

AGENDA
Occupational Licensing Review Subcommittee
of the
Arkansas Legislative Council

Thursday, January 15, 2026
1:30 PM
Room A, MAC
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Dave Wallace, Co-Chair
Sen. Scott Flippo, Vice-Chair
Sen. Jane English
Sen. Dan Sullivan
Sen. Clint Penzo
Sen. Tyler Dees
Sen. Fredrick J. Love
Sen. Jim Dotson
Sen. Ben Gilmore, ex officio
Sen. Justin Boyd, ex officio

Rep. Stephen Meeks, Co-Chair
Rep. Fred Allen, Vice-Chair
Rep. Mary Bentley
Rep. Justin Gonzales
Rep. Rick Beck
Rep. Jimmy Gazaway
Rep. Ryan A. Rose
Rep. Chad Puryear
Rep. Les D. Eaves, ex officio
Rep. Jack Ladyman, ex officio

A. Call to Order

B. Comments by the Co-Chairs

C. Review of Reports from Occupational Authorization Entities:

1. Arkansas State Board of Nursing [**Exhibit C1**]

- Ashley Davis, PhD, RN, Director, Arkansas State Board of Nursing, Arkansas Department of Health (ADH)
- David Dawson, JD, General Counsel, Arkansas State Board of Nursing, ADH
- Matt Gilmore, Deputy Director, Boards and Governmental Affairs, ADH

2. Arkansas State Board of Registration for Professional Soil Classifiers [**Exhibit C2**]

- Chris Colclasure, Director, Natural Resources Division, Department of Agriculture
- Matt Ford, Chief Legal Counsel, Department of Agriculture

D. Other Business

E. Adjournment

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