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**SIXTIETH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS`
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

Little Rock, Arkansas

March 10, 2005

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, ARGUE, BAKER, BISBEE, BOOKOUT,
BROADWAY, BROWN, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRITCHER,
FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HIGGINBOTHOM, HILL,
HOLT, HORN, G.JEFFRESS, J.JEFFRESS, JOHNSON,
LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER,
SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TRUSTY,
WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WOMACK,
WOOLDRIDGE.

Leave was requested for Senator Wilkins, Senator Broadway, and Senator
Trusty

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Argue.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Wooldridge, **Senate Bill No. 968** was withdrawn from the Committee on judiciary, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 968

Amend **Senate Bill No. 968** as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 5 through 7, and substitute the following:

"made by federally insured state or federal banks, trust companies, credit unions, savings and loan associations, savings banks or any other person or entity operating under provisions of state or federal law regulating loans or lending practices."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TIM WOOLDRIDGE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 968 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, **Senate Bill No. 1094** was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 1094

Amend **Senate Bill No. 1094** as originally introduced:

Add Representative Bolin as House cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1094 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Miller, **Senate Bill No. 584** was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 584

Amend **Senate Bill No. 584** as originally introduced:

Add Senator Madison as a cosponsor.

AND

Add Representatives Lamoureux and Ledbetter as cosponsors.

AND

Page 1, delete line 10 and substitute:
"INCREASE THE FILING FEE FOR REOPENING A CASE IN CIRCUIT COURT;
AND FOR OTHER"

AND

Page 1, delete line 15 and substitute:
"AND TO INCREASE FILING FEES."

AND

Delete Section 1 in its entirety and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 21-6-403(b), as amended by Act 65 of 2005, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The uniform filing fees shall be:

(1) For initiating a cause of action in the circuit court, including appeals
.....\$125.00

(2) For reopening a cause of action in the circuit court~~30.00~~
50.00

(3) For any cause of action which by court order is transferred from any district or circuit court to a circuit court50.00."

AND

Page 2, delete line 21 and substitute:

"(b)(1) Notwithstanding §§ 16-10-306, 16-10-307, 16-10-603, 16-10-604, and 19-5-559, or any other law to the contrary, twenty dollars (\$20.00) of the filing fee collected under § 21-6-403(b)(2) shall be"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 584 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Malone, **Senate Bill No. 978** was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 978

Amend **Senate Bill No. 978** as originally introduced:

Page 7, delete line 36 and substitute:

"model, and vehicle identification number.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 50, Subchapter 12 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

27-50-1213. Limitation.

Nothing in this subchapter shall supersede or preempt a lien that has been perfected or a lienholder who holds a perfected lien."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 978 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, **Senate Bill No. 391** was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 5.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 5 to SENATE BILL NO. 391

Amend **Senate Bill No. 391** as engrossed, S2/24/05:

Delete the title entirely and substitute:

"AN ACT TO PROVIDE SPECIAL NEEDS FUNDING FOR CERTAIN ISOLATED SCHOOLS; TO PROVIDE SPECIAL NEEDS FUNDING FOR CERTAIN SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH A LOW STUDENT DENSITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT TO PROVIDE SPECIAL NEEDS FUNDING FOR CERTAIN ISOLATED SCHOOLS; AND TO PROVIDE SPECIAL NEEDS FUNDING FOR CERTAIN SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH A LOW STUDENT DENSITY."

AND

Page 1, delete Section 1 entirely

AND

Page 3, lines 13, delete "SECTION 2." and substitute "SECTION 1."

AND

Page 3, delete line 16 through 18 and substitute:
"(a)(1) The new requirements under the Standards for"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 31 through 36 and substitute:

"(2) The local board of directors by majority vote determines that the isolated school is so isolated that to combine its operation to one (1) district campus would be impractical or unwise; and

(3) The isolated school or district:

(A) Filed an affidavit of isolated school status with the State Board of Education during the consolidation or annexation process and the facts of the affidavit are verified by the State Board of Education, or its designee, to meet the requirements of 6-20-601;

(B) Filed an affidavit of isolated school status with the State Board of Education after the consolidation or annexation process or the effective date of this section and the facts of the affidavit are verified by the State Board of Education, or its designee, to meet the requirements of 6-20-601; or

(C) The school district would have qualified under § 6-20-601, but for the average daily membership requirements of three hundred fifty students or less."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 6 entirely

AND

Page 4, line 13, delete "school areas listed in § 6-20-603" and substitute "schools meeting the requirements of subsection (b) of this section;"

AND

Page 4, line 24, delete "school areas listed in § 6-20-603" and substitute "schools meeting the requirements of subsection (b) of this section;"

AND

Page 4, line 34, delete "school" and substitute "schools"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 35 through 36 entirely, and substitute the following:
"meeting the requirements of subsection (b) of this section."

(f) A school district shall receive an amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the foundation funding received by the school district under § 6-20-2305(a)(2) based on the three-quarter average daily membership of the school district if the district has a three-quarter average daily membership of less than five hundred (500) students and a density ratio of two (2) students per square mile.

(g) A school district eligible for special needs funding under this"

AND

Page 5, delete line 2 and substitute:
"provided under § 6-20-603."

(h)(1) A school district eligible to receive isolated funding under § 6-20-603 shall continue to receive partial funding under § 6-20-603 even if part of the isolated schools are closed, but a school district shall not receive funding under § 6-20-603 for any isolated schools or parts thereof that have been closed by the local board of directors.

(2) If part of the isolated schools in a district are closed, the school district shall receive funding under § 6-20-603 based on the three-quarter average daily membership of the isolated schools or parts thereof that remain open in the district."

AND

If appropriate, renumber the remaining sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR RANDY LAVERTY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 391 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 391, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 391 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 584, BY SENATOR MILLER,
SENATE BILL NO. 968, BY SENATOR WOOLDRIDGE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Miller, **Senate Bill No. 584** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Wooldridge, **Senate Bill No. 968** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 978, BY SENATOR MALONE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Malone, **Senate Bill No. 978** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 1094, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, **Senate Bill No. 1094** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 417, BY SENATOR WOOLDRIDGE,
SENATE BILL NO. 1070, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE HIGGINBOTHOM, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1469, BY REPRESENTATIVE GEORGE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE HIGGINBOTHOM, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 628, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 962, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 979, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 1067, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 1091, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 1146, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 1152, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 1158, BY SENATOR BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1514, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAHONY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1994, BY REPRESENTATIVE BRADFORD,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1382, BY REPRESENTATIVE CLEMONS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2468, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAHONY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as Amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 941, BY SENATOR BISBEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 975, BY SENATOR BISBEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 1136, BY SENATOR MILLER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 1066, BY SENATOR MILLER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as Amended No. 1 (jdt329).

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1652, BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMPSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1683, BY REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2079, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10. 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 1075, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA H. BROWN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 5, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No.1.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA H. BROWN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO 1385, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,
HOUSE BILL NO 1935, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. MARTIN,
HOUSE BILL NO 2369, BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE,
HOUSE BILL NO 2420, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT,
HOUSE BILL NO 2448, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA H. BROWN, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 1027, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 980, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 1167, BY SENATOR CAPPS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as Amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1013,
BY REPRESENTATIVE PACE,
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1014,
BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2115, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1971, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as Amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 116, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 225, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 344, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 370, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 452, BY SENATOR HILL,
SENATE BILL NO. 462, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 475, BY SENATOR HILL,
SENATE BILL NO. 505, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 510, BY SENATOR HILL,
SENATE BILL NO. 519, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 524, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 525, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 526, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 527, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 532, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 574, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 576, BY SENATOR WOMACK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID BISBEE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 581, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 585, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 586, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 587, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 588, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 589, BY SENATOR HILL,
SENATE BILL NO. 595, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 600, BY SENATOR BISBEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 601, BY SENATOR BISBEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 602, BY SENATOR BISBEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 621, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 622, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 623, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 624, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 625, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 626, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 627, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 629, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 630, BY SENATOR J. BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 631, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 632, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 633, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 634, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 635, BY SENATORS J. JEFFRESS,
G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID BISBEE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 636, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 637, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 638, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 639, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 640, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 641, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 642, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 643, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 648, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 652, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 654, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 680, BY SENATOR HILL,
SENATE BILL NO. 682, BY SENATOR HILL,
SENATE BILL NO. 747, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 748, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 750, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 751, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 752, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 753, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 754, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 755, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 764, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 765, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 766, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 767, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 768, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 769, BY SENATOR SALMON,

SENATE BILL NO. 771, BY SENATOR WOMACK,
SENATE BILL NO. 773, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 774, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 775, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID BISBEE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 776, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 777, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 778, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 779, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 780, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 782, BY SENATOR BISBEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 796, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 797, BY SENATOR BISBEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 798, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 799, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 800, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 802, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 803, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 804, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 805, BY SENATOR BISBEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 806, BY SENATOR BISBEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 807, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 821, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 822, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 823, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 824, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 827, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 828, BY SENATOR LUKER
SENATE BILL NO. 829, BY SENATOR LUKER
SENATE BILL NO. 830, BY SENATOR LUKER
SENATE BILL NO. 831, BY SENATOR LUKER

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID BISBEE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 832, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 834, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 862, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 863, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 864, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 865, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 866, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 867, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 868, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 869, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 870, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 871, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 886, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 891, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 892, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 910, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,
SENATE BILL NO. 917, BY SENATOR CRITCHER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID BISBEE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 825, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 826, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 833, BY SENATOR LUKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass As Amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID BISBEE, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Luker, **House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1016
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE STOVALL

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION: TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 15, 2005; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNTIL 12:00 NOON, MAY 13, 2005; TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, BY JOINT PROCLAMATION, TO RECONVENE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 13, 2005, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES, CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS, COMPLETING ITS WORK ON PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, AND CONSIDERING THE NEED FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OR TO ADJOURN THE EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE THAT DATE IF THEY DETERMINE THAT THERE IS NO NEED TO RECONVENE; TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 13, 2005, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016 was read the third time and concurred in by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016 was ordered immediately returned to the House as Concurred In.

On motion of Senator Wooldridge, **Senate Bill No. 1061** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 1061

Amend **Senate Bill No. 1061** as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 12, delete “program” and substitute “program as prescribed and approved by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration of the Department of Transportation”

AND

Page 12, line 2, delete “one (1)” and substitute “one hundred eighty (180) days”

AND

Page 12, line 3, delete “year” entirely

AND

Page 21, delete line 31 and substitute:
“provisions of § 5-65-206 shall apply in the circuit court proceeding.

SECTION 12. Sections 1 through 11 of this act are contingent upon the approval by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration of the Department of Transportation of the transdermal alcohol monitoring program and alternative sentencing provisions set forth in Sections 1 through 11 of this act, approval of a waiver for Sections 1 through 11 of this act, or approval of a pilot program for the implementation and administration of Sections 1 through 11 of this act.

SECTION 13. The Director of the Department of Arkansas State Police shall negotiate and consummate a waiver, a pilot program, or both with the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration of the Department of Transportation regarding Sections 1 through 11 of this act.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR TIM WOOLDRIDGE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1061 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Luker, **Senate Bill No. 176** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 176

Amend **Senate Bill No. 176** as engrossed, S3/7/05:

Page 2, delete line 11 and substitute:

"district regulation."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 176 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Luker, **Senate Bill No. 926** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 926

Amend **Senate Bill No. 926** as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 10 through 13 and substitute:

"(2) Alcohol, excluding alcohol given to a child during a recognized and established religious ceremony or service;
(3) Narcotics; or
(4) Over-the-counter drugs if a person purposely administers an overdose to a child or purposely gives an inappropriate over-the-counter drug to a child;"

AND

Page 16, delete lines 6 through 7 entirely and substitute:

~~"(53)(55)~~ "UCCJEA" means the Uniform Child-Custody Jurisdiction and Enforcement Act, § 9-19-101 et seq.;"

AND

Page 16, line 8, delete "~~(54)(55)~~" and substitute "~~(54)(56)~~"

AND

Page 16, line 10, delete "~~(55)(56)~~" and substitute "~~(55)(57)~~"

AND

Page 16, line 13, delete "~~(56)(57)~~" and substitute "~~(56)(58)~~"

AND

Page 16, line 17, delete "~~(57)(58)~~" and substitute "~~(57)(59)~~"

AND

Page 16, line 19, delete "~~(58)(59)~~" and substitute "~~(58)(60)~~"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 926 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, **Senate Bill No. 52** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 52

Amend **Senate Bill No. 52** as engrossed, S3/7/05:

Page 2, delete lines 30 through 31 and substitute:

"(A) Uses a photo-radar device that is capable of detecting a speeding violation; and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 52 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, **Senate Bill No. 969** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 969

Amend **Senate Bill No. 969** as originally introduced

:

Page 7, line 12, delete "to the General Assembly" and substitute "to the Arkansas Youth Suicide Prevention Task Force, the House Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor, the Senate Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor, and the General Assembly"

Page 7 , line 28, delete "disperse" and substitute "disburse"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 30 and 31 and substitute the following:

"(6) Apply for, receive, and disburse grants related to youth suicide prevention and research as the advisory council deems appropriate; and

(7) Participate in the quarterly meetings of the task force."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 969 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Holt, **Senate Bill No. 993** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 993

Amend **Senate Bill No. 993** as originally introduced:

Add Senator J. Jeffress as a cosponsor

AND

Add Representative Wills as a cosponsor

AND

Page 2, delete lines 7 through 13 and substitute:
“suspended for a minimum period of one hundred eighty (180) days.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HOLT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 993 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, **Senate Bill No. 380** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 380

Amend **Senate Bill No. 380** as engrossed, S3/2/05:

Page 5, line 8, delete "~~A majority of the~~ All" and substitute "A majority of the"

AND

Page 6, delete line 30 and substitute the following:

"proposals using program moneys and state-controlled welfare-to-work moneys subject to the restriction that the board shall not approve any award or contract involving Temporary Employment Assistance Program or Temporary Assistance to Needy Families funds directly to an appointed member of the board or to an organization in which one (1) of the appointed members of the board has a fiduciary interest;"

AND

Page 18, delete lines 18 and 19 and substitute the following:

"(2) The Executive Director of the Arkansas Transitional Employment Board;"

AND

Page 25, delete SECTION 15 in its entirety and appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

AND

Page 26, line 31, delete "allemporary" and substitute "all Temporary"

Page 29, delete line 21 and substitute the following:

"assistance or other supportive services."

AND

Page 30, delete line 6 and substitute the following:

"at least twenty-four (24) hours a week and meet the federal work participation rate; and"

AND

Page 33, delete line 1 and substitute the following:

"(b) The Arkansas Transitional Employment Board shall authorize the Employment Security Department to contract with private or"

AND

Page 33, delete line 3 and substitute the following:

"services and support to parents, children, and youth in their communities subject to the restriction that the board shall not authorize any award or contract involving Temporary Employment Assistance Program or Temporary Assistance to Needy Families funds directly to an appointed member of the board or to an organization in which one (1) of the appointed members of the board has a fiduciary interest."

AND

Page 33, delete line 24 and substitute the following:

"(d)(1) The Arkansas Transitional Employment Board shall authorize contracts with"

AND

Page 33, delete lines 29 and 30 and substitute the following:

"(A) Assisting in the development of proposals to be funded through the Community Investment Initiative."

AND

Page 33, line 35, delete "Initiative Fund." and substitute "Initiative."

AND

Page 34, delete lines 9 through 19

AND

Page 34, line 24, delete "20" and substitute "19"

AND

Page 34, line 30, delete "21" and substitute "20"

AND

Page 34, line 31, delete "21" and substitute "20"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 380 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wooldridge, the rules were suspended in considering **Senate Bill No. 982** at this time.

On motion of Senator Wooldridge, **Senate Bill No. 982** was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 982

Amend **Senate Bill No. 982** as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 21 and 22 and substitute the following:

"(5) "Denial" means denial or partial denial of a claim;"

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete "prior authorization" and substitute "prior or concurrent authorization"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 30 and 31 and substitute the following:

"(1) Clarify its intent that providers have the right to appeal; and"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 14 through 31, delete and substitute the following:

"(a) If the Department of Human Services imposes primary care physician referrals, gatekeepers, prior authorization, concurrent authorizations, processing periods, or other utilization controls and procedural rules, the department shall ensure that Medicaid recipients can still obtain the appropriate level of care without a delay that can reasonably be expected to put the recipient's health at risk and without putting a provider at risk of nonreimbursement."

(b) If the department imposes both prior or concurrent authorizations and primary care physician referrals, the purposes of the prior or concurrent authorizations and the primary care physician referrals shall not overlap.

(c)(1) A specialty physician need not obtain the primary care physician's approval to provide or make a change in diagnosis or medications, unless requested by the primary care physician.

(2) The specialty physician shall keep the primary care"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 6 through 12 and substitute the following:

"(a) The medical necessity determination of the Medicaid recipient's attending physician shall carry a rebuttable presumption of appropriateness if the physician has engaged in direct treatment or observation of the patient."

AND

Page 7, delete lines 23 and 24 and substitute the following:

"(2) The department may not review providers' claims using any criteria that have not been publicly promulgated."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 2 through 6 and substitute the following:

"If the Department of Human Services takes adverse action against a provider, the department shall deliver to the provider well in advance of any appeal its file on the matter including the records of any utilization review contractor or other agent, subject to any federal confidentiality restrictions, so that the provider will have time to prepare for the appeal."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 30 through 36

AND

Page 9, delete lines 1 through 36

AND

Page 10, delete lines 1 through 33

(SIGNED) SENATOR TIM WOOLDRIDGE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 982 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Malone, **House Bill No. 1710** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1710

Amend **House Bill No. 1710** as engrossed, H2/28/05:

Page 2, line 33, delete "if" and substitute "unless"

AND

Page 2, line 35, delete "is" and substitute "is not"

AND

Page 2, line 35, delete "interest;" and substitute "interest; and"

AND

Page 2, line 36, delete "does not conflict" and substitute "conflicts"

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete "6-18-202; and" and substitute "6-18-202."

AND

Page 3, line 2, delete "(C)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 3, line 5, delete "(4)" and substitute "(5)"

AND

Page 3, line 28, delete "ten (10)" and substitute "three (3)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1710 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1734 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendments No. 1 and No. 2.

* * * * * RECEDE * * * * *

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1734

Amend House Bill No. 1734 as engrossed, H3/1/05:

Add Representative Medley as a co-sponsor

AND

Page 1, delete line 31 and substitute the following:

"schools. The school district shall be responsible for all costs associated with the eye and vision screening. Nothing in this Act shall preclude voluntary screening of any"

AND

Page 3, line 6 delete "and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JERRY BOOKOUT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * RECEDE * * * * *

On motion of Senator Bookout the Senate rescinded its previous action in the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 1734.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1734

Amend **House Bill No. 1734** as engrossed, H3/1/05:

Page 1, delete line 27 and substitute the following:

"(a)(1) Beginning with the 2006-2007 school year, all children in pre-"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JERRY BOOKOUT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1734 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, **House Bill No. 1442** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1442

Amend **House Bill No. 1442** as engrossed, H2/9/05:

Page 1, delete line 32 and substitute the following:

"shall take effect only if funds are available.

(3) The training program established under this section shall be known as the "Barbara Broyles Training Program"."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARY ANN SALMON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1442 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wooldridge, **Senate Bill No. 255** was called up for the purpose of considering **Amendment No. 1** thereto, adopted by the House.

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EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 255

Amend **Senate Bill No. 255** as introduced:

Page 1, delete line 6 and substitute the following:

"By: Representatives Medley, Abernathy, Blair, Glidewell, Green, Pyle, Verkamp, Walters"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE JIM MEDLEY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 255, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Wooldridge, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Wooldridge, **Senate Bill No. 255** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 255

As Engrossed: H2/11/05

EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS WOOLDRIDGE, ALTES, CRITCHER, WHITAKER, & WILKINSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MEDLEY, ABERNATHY, BLAIR, GLIDEWELL, R.

GREEN, PYLE, VERKAMP, & WALTERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND DEFINE THE SCOPE OF ACT 1285 OF 2003 REGARDING CHILD WELFARE AGENCIES AS IT PERTAINS TO RESIDENTIAL FACILITIES PROVIDING TREATMENT FOR CHILDREN DIAGNOSED WITH BOTH SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND PSYCHIATRIC DISORDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 255 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Lavery, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32
Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 255**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 255 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 95, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 334, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 425, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 442, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:15 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 95

SENATE BILL NO. 334

SENATE BILL NO. 425

SENATE BILL NO. 442

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 10th day of March, 2005 at 10:15 a.m..

(SIGNED) MIKE HUCKABEE
Governor

(SIGNED) Cory Cox
Secretary

On motion of Senator Glover, **Senate Bill No. 537** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 537
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. EVANS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY ARKANSAS CODE § 26-74-208 CONCERNING SALES AND USE TAX FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 537 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 537 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, **Senate Bill No. 538** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 538
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. EVANS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY ARKANSAS CODE § 26-74-308 CONCERNING SALES TAX FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 538 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 538 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, **Senate Bill No. 859** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 859
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

BY: SENATORS ALTES, BAKER, CAPPS, & HOLT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ROSENBAUM, GLIDEWELL, & WALTERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LIMIT THE REMOVAL FROM THIS STATE OF CERTAIN VEHICLES THAT ARE INVOLVED IN A COLLISION IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 859 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 859 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, **Senate Bill No. 390** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 390

As Engrossed: S2/24/05

EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT AN OWNER OF A BOAT SHALL *NOT BE STRICTLY LIABLE TO A RENTER, OPERATOR, OR LESSEE* OF THE BOAT FOR INJURIES CAUSED BY NEGLIGENT OPERATION OF THE BOAT BY THE RENTER, OPERATOR, OR LESSEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 390 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Lavery, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 390 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, **Senate Bill No. 307** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 307
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PETRUS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RENAME THE PRAIRIE COUNTY MUSEUM STATE PARK AS THE LOWER WHITE RIVER MUSEUM STATE PARK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 307 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 307 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, **Senate Bill No. 328** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 328
As Engrossed: S3/3/05
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF *FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO DISCLOSE THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF TAXPAYERS THAT ARE DELINQUENT IN REPORTING AND REMITTING SALES AND USE TAX AND HAVE BEEN SERVED WITH A BUSINESS CLOSURE ORDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 328 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total31

NEGATIVE: Lavery.

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 328 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, **Senate Bill No. 490** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 490
As Engrossed: S2/28/05 S3/3/05
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAHONY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PERMIT THE CREATION OF A POSITION FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT COORDINATOR FOR COUNTIES WITH SIX (6) OR MORE SCHOOL DISTRICTS LOCATED IN THE COUNTY; TO CREATE AN EXECUTIVE COUNCIL TO PROMOTE COOPERATION AMONG THE VARIOUS SCHOOL DISTRICTS LOCATED IN THE SAME COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 490 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Baker, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Higginbothom, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Lavery, Luker, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total24

NEGATIVE: Altes, Hendren, Holt.

Total3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bisbee, Capps, Hill, Madison, Womack.

Total8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast27

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 490 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, **Senate Bill No. 561** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 561
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. BOOKOUT**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE INCREASED PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF THE BURIAL ASSOCIATION LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 561 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 561 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, **Senate Bill No. 1127** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1127
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. BOOKOUT**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE TEN PERCENT (10%) INTEREST ON THE DELINQUENT PAYMENT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES BEGINNING WITH TAX YEAR 2004; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1127 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total29

NEGATIVE: Baker.

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Holt, Womack.

Total5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast30

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1127 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, **Senate Bill No. 952** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 952
As Engrossed: S3/9/05
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MADISON & BISBEE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE BOUNDARIES OF WASHINGTON COUNTY AND BENTON COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 952 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 952 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Lavery, **Senate Bill No. 946** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 946
As Engrossed: S3/9/05
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS LAVERTY & GLOVER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES S. PRATER, ROEBUCK, DICKINSON, L. EVANS, & GEORGE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 10-4-209 TO PROVIDE A REGULATORY BASIS OF FINANCIAL STATEMENT PRESENTATION FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 946 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Lavery, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast32

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 946**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 946 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Womack, **Senate Bill No. 74** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 74
As Engrossed: S2/24/05
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE UNBORN CHILD PAIN AWARENESS AND PREVENTION ACT OF 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 74 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Malone, Miller, T. Smith, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge.

Total24

NEGATIVE: Brown.

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Higginbothom, Luker, Madison, Salmon, Steele, Mr. President.

Total10

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast25

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 74 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hill, **Senate Bill No. 1169** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1169
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HILL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE THOMASON**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADOPT THE ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS OF THE STREAMLINED SALES TAX AGREEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1169 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 1169**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Lavery, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast32

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1169 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, **Senate Bill No. 956** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 956
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BISBEE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY EXEMPTIONS FROM THE HEATING, VENTILATION, AIR CONDITIONING, AND REFRIGERATION CODE REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 956 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On Motion of Senator Bisbee, **Senate Bill No. 956** was held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Taylor, **Senate Bill No. 1074** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1074
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "CIGARETTE" FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO PRODUCTS TAX ACT OF 1977; TO DEFINE THE TERM "CIGAR"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1074 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast32

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1074 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, **Senate Bill No. 1031** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1031
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH & ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT COMPANY ACT TO LIMIT THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF TAX CREDITS AVAILABLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1031 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Capps, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total25

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Critcher, Faris, Holt, Horn.

Total10

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....25

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 1031**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Capps, Glover, Hendren, Higginbotham, Hill, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total25

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Critcher, Faris, Holt, Horn.

Total10

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast25

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1031 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Malone, **Senate Bill No. 1033** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 1033
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CHECK-OFF PROGRAM TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDS TO THE AREA AGENCIES ON AGING WITHIN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO CREATE THE AREA AGENCIES ON AGING FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1033 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1033 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, **House Bill No. 1012** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012
As Engrossed: H2/17/05 S3/7/05
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. HUTCHINSON, T. HUTCHINSON, LAMOUREUX, & CHILDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE TO NEGOTIATE A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING CONCERNING THE ENFORCEMENT OF FEDERAL IMMIGRATION LAWS; TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO MAKE AN ARREST TO ENFORCE FEDERAL IMMIGRATION LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Womack made a motion for immediate consideration. The motion carried.

House Bill No. 1012 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bookout, Bryles, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, B. Johnson, Lavery, Salmon, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge.

Total18

NEGATIVE: Brown, Capps, Hendren, J. Jeffress, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, T. Smith, Steele, Mr. President.

Total11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bisbee, G. Jeffress.

Total5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast30

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

Upon sounding of the ballot Senator Salmon was struck.

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator J. Jeffress requested a Sounding of the Ballot Passed of **House Bill No. 1012**. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

Total number of votes cast	29
Necessary to the passage of the Bill	18
Total number voting in the affirmative	18
Total number voting in the negative	11
Total number absent or not voting	3

Senator Womack moved that the vote by which **House Bill No. 1012** passed be reconsidered and motion be laid upon the table. Motion prevailed, laid upon the table.

Upon sounding of the ballot, **House Bill No. 1012** is returned to the House as pass as amended.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Bisbee, **Senate Bill No. 153** was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 153

Amend **Senate Bill No. 153** as engrossed, S2/24/05:

Page 2, line 4, delete in its entirety and substitute the following:

" (2) STUDENT LOAN FINANCIAL SPECIALIST 1 \$70,861 \$72,757
 (3) 9100 STUDENT LOAN CHIEF FINANCIAL OFCR 1 \$60,220 \$61,914"

And

Page 2 line 8, delete "5" and substitute "6"

And

Appropriately renumber the Item Numbers in section 1 of the bill

And

Page 2, line 18, delete "\$270,370 \$277,930" and substitute "\$341,231 \$350,687"

And

Page 2, line 19, delete "\$70,029 \$71,450" and substitute "\$87,149 \$88,925"

And

Page 2, line 27, delete "\$ 5,641,699 \$5,650,680" and substitute "\$ 5,729,680 \$ 5,740,912"

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEELE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 153 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, **Senate Bill No. 293** was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 293

Amend **Senate Bill No. 293** as originally introduced:

Delete SECTIONS 3 and 4 of the bill in their entirety and substitute the following new sections:

"SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, to be payable from the Teacher Retirement Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2005-2006	2006-2007
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 2,724,377	\$ 2,803,022
(02) EXTRA HELP	105,000	105,000
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	910,625	927,672
(04) OVERTIME	150,000	150,000
(05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	2,934,889	2,934,889
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	30,759	30,759
(C) PROF. FEES	265,400	343,650
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	50,368	50,368
(E) DATA PROC.	0	0
(06) BENEFITS	125,000,000	150,000,000
(07) REFUND/REIMBURSEMENTS	6,540,000	6,550,000
(08) PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	250,000	250,000
(09) DATA PROCESSING SERVICES	4,334,144	4,055,048
(10) INVESTMENT COUNSEL	6,641,444	6,641,444
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 149,937,006</u>	<u>\$ 174,841,852</u>

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATIONS - CASH. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, for payments to beneficiaries by check or wire transfer by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2005-2006	2006-2007
(01) BENEFITS-NON-EMP.	\$ 515,100,000	\$ 582,000,000
(02) REFUND/REIMBURSEMENTS	725,000	1,000,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 515,825,000</u>	<u>\$ 583,000,000</u>

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - PROPERTY MANAGEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, to be payable from the Teacher Retirement Fund, for property renovation and maintenance expenses of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2005-2006	2006-2007
(01) PROPERTY MANAGEMENT	<u>\$ 500,000</u>	<u>\$ 500,000</u>

AND

Page 4, delete lines 30 through 32 in their entirety and substitute "~~appropriation for the Agency Operations/Administration Program and available to be used for Data Processing Services, up to \$7,550,600 and Operating Expenses, up to \$2,935,257~~ appropriation for Data Processing Services and Operating Expenses as authorized in Section 3 of this Act, shall be carried forward and"

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BISBEE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 293 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, [Senate Bill No. 457](#) was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
[Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 457](#)

Amend [Senate Bill No. 457](#) as engrossed, S3/7/05:

Delete SECTION 22 of the bill in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BISBEE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

[Senate Bill No. 457](#) was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, **Senate Bill No. 241** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 241

Amend **Senate Bill No. 241** as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 11 in its entirety and substitute the following:
" THE GOVERNOR FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,
2005 AND FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE"

And

Page 1, delete line 17 in its entirety and substitute the following:
" APPROPRIATION FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING
JUNE 30, 2005 AND FOR THE 2005-2007"

And

Page 2, delete line 3 in its entirety and substitute the following:
"(1) 7059 GOV OFC EXECUTIVE SECRETARY 1 \$105,416 \$107,907
(2) 9471 GOV OFC SR MANAGEMENT ASSISTANT III 1 \$ 98,660 101,050"

And

Page 2, delete line 10 in its entirety and substitute the following:
"(8) 7301 GOV OFC MGT SPECIALIST II 2 \$63,845 \$65,608"

And

Page 2, delete line 17 in its entirety and substitute the following:
"(15) 7065 GOV OFC MANAGER OFFICER ADMIN 1 \$45,811 \$47,185
(16) 9472 GOV OFC GRANTS COORDINATOR 1 \$44,900 \$46,247"

And

Page 2, delete lines 26 and 27 in their entirety and substitute the following:
"(24) 7072 GOV OFC ADMIN ASSISTANT I 6 \$32,915 \$33,902
(25) 9473 GOV OFC ADMIN ASSISTANT 2 \$31,117 \$32,050
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES 59"

And

Appropriately renumber the Item No. in SECTION 1

And

Page 3, delete lines 8 through 17 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 3,155,261	\$ 3,242,953
(02) EXTRA HELP	8,500	8,500
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	818,765	835,192
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	462,731	462,731
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	65,000	65,000
(C) PROF. FEES	14,000	14,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	8,000	8,000
(E) DATA PROC.	116,000	116,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 4,648,257</u>	<u>\$ 4,752,376"</u>

And

Page 3, add the following new Sections immediately following SECTION 3 to read as follows:

" SECTION 4. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for the Office of the Governor for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

Item Class	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2004-2005
(1) 9471 GOV OFC SR MANAGEMENT ASSISTANT III	1	\$98,660
(2) GOV OFC MGT SPECIALIST II	1	\$63,845
(3) 9472 GOV OFC GRANTS COORDINATOR	1	\$44,900
(4) 9473 GOV OFC ADMIN ASSISTANT	<u>2</u>	\$31,117
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	5	

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of the Governor, to be payable from the State Central Services Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Office of the Governor for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2004-2005
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 82,970
(02) EXTRA HELP	0
(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCH	21,150
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	21,930
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	5,000
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 131,050"</u>

And

Page 4, delete SECTION 8 in its entirety and substitute the following:

" SECTION 10. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2005 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided; with the exception that Section 4 and Section 5 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2005, with the exception that Section 4 and Section 5 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval, could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2005; with the exception that Section 4 and Section 5 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval."

And

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BISBEE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 241 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of JOINT BUDGET BILLS.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1428** at this time.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, **House Bill No. 1428** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1428
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION OF COUNTY DISTRICT FAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1428 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **House Bill No. 1428**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Lavery, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast32

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1428 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 2135** at this time.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, **House Bill No. 2135** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2135
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COWLING**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES, AND RECOVERY CLAIMS FOR THE ARKANSAS TITLE INSURANCE AGENTS' LICENSING BOARD FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2135 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **House Bill No. 2135**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Higginbothom, Hill, Holt, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Lavery, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, Womack, Wooldridge, Mr. President.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast32

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2135 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE HUCKABEE
Governor

March 10, 2005

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 9, 2005, I approved the following measure:

SENATE BILL NO. 84, which is now Act 669 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 231, which is now Act 670 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 232, which is now Act 671 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 247, which is now Act 672 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 289, which is now Act 673 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 306, which is now Act 674 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 309, which is now Act 675 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 331, which is now Act 676 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 346, which is now Act 677 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 384, which is now Act 678 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 385, which is now Act 679 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 386, which is now Act 680 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 388, which is now Act 681 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 389, which is now Act 682 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 418, which is now Act 683 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 422, which is now Act 684 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 430, which is now Act 685 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 443, which is now Act 686 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 459, which is now Act 687 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 474, which is now Act 688 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 504, which is now Act 689 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 508, which is now Act 690 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 545, which is now Act 691 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 577, which is now Act 692 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 681, which is now Act 693 of 2005,

SENATE BILL NO. 699, which is now Act 694 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 700, which is now Act 695 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 701, which is now Act 696 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 702, which is now Act 697 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 703, which is now Act 698 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 704, which is now Act 699 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 705, which is now Act 700 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 706, which is now Act 701 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 707, which is now Act 702 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 708, which is now Act 703 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 709, which is now Act 704 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 710, which is now Act 705 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 711, which is now Act 706 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 712, which is now Act 707 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 713, which is now Act 708 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 735, which is now Act 709 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 783, which is now Act 710 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 784, which is now Act 711 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 785, which is now Act 712 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 786, which is now Act 713 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 787, which is now Act 714 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 788, which is now Act 715 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 789, which is now Act 716 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 790, which is now Act 717 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 791, which is now Act 718 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 801, which is now Act 719 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 887, which is now Act 720 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 888, which is now Act 721 of 2005,
SENATE BILL NO. 889, which is now Act 722 of 2005,
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4,
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5,
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE HUCKABEE
Governor

MH: kb
Cc: Speaker of the House

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 547, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR BISBEE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 263, BY SENATOR WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 52, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 176, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 380, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 969, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 993, BY SENATOR HOLT,
SENATE BILL NO. 1061, BY SENATOR WOOLDRIDGE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1442, BY REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1710, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. MARTIN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1734, BY REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1001
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES THYER, MCDANIEL, KIDD, & NICHOLS

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL
MEMORY OF MR. CLAUD CASH AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY
CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL
COMMUNITY.

House Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1001 was read the first time, rules
suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018

EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLAIR, GLIDEWELL, MEDLEY, VERKAMP, &
WALTERS

BY: SENATOR ALTES & WILKINSON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND THE WESTERN ARKANSAS STATE PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS/IAFF LOCAL S-24 OF THE 188TH FIRE DEPARTMENT, ARKANSAS AIR NATIONAL GUARD, FORT SMITH, ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1018 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1559

As Engrossed: H3/3/05 H3/7/05

EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SUMPTER

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS & ARGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1559 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1963
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VERKAMP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALARIES OF THE JUDGES AND OTHER PERSONNEL OF THE VARIOUS DISTRICT COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1963 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1970
As Engrossed: H3/9/05
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GOSS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE ALL HEALTH SPAS TO PURCHASE *AUTOMATED* EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS; TO REQUIRE THAT HEALTH SPA EMPLOYEES BE TRAINED TO OPERATE *AUTOMATED* EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS; TO LIMIT LAWSUITS REGARDING *AUTOMATED* EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS; TO MAKE CONTRACTS VOIDABLE IF A HEALTH SPA DOES NOT PROVIDE *AUTOMATED* EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1970 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2407
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GOSS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE AWARENESS OF AND VISITATION TO THE ARCHEOLOGICAL TREASURES AT HAMPSON MUSEUM STATE PARK; TO RENAME THE HAMPSON MUSEUM STATE PARK AS THE HAMPSON ARCHEOLOGICAL MUSEUM STATE PARK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2407 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT .

HOUSE BILL NO. 2449
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY & ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 10-4-208 TO PROVIDE A REGULATORY BASIS OF FINANCIAL STATEMENT PRESENTATION FOR SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2449 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2506

As Engrossed: H3/9/05

EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES FITE, ABERNATHY, BLOUNT, CHESTERFIELD,
COOK, DICKINSON, JEFFREY, J. JOHNSON, KENNEY, MAHONY, M. MARTIN,
PICKETT, WALTERS, WOOD, BOND, BOYD, DANGEAU, EDWARDS, ELLIOTT,
D. EVANS, L. EVANS, EVERETT, GOSS, HARRELSON, KEY, LAMOUREUX,
MATAYO, PACE, PETRUS, RAINEY, SCROGGIN, THOMASON, THOMPSON,
THYER, VERKAMP, & R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW SCHOOLS TO BEGIN EACH SCHOOL YEAR ON THE FIRST MONDAY FOLLOWING THE SECOND SATURDAY IN AUGUST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2506 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2581

EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SCHULTE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT A MOTOR HOME OR CAMPING TRAILER MAY BE MOVED IF IT HAS AN APPURTENANCE THAT EXCEEDS NO MORE THAN SIX INCHES (6"); TO DEFINE APPURTENANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2581 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2521
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL & SUMPTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO PROVIDE THAT THE HOUSE INTERIM COMMITTEE AND SENATE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS PERFORM AN INTERIM STUDY ON THE ISSUE OF VOTER REGISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2521 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2662
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AN INTERIM STUDY BY THE CONSTITUTIONAL ISSUES SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS AND A SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE SENATE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS CONCERNING AMENDMENTS 59, 74, AND 79 TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION.

House Bill No. 2662 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2689
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 14-137-108 CONCERNING BOARD MEMBERSHIP OF MUNICIPAL FACILITIES BOARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2689 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2815
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. MARTIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE PRAIRIE GROVE BATTLEFIELD STATE PARK ADVISORY COMMISSION; TO REPEAL STATUTES CONCERNING THE PRAIRIE GROVE BATTLEFIELD COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2815 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2826
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SUMPTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE AWARD OF A PISTOL UPON RETIREMENT OR DEATH TO A HIGHWAY POLICE PATROL OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2826 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2875
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOYD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCEDURES FOR ESTABLISHING A MAINTENANCE TAX IN WATERSHED IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2875 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2879
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ROSENBAUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TIME DURING WHICH EARLY VOTING SHALL BE AVAILABLE ON SATURDAYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2879 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bills returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE BILL NO. 423

SENATE BILL NO. 426

SENATE BILL NO. 512

SENATE BILL NO. 521

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 293, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 457, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bisbee, **Senate Bill No. 293** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, **Senate Bill No. 457** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 926, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, **Senate Bill No. 926** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 982, BY SENATOR WOOLDRIDGE, ET. AL.,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wooldridge, **Senate Bill No. 982** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 153, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bisbee, and without objection, **Senate Bill No. 153** was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senate Bill No. 387 was returned from the House as passed, as Amended, Emergency Clause having failed of adoption.

On motion of Senator Luker, **Senate Bill No. 387** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2005

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 241, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS, CHAIRMAN

HOUSE BILL NO. 1008
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE REVERSE MORTGAGE TRANSACTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1008 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PERMIT EMPLOYEES OF NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE TO CHOOSE BETWEEN THE COLLEGE HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN AND THE STATE EMPLOYEES HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1026 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1110
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTS FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1110 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1236
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SCROGGIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A STATEWIDE MUTUAL AID SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1236 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1345
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICIAL COURT REPORTERS OF THE CIRCUIT COURTS FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1345 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1379
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1379 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2477
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DUNN, THYER, BLOUNT, CHILDERS, J.
HUTCHINSON, MALOCH, MATAYO, ANDERSON, BLAIR, & BRADFORD
BY: SENATORS T. SMITH, ALTES, B. JOHNSON, J. TAYLOR, & WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT THE SAFETY AND WELL-BEING OF CUSTOMERS AND EMPLOYEES OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2477 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2484
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SUMPTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT COUNTY ASSESSORS NO LONGER MUST PROVIDE CERTIFICATION FOR PROJECT PLANS FOR COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2484 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2523
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PAYMENT OF FEES IN COUNTY SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2523 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2555
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT EACH COUNTY SHALL FILE ITS REAPPRAISAL MANAGEMENT PLAN WITH THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DEPARTMENT BY NOVEMBER 1 OF THE YEAR BEFORE REAPPRAISAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2555 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2609
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICHOLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A PERSON WITH A MASTER'S DEGREE IN LIBRARY SCIENCE TO QUALIFY TO BE A LIBRARIAN IN ANY CITY, COUNTY, OR REGIONAL LIBRARY SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2609 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2619
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE THE USE OF A SCANNING DEVICE OR A RE-ENCODER IN THE OFFENSE OF FINANCIAL IDENTITY FRAUD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2619 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2690
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DANGEAU, BOLIN, BOYD, COOK, DAVENPORT,
MACK, ROGERS, & SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW TO RENAME THE ARKANSAS SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION COMMISSION TO BECOME THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2690 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2874
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES W. LEWELLEN, CLEMONS, & RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE TASKFORCE FOR THE STUDY OF THE HOMELESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2874 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2876
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MARTIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS RELATED TO A PETITION FOR ADOPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2876 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2955
EIGHTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOOD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAWS CONCERNING POST EXCHANGE PACKAGE PERMITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2955 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 74
SENATE BILL NO. 307
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SENATE BILL NO. 952
SENATE BILL NO.1127
SENATE BILL NO.1169
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SENATE BILL NO.1033
SENATE BILL NO.1074

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012
HOUSE BILL NO. 1428
HOUSE BILL NO. 2135

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1016

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 423
SENATE BILL NO. 426
SENATE BILL NO. 512
SENATE BILL NO. 521

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED, EMERGENCY CLAUSE HAVING FAILED OF
ADOPTION

SENATE BILL NO. 387, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATEAS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1008
HOUSE BILL NO. 1026
HOUSE BILL NO. 1110
HOUSE BILL NO. 1236
HOUSE BILL NO. 1345
HOUSE BILL NO. 1379
HOUSE BILL NO. 1559
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HOUSE BILL NO. 2689
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HOUSE BILL NO. 2875
HOUSE BILL NO. 2876
HOUSE BILL NO. 2879
HOUSE BILL NO. 2955

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1001

On motion of Senator Hill, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday, March 14, 2005.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE