

AGENDA
Senate Committee on Judiciary
House Committee on Judiciary
Meeting Jointly

Tuesday, July 9, 2019
1:00 PM
Room A, MAC
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Alan Clark, Chair
Sen. Stephanie Flowers, Vice-Chair
Sen. Gary Stubblefield
Sen. John Cooper
Sen. Terry Rice
Sen. Will Bond
Sen. Bob Ballinger
Sen. Greg Leding

Rep. Carol Dalby, Chair
Rep. Rebecca Petty, Vice-Chair
Rep. Matthew J. Shepherd
Rep. Douglas House
Rep. Charlene Fite
Rep. Dwight Tosh
Rep. Laurie Rushing
Rep. Brandt Smith
Rep. John Maddox
Rep. Jimmy Gazaway

Rep. Sarah Capp
Rep. Stan Berry
Rep. Marsh Davis
Rep. Cindy Crawford
Rep. Jamie Scott
Rep. Don Glover
Rep. Nicole Clowney
Rep. Spencer Hawks
Rep. Andrew Collins

- A. Call to Order
- B. Comments by Chair
- C. Consideration to Approve November 26, 2018, Meeting Minutes **[Exhibit C]**
- D. Consideration of a Motion to Authorize Chairmen to Approve Special Expenses Incurred by the House Judiciary Committee **[Exhibit D]**
- E. Consideration and Adoption of Interim Study Proposals (ISPs)
 - 1. **2019-010** (HB1770) by Representative Boyd – *To Be Known as the “Fresh Start Act of 2019;” and to Attempt Disposition of Certain Pending Misdemeanor and Nonviolent Felony Offenses While the Person is Incarcerated in the Department of Correction.* **[Exhibit E-1]**
 - 2. **2019-011** (HB1749) by Representative Richardson – *To Repeal the Installment Fee For An Installment Payment Towards a Court-Ordered Fine.* **[Exhibit E-2]**
 - 3. **2019-019** (HB1540) by Representative Boyd – *To Establish a Process by Which Records of Certain Criminal Offenses are Automatically Removed After a Certain Period of Time; and Concerning the Records of a Person’s Criminal History.* **[Exhibit E-3]**
 - 4. **2019-025** (HB1962) by Representative M. Hodges – *To Reduce the Sentence Classifications for Certain Offenses from a Felony to a Misdemeanor.* **[Exhibit E-4]**

Note: All exhibits for this meeting are available by electronic means and are accessible on the General Assembly's website at www.arkleg.state.ar.us

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5. **2019-027** (HB1788) by Representative Collins – *The Bail Data and Transparency Act.* **[Exhibit E-5]**
6. **2019-034** (HB1240) by Representative Petty – *To Create Sarah’s Law; and to Amend the Availability of Records or Evidence Involving Sexual or Physical Abuse of Children.* **[Exhibit E-6]**
7. **2019-042** (HB1307) by Representative Dotson – *Permitting a Bank or Banking Institution to Utilize the Small Claims Division of a District Court.* **[Exhibit E-7]**
8. **2019-064** (HB1828) by Representative Lowery – *To Create the Parent-Child Intrastate Relocation Act; and to Amend the Law Concerning Whether or Not a Change of Principal Place of Residence of a Child is in the Best Interest of the Child.* **[Exhibit E-8]**
9. **2019-065** (HB1325) by Representative Lowery – *To Amend the Law Concerning Custody of a Child.* **[Exhibit E-9]**
10. **2019-108** (SB517) By Senator Bond – *Concerning Life Sentences Imposed for Nonviolent Felony Offenses Involving a Controlled Substance; Concerning Criminal Sentences; Establishing Retroactive Applicability for Certain Sentences.* **[Exhibit E-10]**
11. **2019-110** (SB661) By Senator Bond – *Concerning the Possession of Marijuana by a First-Time Offender; and Concerning the Possession of a Controlled Substance.* **[Exhibit E-11]**
12. **2019-099** (SB12) By Senator Clark – *An Act to Amend the Definition of “Neglect” and the Law Concerning Closures of Child Maltreatment Investigations to Make Certain Acts of a Parent, Guardian, Custodian, or Foster Parent Noncriminal; and for other Purposes.* **[Exhibit E-12]**
13. **2019-100** (SB13) By Senator Clark – *An Act Concerning Drug Testing Under the Child Maltreatment Act; Concerning Child Maltreatment Investigation Reports; to Amend the Definition of “Neglect”; to Amend the Law Concerning Investigative Determinations; and for Other Purposes.* **[Exhibit E-13]**
14. **2019-106** (SB352) By Senator Clark – *An Act to Amend the Law Concerning Protections for Child Welfare Agencies; and for other Purposes.* **[Exhibit E-14]**
15. **2019-109** (SB578) By Senator Clark – *An Act Concerning Criminal Offenses and Violations of the Law for Which an Available Penalty is a Driver’s License Suspension or Revocation; to Remove a Driver’s License Suspension or Revocation as an Available Penalty for Offenses not Related to Driving a Motor Vehicle; and for other Purposes.* **[Exhibit E-15]**
16. **2019-111** (SB674) By Senator Clark – *An Act to Reduce the Sentence Classifications for Certain Offenses From a Felony to a Misdemeanor; and for other Purposes.* **[Exhibit E-16]**

F. Other Business

G. Adjournment