

**FORTY-THIRD DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

Little Rock, Arkansas
February 19, 2007

The House was called to order at 1:30 p.m. by Mr. Petrus, the Speaker. The following members answered to the roll call:

Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt, Mr. Speaker.

Total98

The following member(s) was absent and did not answer to the roll call:
Kenney, Saunders.

Total2

A quorum was present.

Unanimous leave was granted for Representative(s) Kenney, Saunders.

The House stood and was led in prayer by Brother Ron Sanders, Pastor of East End Baptist Church, East End, Arkansas.

The House stood and gave the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

The reading of the Journal of yesterday's proceedings was dispensed with.

Upon motion of Representative D. Johnson, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1454** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1454

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1454** as originally introduced:

Page 9, line 2, delete "Commission" and substitute "Department"

/s/ David Johnson

The Amendment was read and adopted by more than 51 votes.

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Dunn, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1367** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1367

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1367** as engrossed,

H2/13/07 (version: 02-13-2007 08:50):

Page 1, line 36, insert "with similar" before "equipment"

/s/ David Dunn

The Amendment was read and adopted by more than 51 votes.

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Hoyt, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1456** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1456

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1456** as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 29 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(a)(1) Inaccessible water distribution piping under concrete slabs may be cross-linked Polyethylene PEX (SDR9) pipe.

(2) Cross-linked Polyethylene PEX (SDR9) pipe shall meet ASTM F-876/F-877, and NSP standards 14 and 61.

SECTION 2. If the 2006 State Plumbing Code includes the same provisions as in SECTION 1 of this act, this act expires on the effective date of the 2006 State Plumbing Code.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that ongoing construction projects will be slowed and their costs increased until PEX pipe is approved for installation under concrete slabs; that proposed construction projects will be on hold and their costs increased until PEX pipe is approved for installation under concrete slabs; and that this act is necessary because the construction industry and prospective home owners will suffer irreparable harm until this act becomes effective. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on June 1, 2007."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 3

/s/ John Hoyt

The Amendment was read and adopted by more than 51 votes.

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative S. Dobbins, **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1017** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1017

Amend **HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1017** as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Allen, T. Baker, Blount, Breedlove, E. Brown, Chesterfield, Davis, Flowers, Hardy, W. Lewellen, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Shelby, and Wagner as cosponsors of the resolution.

/s/ John Hoyt

The Amendment was read and adopted by more than 51 votes.

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk

ENGROSSED BILL REPORTS

BENNY C. PETRUS, CHAIRMAN

February 19, 2007

The following bill(s) reported correctly engrossed:

- HOUSE BILL NO. 1215 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1367 BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1399 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1454 BY REPRESENTATIVE J. JOHNSON, ET AL
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1456 BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT, ET AL
- HOUSE RESOLUTION - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE S. DOBBINS, ET AL
NO. 1017
- SENATE BILL NO. 119 BY SENATOR HORN

HOUSE RESOLUTION ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED
HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1017

BY: REPRESENTATIVES S. DOBBINS, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, BREEDLOVE, E. BROWN, CHESTERFIELD, DAVIS, FLOWERS, HARDY, W. LEWELLEN, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, SHELBY, WAGNER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO COMMEMORATE DAISY GATSON BATES ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2007.

Upon motion of Representative Maxwell, **SENATE BILL NO. 119** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL NO. 119

Amend **SENATE BILL NO. 119** as engrossed,

S2/7/07 (version: 02-07-2007 14:21):

Page 2, delete line 29, and substitute the following:

“used for any other purpose by the manufacturer, or otherwise established in accordance with the rules issued under subsection (e) of this section.”

AND

Page 4, delete line 9, and substitute the following:

“used for any other purpose by the manufacturer, or otherwise established in accordance with the rules issued under subsection (e) of this section.”

/s/ Allen Maxwell

The Amendment was read and adopted by more than 51 votes.

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1009

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

RECOGNIZING JUSTIN MINKEL FOR BEING ONE (1) OF FOUR (4) FINALISTS FOR THE NATIONAL TEACHER OF THE YEAR AWARD.

THE RESOLUTION WAS READ AND ADOPTED BY MORE THAN 51 VOTES.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1015

BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. JOHNSON

CELEBRATING AND HONORING MADAM YEH CHU-LAN OF TAIWAN FOR HER STAUNCH BELIEF IN DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS.

THE RESOLUTION WAS READ AND ADOPTED BY MORE THAN 51 VOTES.

Morning Hour Expired.

Representative Pyle moved that the House concur in the following Senate Amendment.

ARKANSAS SENATE

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1176

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1176** as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 10, delete "MUNICIPAL PERSONNEL" and substitute "MUNICIPAL POLICE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL"

AND

Page 1, line 15, delete "MUNICIPAL PERSONNEL" and substitute "MUNICIPAL POLICE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL"

AND

Page 1, line 24, delete "(b) Cities" and substitute "(b) ~~Cities~~ Municipal police departments of cities"

AND

Page 1, line 26, delete "the commission, and" and substitute "the ~~commission~~ Arkansas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training, and"

/s/ Sharon Trusty

The Amendment was read and the vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total92

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Kenney, Key, Powers, Saunders, Sullivan, Mr. Speaker.

Total7

VOTING PRESENT: Davis.

Total1

Total number of votes cast93

Total number voting in the affirmative92

Necessary to concur in the amendment51

So the Amendment was concurred in.

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk

HOUSE BILL NO. 1462

BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

Was read the third time and placed on final passage, the question being shall the Bill pass. The vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total96

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Kenney, M. Martin, Saunders, Mr. Speaker.

Total4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast96

Total number voting in the affirmative96

Necessary to the passage of the bill.....51

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1435

BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER

Was read the third time and placed on final passage, the question being shall the Bill pass. The vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total	96
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Kenney, Saunders, Mr. Speaker.	
Total	3
VOTING PRESENT: Flowers.	
Total	1
Total number of votes cast	97
Total number voting in the affirmative.....	96
Necessary to the passage of the bill.....	51

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1448

BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

Was read the third time and placed on final passage, the question being shall the Bill pass. The vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total90

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Davis, Kenney, Medley, Pace, Ragland, Rogers, Saunders, Sullivan, Mr. Speaker.

Total9

VOTING PRESENT: Glidewell.

Total1

Total number of votes cast91

Total number voting in the affirmative90

Necessary to the passage of the bill.....51

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1479

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WAGNER

Was read the third time and placed on final passage, the question being shall the Bill pass and shall the Emergency Clause be adopted. The vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total96

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Kenney, Pace, Saunders, Mr. Speaker.

Total4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....96

Total number voting in the affirmative96

Necessary to the passage of the bill51

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1479**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

EMERGENCY CLAUSE

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total	96
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Kenney, Pace, Saunders, Mr. Speaker.	
Total	4
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	96
Total number voting in the affirmative	96
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1387

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

Was read the third time and placed on final passage, the question being shall the Bill pass. The vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, J. Johnson, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total92

NEGATIVE: D. Creekmore.

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Davenport, Edwards, D. Johnson, Kenney, Saunders, Mr. Speaker.

Total6

VOTING PRESENT: Thyer.

Total1

Total number of votes cast94

Total number voting in the affirmative.....92

Necessary to the passage of the bill.....51

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1378

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

Was read the third time and placed on final passage, the question being shall the Bill pass. The vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total96

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Kenney, Pace, Saunders, Mr. Speaker.

Total4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast96

Total number voting in the affirmative96

Necessary to the passage of the bill.....51

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1492

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

Was read the third time and placed on final passage, the question being shall the Bill pass. The vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total95

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: E. Brown, Cheatham, Kenney, Saunders, Mr. Speaker.

Total5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast95

Total number voting in the affirmative.....95

Necessary to the passage of the bill.....51

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1429

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

Was read the third time and placed on final passage, the question being shall the Bill pass. The vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total94

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Blount, Kenney, Medley, Pace, Saunders, Mr. Speaker.

Total6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast94

Total number voting in the affirmative94

Necessary to the passage of the bill.....51

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

Representative Edwards moved that the House re-refer **SENATE BILL NO. 230** back to the House State Agencies and Governmental Affairs Committee. Motion carried.

Upon motion of Representative Thyer, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1215** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1215

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1215** as originally introduced:

Page 4, delete line 3 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(1) CHIEF OF CONSERVATION DIVISION 1 \$47,664 \$48,617
(2) A046 AGENCY CONTROLLER-LARGE/COMPLEX A 1
GRADE 25"

And

Page 4, delete line 7 in its entirety

And

Appropriately renumber all the item numbers in this section.

/s/ Chris Thyer

The Amendment was read and adopted by more than 51 votes.

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Thyer, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1399** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1399

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1399** as originally introduced:

Page 12, insert an additional section immediately following Section 15 to read as follows:

" SECTION 16. APPROPRIATION - MILITARY FAMILY RELIEF TRUST FUND.
There is hereby appropriated, to the State Military Department, to be payable from the Military Family Relief Trust Fund, for operating expenses of the State Military Department - Military Family Relief Trust Fund for the biennial period ending June 30, 2009, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2007-2008	2008-2009
(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$ 50,000	\$ 50,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0	0
(C) PROF. FEES	0	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 50,000</u>	<u>\$ 50,000</u>

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

/s/ Chris Thyer

The Amendment was read and adopted by more than 51 votes.

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk

HOUSE BILLS ORDERED TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1378 BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH
HOUSE BILL NO. 1387 BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1429 BY REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL
HOUSE BILL NO. 1435 BY REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER
HOUSE BILL NO. 1448 BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP
HOUSE BILL NO. 1462 BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY
HOUSE BILL NO. 1479 BY REPRESENTATIVE WAGNER
HOUSE BILL NO. 1492 BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

ARKANSAS SENATE

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE SENATE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1293 BY REPRESENTATIVE PICKETT
AS AMENDED #1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1357 BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY
AS AMENDED #1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1416 BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

ARKANSAS SENATE

SENATE BILLS RECEIVED FROM SENATE

SENATE BILL NO. 11 BY SENATOR MILLER
SENATE BILL NO. 191 BY SENATOR STEELE
SENATE BILL NO. 203 BY SENATOR MADISON
SENATE BILL NO. 294 BY SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

STATE OF ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE

GOVERNOR

February 19, 2007

TO THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

Dear Mr. Speaker:

This is to inform you that on February 19, 2007, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-sixth General Assembly:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1131 - ACT 125

Sincerely,

/s/ Mike Beebe

HOUSE BILL NO. 1534

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, T. BAKER, E. BROWN, CHESTERFIELD, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, S. DOBBINS, HARDY, HOUSE, D. HUTCHINSON, W. LEWELLEN, MEDLEY, POWERS, REEP, WALTERS

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE MOBILE LEARNING COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1535

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOND

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REORGANIZE THE PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL INSURANCE FUND AND THE SCHOOL VEHICLE INSURANCE RESERVE TRUST FUND INTO ONE (1) FUND; TO PROVIDE GREATER FINANCIAL STABILITY AND FLEXIBILITY TO THE FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1536

BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, WELLS, GEORGE, LAMOUREUX, BERRY, ABERNATHY, ADCKOCK, ALLEN, ANDERSON, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, E. BROWN, J. BROWN, BURKES, BURRIS, CASH, CHEATHAM, COOK, COOPER, CORNWELL, D. CREEKMORE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, DICKINSON, S. DOBBINS, DUNN, EDWARDS, L. EVANS, D. EVANS, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDWICK, HARDY, HARRELSON, HARRIS, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, JEFFREY, KENNEY, KEY, KIDD, KING, W. LEWELLEN, LOVELL, LOWERY, MALOCH, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MEDLEY, MOORE, NORTON, PATE, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PICKETT, PIERCE, POWERS, S. PRATER, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, J. ROEBUCK, ROGERS, ROSENBAUM, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, STEWART, SULLIVAN, SUMPTER, THYER, WAGNER, WALTERS, WILLS, WOOD, WOODS, WYATT

BY: SENATORS WILKINSON, LAVERTY, ALTES, BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, CRITCHER, GLOVER, HENDREN, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, MILLER, B. PRITCHARD, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, TRUSTY, WOMACK

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT THE LOCATION OF ADULT-ORIENTED BUSINESSES IN PROXIMITY TO LOCATIONS FREQUENTED BY CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on RULES.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1537

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PETRUS

BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR ASSISTANCE TO ARKANSAS RICE DEPOT - TO ADDRESS STATEWIDE HUNGER NEEDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1538

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS – HELENA CAMPUS FOR RENOVATIONS AND MAINTENANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1539

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AND THE DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTES FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1540

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 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - DONALD W. REYNOLDS CENTER ON AGING, COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH, ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE AND THE AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER IN HELENA FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1541

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 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1542

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 NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1543

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1544

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 NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1545

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 TECH UNIVERSITY FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1546

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 HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1547

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 SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1548

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 NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1549

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 RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1550

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 EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1551

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 UNIVERSITY - ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1552

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 PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1553

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 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1554

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 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1555

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 BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1556

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 COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1557

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1558

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 OZARKA COLLEGE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1559

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1560

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 PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1561

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 UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1562

BY: REPRESENTATIVE CHESTERFIELD

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE COLLEGE REMEDIATION RATE AND ENSURE A GENERAL, SUITABLE, AND EFFICIENT SYSTEM OF COLLEGE AND WORKFORCE READINESS FOR ALL STUDENTS; TO SUPPORT VOLUNTARY STATEWIDE ACT ASSESSMENT FOR ALL 11TH GRADE STUDENTS; TO ENCOURAGE GREATER PARTICPATION IN THE SMART CORE CURRICULUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1563

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PICKETT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND § 6-11-101 TO CLARIFY THE COMPOSITION OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1564

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, ADCOCK, T. BAKER, T. BRADFORD, E. BROWN, BURRIS, CASH, CHEATHAM, CORNWELL, DUNN, R. GREEN, HARDWICK, HARRIS, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, J. JOHNSON, KEY, KIDD, KING, LOWERY, M. MARTIN, MEDLEY, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, S. PRATER, RAGLAND, REEP, ROGERS, ROSENBAUM, STEWART, SULLIVAN, WAGNER, WALTERS, WEBB, WYATT

BY: SENATORS SALMON, ALTES, BAKER, BROADWAY, J. JEFFRESS, MADISON, T. SMITH, TRUSTY, WILKINS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE A CRIMINAL OFFENSE PROHIBITING SEX OFFENDERS FROM LIVING NEAR VICTIMS OR CONTACTING VICTIMS; TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION ACT OF 1997; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1565

BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. EVANS, PATE

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING, FURNISHING AND OTHER COSTS OF THE ARKANSAS VETERINARY TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1566

BY: REPRESENTATIVE KEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCORPORATE REQUIREMENTS OF THE FEDERAL ENERGY POLICY ACT OF 2005 REGARDING UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENERGY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1567

BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE ENHANCED PENALTIES FOR PERSONS SELLING A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE AT OR NEAR SCHOOL BUS STOPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1568

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Upon motion of Representative D. Evans, the House adjourned at 2:11 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 20, 2007.

ATTEST:

Benny C. Petrus
Speaker of the House of Representatives

Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk

