIAL ASSOCIATION.
SB526	Rapert	CONCERNING THE RULES OF CONDUCT OF EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE PROPER HANDLING OF HUMAN REMAINS WITH DIGNITY.
SB527	Rapert	TO AMEND THE EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS LAW.
SB262	Irvin	CONCERNING THE PREFILING OF LEGISLATION FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
SB540	T. Garner	TO REPEAL REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERIOR DESIGNERS; TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL INTERIOR DESIGNERS TITLE REGISTRATION ACT; AND TO AMEND THE POWERS OF THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTERED RESIDENTIAL INTERIOR DESIGNERS.
SB565	D. Sanders	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE HEALTH PROFESSIONAL DEMOGRAPHIC DATA REPORT.

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SB573	A. Clark	CONCERNING SUBPOENAS ISSUED BY COMMITTEES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
SB574	A. Clark	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT PAYABLE TO CERTAIN STATE OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES.
SB575	A. Clark	CONCERNING THE APPEARANCE OF WITNESSES BEFORE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEES AND SUBCOMMITTEES.
HB1530	Gazaway	TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING LEAVE OF ABSENCE FOR CERTAIN TRAINING PROGRAMS OF THE NATIONAL GUARD OR OF THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES.
HB1555	D. Ferguson	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ALCOHOLIC CONTROL ACT; AND TO CLARIFY THE ELIGIBILITY OF CERTAIN PERSONS TO RECEIVE LICENSES REGARDING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.
HB1595	Holcomb	TO AMEND THE AWARD PROCEDURE FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTS.
HB1633	Dotson	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE MAINTENANCE AND MANAGEMENT OF PUBLIC PROPERTIES AND OTHER FACILITIES IN THE STATE CAPITOL BUILDING; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
HB1728	Ladyman	TO REPEAL THE COMMUNITY SERVICES ADVISORY COUNCIL.
SB175	B. King	TO REQUIRE MEDICAID PROVIDERS AND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS TO DISCLOSE OF CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.
SB176	B. King	TO PROHIBIT DECEPTIVE CANVASSING PRACTICES; AND TO PROHIBIT AN ADMINISTRATOR OR EMPLOYEE OF A NURSING HOME FACILITY FROM GATHERING PETITION SIGNATURES FROM VULNERABLE RESIDENTS.
SCR9	E. Williams	URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO PROPOSE THE REGULATION FREEDOM AMENDMENT TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION.
SB584	E. Williams	CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
SB598	Bond	TO ESTABLISH THE TASK FORCE TO STUDY BEST PRACTICES FOR VOTER REGISTRATION AND EARLY VOTING.
SB617	T. Garner	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 23 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY TICKET SALES.
SB623	E. Williams	TO AUTHORIZE THE GOVERNING BODIES OF COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES TO INITIATE THE PERMITTING PROCESS FOR PRIVATE CLUBS.
SB624	E. Williams	TO CREATE THE STATE BOARD OF EMBALMERS, FUNERAL DIRECTORS, CEMETERIES, AND BURIAL SERVICES; AND TO ABOLISH THE STATE BOARD OF EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS, THE BURIAL ASSOCIATION BOARD, AND THE ARKANSAS CEMETERY BOARD.
SB625	B. King	TO PROHIBIT THE REDISTRICTING OF A POLITICAL DISTRICT IN A WAY THAT INTENTIONALLY DEPRIVES AN ELECTED OFFICIAL OF HIS OR HER REPRESENTATION OF THE DISTRICT HE OR SHE WAS ELECTED TO REPRESENT; AND TO CREATE AN OFFENSE.
SB659	Bond	TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING THE SCOPE OF SMALL BREWERY OPERATIONS; TO ALLOW TRANSPORTATION OF IN-HOUSE PRODUCTS BETWEEN COMMONLY OWNED SMALL BREWERIES AND BREWERIES THAT OWN SMALL BREWERIES; TO CREATE SMALL BREWERY TAP ROOMS.
SB670	Hester	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MEMBERSHIP OF THE ARKANSAS APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION BOARD.
SB680	Caldwell	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT TO COUNTIES FOR LEGAL PROCEEDINGS INVOLVING A STATE INMATE.
SB687	A. Clark	TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO BUILD A PARKING FACILITY ON THE STATE CAPITOL GROUNDS.
SB701	Maloch	TO AMEND THE COURT AWARDS FUND; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE USE OF CERTAIN FUNDS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE.
SB705	Elliott	TO AMEND TIME FOR EARLY VOTING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
SB785	Collins-Smith	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF REAL ESTATE LICENSE LAW.
SB5	K. Ingram	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING APPROVED POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEES; AND TO PREVENT A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FROM FORMING MORE THAN

ONE (1) APPROVED POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE.

[SB7](#) K. Ingram TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ETHICS VIOLATIONS BY CERTAIN ELECTED OFFICIALS; TO PROHIBIT CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS FROM SOLICITING OR ACCEPTING LOANS FROM LOBBYISTS; AND TO AMEND ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 19, SECTION 30.

SHELL BILLS

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB353	Rapert	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PREFERENTIAL AND GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTIONS.
SB545	Files	CONCERNING THE CERTIFICATION OF A BARTENDER AT AN EVENT.
SB588	L. Chesterfield	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE INSPECTION OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS.
SB602	Caldwell	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE EFFICIENT OPERATION OF CERTAIN STATE AGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
SB607	B. King	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE EFFICIENCY AND OPERATIONS OF THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE, GOVERNOR'S MANSION, AND STATE POLICE.
SB619	Standridge	TO REQUIRE THE DEREGULATION OF PROFESSIONAL WRESTLING; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION.
SB627	J. Hutchinson	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING MEETINGS OF THE CLAIMS REVIEW SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.
SB631	J. Dismang	TO REGULATE THE LEVY AND USE OF FEES AND OTHER CHARGES IMPOSED BY STATE ENTITIES.
SB633	E. Williams	TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE STATE MARKETING BOARD FOR RECYCLABLES AND THE COMPLIANCE ADVISORY PANEL.
SB644	D. Wallace	TO TRANSFER THE ARKANSAS STUDENT LOAN AUTHORITY TO THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY; TO AMEND THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
SB667	Hester	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING REGISTERED LOBBYISTS.
SB669	Hester	TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR WRITTEN PUBLIC NOTICES.
SB686	E. Williams	TO CLARIFY CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 19, § 30, CONCERNING GIFTS FROM LOBBYISTS.
SB692	A. Clark	TO AMEND OFFICIAL STATE HOLIDAYS AND OBSERVANCES; TO CHANGE THE STATE HOLIDAY FOR ROBERT E. LEE'S BIRTHDAY; AND TO CHANGE THE STATE HOLIDAY FOR DAISY GATSON BATES DAY.
SB697	Hester	TO AMEND THE LAWS TO IMPROVE CERTAIN BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, AND PROMOTION BOARDS.
SB698	B. King	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PUBLICATION OF PUBLIC NOTICE OF BALLOT MEASURES; AND TO CREATE THE MANDATORY PUBLICATION REIMBURSEMENT FUND.
SB700	Irvin	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE APPROVAL OF EMERGENCY RULES.
SB720	Hester	CONCERNING THE REPLACEMENT OF CURRENT ARKANSAS STATUES IN THE NATIONAL STATUARY HALL COLLECTION IN THE UNITED STATES CAPITOL.
SB723	D. Wallace	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DATES FOR CERTAIN SPECIAL ELECTIONS; AND TO PROMOTE VOTER TURNOUT.
SB726	Collins-Smith	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING PROHIBITED APPEARANCES BY LEGISLATORS AND ETHICAL STANDARDS APPLICABLE TO MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
SB742	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO THE CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE.
SB757	Collins-Smith	CONCERNING THE FILING OF BILLS BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY; TO RELIEVE PRESSURE ON LEGISLATIVE STAFF; AND TO PROHIBIT THE MEETING OF COMMITTEES AT BILL FILING DEADLINE.
SB758	Collins-Smith	TO REVIEW, STUDY, AND REFORM ALL LAWS, STATUES, REGULATIONS, AND RULES PERTAINING TO BEER, LIQUOR AND WINE IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.
SB761	Hester	TO ELIMINATE STATE PAYMENTS SUBSIDIZING ARKANSAS WINERIES; TO PROHIBIT

		THE DIRECT SHIPMENT OF WINE; TO ELIMINATE STATE PAYMENTS SUBSIDIZING ARKANSAS WINERIES; AND TO PROHIBIT THE DIRECT SHIPMENT OF WINE.
SB768	J. Hutchinson	TO AMEND TITLE 3 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE SALE OF ALCOHOL; AND TO REFINE DISTANCE REQUIREMENTS REGARDING THE SALE OF ALCOHOL.
SB772	Hester	TO ADOPT THE PROSPERITY STATES COMPACT.
SB784	Collins-Smith	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE DETERMINATION OF THE SUFFICIENCY OF PETITIONS.
SB789	Standridge	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS SMALL FARM WINERY ANTI-BOYCOTT BILL.

DEFERRED BILLS

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB2	K. Ingram	AN ACT TO AMEND THE TIME DURING WHICH CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS MAY BE SOLICITED OR ACCEPTED; AND TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996.
SB3	K. Ingram	TO PROHIBIT ELECTED PUBLIC OFFICIALS FROM REGISTERING AS LOBBYISTS.
SB4	K. Ingram	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PUBLICATION OF CERTAIN CAMPAIGN FINANCE REPORTS.
SB121	E. Williams	TO AMEND THE REPAYMENT PROVISIONS REGARDING LOANS MADE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION FROM THE BUDGET STABILIZATION TRUST FUND.
SB300	B. King	AN ACT TO CREATE A VOTER INTEGRITY UNIT ADMINISTERED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE; TO PROVIDE FOR COMPREHENSIVE INVESTIGATIONS OF ELECTION MISCONDUCT; AND TO PERMIT THE REVIEW ELECTION PROCEDURE.
HB1441	M. Gray	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PAYMENT OF EXPENSES FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.
SB375	Bond	TO CHANGE THE HOURS FOR EARLY VOTING.
SB378	J. Hutchinson	TO MODERNIZE THE LAW REGARDING THE BUSINESS OPERATIONS OF RETAIL LIQUOR STORES; TO ALLOW RETAIL LIQUOR STORES TO SHIP AND DELIVER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND TO SELL FOOD AND ASSOCIATED MERCHANDISE.
SB418	J. Hendren	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING GENERAL CONTRACTORS.