

**SEVENTY-SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS  
HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

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Little Rock, Arkansas  
March 20, 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, Kenney, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....100

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

Total .....0

A quorum was present.

The House stood and was led in prayer by Reverend Stan Taylor, Pastor, Lurton Assembly of God, Jasper, 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.

COMMITTEE REPORT

	March 20, 2007
EDUCATION	MIKE KENNEY
	CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 1517	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE COOK	AS AMENDED #4
HOUSE BILL NO. 2029	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFREY	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2255	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE COOK	AS AMENDED #2
HOUSE BILL NO. 2268	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE COOK	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2335	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2380	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2388	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2429	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY	AS AMENDED #1
HOUSE BILL NO. 2656	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS	AS AMENDED #2
HOUSE BILL NO. 2688	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2734	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS	AS AMENDED #1

COMMITTEE REPORT

	March 20, 2007
EDUCATION	BILL ABERNATHY VICE-CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 2210 BY REPRESENTATIVE PICKETT	DO PASS
HOUSE BILL NO. 2660 BY REPRESENTATIVE PICKETT	DO PASS
SENATE BILL NO. 822 BY SENATOR BAKER	DO PASS
SENATE BILL NO. 838 BY SENATOR ARGUE	DO PASS AS AMENDED #1
SENATE BILL NO. 839 BY SENATOR ARGUE	DO PASS AS AMENDED #1
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12 BY SENATOR BAKER	DO PASS

COMMITTEE REPORT

	March 20, 2007
JUDICIARY	ROBERT N. JEFFREY CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 1384 BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMOUREUX	DO PASS, TO CONCUR IN SENATE AMENDMENT #1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1472 BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT	DO PASS, TO CONCUR IN SENATE AMENDMENTS #1 & 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1624 BY REPRESENTATIVE D. JOHNSON	DO PASS AS AMENDED #3
HOUSE BILL NO. 1747 BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLS	DO PASS
HOUSE BILL NO. 1748 BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLS	DO PASS

COMMITTEE REPORT, CONTINUED

HOUSE BILL NO. 2262	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE PATE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2295	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE GARNER	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2297	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE PATE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2337	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2559	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE CHESTERFIELD	
SENATE BILL NO. 241	DO PASS
BY SENATOR LUKER	AS AMENDED #1
SENATE BILL NO. 796	DO PASS
BY SENATOR LUKER	
SENATE BILL NO. 859	DO PASS
BY SENATOR LUKER	
SENATE BILL NO. 909	DO PASS
BY SENATOR MALONE	

COMMITTEE REPORT

	March 20, 2007
PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR	EDDIE COOPER CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 1324	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE D. JOHNSON	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1409	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1630	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2494	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE COOPER	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2540	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLS	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2582	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE S. DOBBINS	AS AMENDED #2

COMMITTEE REPORT, CONTINUED

HOUSE BILL NO. 2602	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER	AS AMENDED #1
HOUSE BILL NO. 2615	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARDY	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2627	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLS	AS AMENDED #2
HOUSE BILL NO. 2638	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS	AS AMENDED #2
HOUSE BILL NO. 2640	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2678	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2707	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS	AS AMENDED #1 & 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 2713	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE BOND	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2721	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY	AS AMENDED #1
HOUSE BILL NO. 2768	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE ROSENBAUM	
SENATE BILL NO. 333	DO PASS
BY SENATOR MALONE	
SENATE BILL NO. 334	DO PASS
BY SENATOR STEELE	
SENATE BILL NO. 704	DO PASS
BY SENATOR STEELE	
SENATE BILL NO. 773	DO PASS
BY SENATOR HORN	
SENATE BILL NO. 928	DO PASS
BY SENATOR BRYLES	

COMMITTEE REPORT

	March 20, 2007
PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	ROBBIE WILLS
	CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 2391	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER	AS AMENDED #1 (JSE 438)

COMMITTEE REPORT

	March 20, 2007
PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	FRANK GLIDEWELL
	VICE-CHAIRPERSON
SENATE BILL NO. 154	DO PASS
BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS	
SENATE BILL NO. 856	DO PASS
BY SENATOR BOOKOUT	
SENATE BILL NO. 373	DO PASS
BY SENATOR BROWN	AS AMENDED #1

COMMITTEE REPORT

	March 20, 2007
RULES	DAVID DUNN
	CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 1315	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE PICKETT	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1518	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE D. EVANS	
HOUSE BILL NO. 2236	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE D. EVANS	
SENATE BILL NO. 588	DO PASS
BY SENATOR T. SMITH	AS AMENDED #1
SENATE BILL NO. 816	DO PASS
BY SENATOR CAPPS	
SENATE BILL NO. 817	DO PASS
BY SENATOR CAPPS	

COMMITTEE REPORT

	March 20, 2007
JOINT BUDGET	CHRIS THYER
	CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 1081	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1107	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1109	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1115	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1126	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1604	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
SENATE BILL NO. 91	DO PASS
BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS	

COMMITTEE REPORT

JOINT COMMITTEE ON ENERGY	March 20, 2007
	SHIRLEY WALTERS
	CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 2715	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS	AS AMENDED #1 (GLG 228)

Upon motion of Representative Dunn, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2510** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2510**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2510** as originally introduced:

Add the following Senators as a cosponsor of the bill:

"Bryles, Steele"

AND

Add the following Representatives as cosponsors of the bill:

"Abernathy, Allen, T. Baker, Blount, E. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cheatham, Davis, Everett, Greenberg, Harrelson, Harris, J. Johnson, Kidd, Lamoureux, Maxwell, Pierce, Reep, Reynolds, L. Smith, Walters, Woods, Wyatt"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 4 through 36 and substitute the following:

"bidding shall not be used for the procurement of the professional services of legal, architectural, engineering, construction management, and land surveying ~~professional consultant services~~ if:

(1) State agencies not exempt from review and approval of the Arkansas Building Authority shall follow procedures established by the authority for the procurement of the professional services of architectural, engineering, land surveying, and construction management services; and

(2) Institutions of higher education exempt from review and approval of the authority shall follow procedures established by their governing boards for the procurement of architectural, engineering, land surveying, and construction management ~~professional consultant services~~.

(b) It is the policy of the State of Arkansas and its political subdivisions that political subdivisions shall follow the procedures stated in this section, except that competitive bidding shall not be used for the procurement of the professional services of legal, financial advisory, architectural, engineering, construction management, and land surveying ~~professional consultant services~~.

(c) For purposes of this subchapter, a political subdivision of the state may elect to not use competitive bidding for other professional services not listed in subsection (b) of this section with a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the political subdivision's governing body.

(d)(1) As used in this section, "construction management" means a project delivery method based on an agreement in which a state agency, political subdivision, public school district, or institution of higher education acquires from a construction entity a series of services that include, but are not limited to, design

review, scheduling, cost control, value engineering, constructability evaluation, preparation and coordination of bid packages, and construction administration.

(2) "Construction management" includes, but is not limited to:

(A)(i) ~~"Agency "~~agency construction management", in which a public school district selects a construction manager to serve as an agent for the purpose of providing administration and management services.

~~(ii)~~(3) The construction manager shall not hold subcontracts for the project or provide project bonding for the project, unless publicly advertised and bid.

/s/ David Dunn

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Bond, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2349** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2349**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2349** as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 30 through 32 and substitute the following:

"(2) Health care insurers shall make a decision within ~~one hundred eighty (180)~~ ninety (90) days of submission of a completed application, as defined by rule of the Insurance Commissioner, for participation or a request for renewal by a physician and within one hundred eighty (180) days of a completed application for participation or a request for renewal by any other medical provider."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 33 through 36

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 8

/s/ Will Bond

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative J. Roebuck, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2735** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2735**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2735** as originally introduced:

Add Representative Pennartz as a co-sponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete line 9 and substitute the following:

**“AN ACT TO CREATE THE HEALTH FACILITY INFECTION”**

AND

Page 1, delete lines 13 and 14 and substitute the following:

**“THE HEALTH FACILITY INFECTION DISCLOSURE ACT OF 2007”**

AND

Page 1, delete lines 22 and 23 and substitute the following:

“This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the “Health Facility Infection Disclosure Act of 2007”.”

AND

Page 1, delete lines 27 through 35 and substitute the following:

“(1)(A) “Health facility” means any of the following facilities:

(i) A hospital, outpatient surgery center, public health center or recuperation center, as those facilities are defined in § 20-9-201; and

(ii) Any other facility determined to be a source of healthcare associated infections and designated as such by the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services.

(B) “Health facility” does not include:

(i) A physician’s office unless the office is otherwise licensed as an outpatient surgery center; or”

AND

Page 2, delete line 2 and substitute the following:

“(2) “Healthcare associated infection” means a localized or systemic condition”

AND

Page 2, line 5 , delete “and”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 7 through 22 and substitute the following:

“time of admission to the health facility; and

(3) “Division” means the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services.”

20-9-1203. Health facility reports.

(a) A health facility shall collect data on healthcare associated infection rates for the following:

- (1) Coronary artery bypass surgical site infections;
- (2) Total hip or knee arthroplasty surgical site infections;
- (3) Knee arthroscopy surgical site infections;
- (4) Hernia repair surgical site infections;
- (5) Central line-associated bloodstream infection in an intensive care

unit; and

- (6) Other categories as provided under § 20-9-1204(e).

(b)(1)(A) A health facility may voluntarily submit quarterly reports to the division on the facility’s healthcare associated infection rates.

(B)(i) If a health care facility elects to submit quarterly reports, the reports shall be submitted to the”

AND

Page 2, line 28, delete “(II)” and substitute “(ii)”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 32 through 36.

AND

Page 3, delete line 1 and substitute the following:

“(2) If the health facility is a division or subsidiary of another entity that owns or operates other health facilities, the”

AND

Page 3, line 5, delete “Hospital-Acquired” and substitute “Healthcare Associated”

AND

Page 3, line 6, delete “(1)”

AND

Page 3, delete lines 7 through 9 and substitute the following:

“Health and Human Services shall appoint an Advisory Committee on Healthcare Acquired Infections, including without limitation representatives of:

- (1) Public and private hospitals, including representatives of hospitals with fewer than fifty (50) beds and representatives of hospitals with more than fifty (50) beds;

- (2) Outpatient surgery centers;”

AND

Page 3, line 10, delete “(B)” and substitute “(3)”

AND

Page 3, line 11, delete “(C)” and substitute “(4)”

AND

Page 3, delete lines 12 through 21 and substitute the following:

“(5) Infection control professionals with expertise in healthcare associated infections;

(6) Academic researchers; and

(7) At least one (1) representative of a consumer organization.”

AND

Page 3, delete lines 32 through 35 and substitute the following:

“existing methodologies and systems for data collection.

(2) Any data collection and analytical methodologies used shall be:

(A) Capable of being validated; and

(B) Based upon nationally recognized and recommended standards, that may include those developed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality or the National Quality Forum.”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 and 2 and substitute the following:

“be disclosed for public comment before any public disclosure of healthcare associated infection rates in an annual report under § 20-9-1205.”

AND

Page 4, line 3, delete “(4)” and substitute “(4)(A)”

AND

Page 4, delete line 4 and substitute the following:

“presented to all health facilities in this state on or before September 1, 2008.

(B) The methodology may be amended based upon input from the health facilities.”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 5 and 6 and substitute the following:

“(5)(A) The first voluntary quarterly report under § 20-9-1203(b) shall be presented to the division on or before January 31, 2009.

(B) Health facilities may begin voluntarily reporting data on January 31, 2009 or at any time thereafter.”

AND

Page 4, line 8, delete “hospital” and substitute “health facility”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 11 through 13 and substitute the following:

“(e) After release of the second annual report published under § 20-9-1205, and upon consultation with the advisory committee and with other technical advisors who are recognized experts in the prevention, identification, and control of

healthcare associated infections and the reporting of performance data, the division may add categories of infections to those set forth in § 20-9-1203(a).

AND

Page 4, delete lines 15 through 21 and substitute the following:

“20-9-1205. Reports regarding healthcare associated infections.

(a)(1)(A) In consultation with the Advisory Committee on Healthcare Associated Infections, the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services shall submit annually a report summarizing the health facility quarterly reports required under this subchapter to the Chair of the House Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor and the Chair of the Senate Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor.

(B) No health facility-identifiable data shall be included in the annual report, but aggregate statistical data may be included.”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 25 through 36 and substitute the following:

“or before January 1, 2010.

(b) The annual report prepared by the division under this subchapter regarding healthcare associated infections shall be appropriately risk-adjusted.”

AND

Page 5, delete line 1

AND

Page 5, line 2, delete “(3)” and substitute “(c)(1)”

AND

Page 5, delete lines 4 and 5 and substitute the following:

“(2) A discussion of findings, conclusions, and trends concerning the overall status of healthcare associated infections in the state.”

AND

Page 5, line 7, delete “(B)” and substitute “(3)”

AND

Page 5, delete lines 9 through 20.

AND

Page 5, line 21, delete “(2)” and substitute “(d)”

AND

Page 5, delete lines 23 through 25, and substitute the following:

“(e) No health facility report or division disclosure shall contain information identifying a patient, employee, or healthcare professional in connection with a specific infection incident.

(f) No annual report or other division disclosure shall contain information that

identifies or could be used to identify a specific health facility.

(g)(1) As part of the process of preparing the annual report, effective safeguards to protect against the dissemination of inconsistent, incomplete, invalid, inaccurate, or subjective health facility data shall be developed and implemented.

(2) These safeguards may include the exclusion of certain data or data from facilities with a low volume of patients or procedures if the use of the data would skew the results reported.

(h) The division shall develop, with the assistance of the advisory committee, a process of regular and confidential feedback for health facilities regarding the data collected so that each health facility's data will be available to that facility for its quality improvement efforts."

AND

Page 5, delete line 27 and substitute the following:

"20-9-1206. Privacy and confidentiality."

AND

Page 5, delete line 32 and substitute the following:

"subchapter.

(c) Except for the annual report that shall be a public document available to any person upon request, any data and materials collected or compiled by a health facility or obtained by the division under this subchapter:

(1) Shall be exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.; and

(2) Shall not be subject to discovery under the Arkansas Rules of Civil Procedure or admissible in any legal proceeding.

(d) Data collected and reported under this subchapter shall not be deemed to have established a standard of care for any purposes in a private civil litigation."

AND

Page 5, delete lines 34 through 36.

AND

Page 6, delete lines 1 through 7 and substitute the following:

"20-9-1207. Rules."

AND

Page 6, delete line 9 and substitute the following:

"subchapter.

20-9-1208 Funding.

This subchapter is contingent upon the appropriation and availability of funding necessary for the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services to implement its provisions, and any requirements that actions be

accomplished by a specific date shall be extended until the necessary funding is available."

/s/ Johnnie J. Roebuck

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative J. Roebuck, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2771** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2771**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2771** as originally introduced:

Page 1 delete line 5 and substitute the following:

"By: Representatives J. Roebuck, Cook, Webb, Stewart, D. Johnson, D. Evans, Powers, L. Smith, House, Hardwick, Blount, Brown, Cash, Cheatham, Edwards, Hardy, J. Johnson, Lamoureux, Pennartz, Rainey, Wagner, Woods, Gaskill, Prater  
By: Senators Madison, Trusty"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 9 through 11 and substitute the following:

"deposited into the Beverage Container Litter Reduction Grant Fund.

8-9-712. Violations.

(a)(1) Any dealer, distributor, or manufacturer who violates this act is subject to a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100) or more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) and is liable for the costs of prosecution.

(2) Each day a violation occurs, a separate offense is committed.

(b) A person shall not return or attempt to return to a redemption center a beverage container that the person knows or should know was not purchased in this state.

(c) A person who violates this subsection is subject to the following penalties:

(1) If the person returns twenty-five (25) or more but not more than one hundred (100) nonreturnable containers, the person is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100).

(2) If the person returns more than one hundred (100) nonreturnable

containers or violates subdivision (a) for a second or subsequent time, the person is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than ninety (90) days or a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500), or both.

8-9-713. Rules and regulations."

/s/ Johnnie J. Roebuck

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Breedlove, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2538** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2538**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2538** as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 28 through 33 and substitute the following:

"compensation in excess of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) unless the contract is subject to and conditional on the Commissioner of Education ~~issues~~ issuing a letter of exemption and ~~approves~~ approving the employment contract ~~based on unusual and limited circumstances.~~

(b) The district shall notify the Commissioner of Education within thirty (30) calendar days of the employment. "

AND

Page 2, delete line 26 and substitute the following:

"status are effective, valid, or enforceable.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-4-105(c)(1)(A) and (B), concerning exceptions requiring board approval, are amended to read as follows:

(c) Exceptions.

(1) Board Approval.

(A)(i) In unusual and limited circumstances, a public educational entity's board may approve a contract, but not an employment contract, between the public educational entity and the board member or the member's family if the board determines that the contract is in the best interest of the public educational entity.

(ii) ~~In unusual and limited circumstances, a A public educational entity's board may approve an employment contract as provided in this section.~~

(B) The approval by the public educational entity's board shall be documented by written resolution after fully disclosing the reasons justifying the contract or employment contract in an open meeting. ~~The resolution shall state the unusual and limited circumstances necessitating the contract or employment contract and shall document the restrictions and limitations of the contract or employment contract."~~

/s/ Steve Breedlove

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Hardy, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2615** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2615**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2615** as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Allen, Baker, Blount, E. Brown, Chesterfield, Davis, Dobbins, Garner, Green, Hawkins, Jeffrey, Kidd, Lewellen, Lowery, Prater, Rainey, Reep, Saunders, and Sumpter as co-sponsors of the bill

AND

Add Senator Steele as a cosponsor of the bill

/s/ Willie Hardy

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Rosenbaum, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2768** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2768

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2768** as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 24, delete "and" and substitute "~~and~~"

AND

Page 3, delete line 32 and substitute the following:

"to term; and

(D) That a spouse, boyfriend, parent, friend, or other person can not force her to have an abortion."

/s/ Sid Rosenbaum

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Walters, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2620** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 3 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2620

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2620** as engrossed,

H3/9/07 (version: 03-09-2007 09:02):

Add Representatives Abernathy, Creekmore, Hoyt, J. Johnson, Kidd, Lovell, Martin, Maxwell, Patterson, Pierce, Reep, Reynolds, Wagner, Wells, and Wyatt as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Senator Thompson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 19, delete "of eight (8) hours" and substitute "number of hours"

AND

Page 2, delete line 20 and substitute "for a title insurance license as established by rule of the Insurance Commissioner."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 5 through 7 and substitute the following:

"(9) "Qualified financial institution" means a bank, credit union, or

savings and loan association regulated, supervised, or examined by federal or state authorities having regulatory authority over banks and trust companies;"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 31 through 36 and substitute the following:

"title insurer and to its title insurance agent as consideration for the amount of liability assumed by a title insurer under a title insurance policy including all amounts retained by the title insurance agent pursuant to the title insurance agent's contract with the title insurer."

AND

Page 6, delete line 1

AND

Page 6, delete lines 20 through 36

AND

Page 7, delete lines 1 through 3

AND

Page 7, line 4, delete "(16)" and substitute "(15)"

AND

Page 7, line 9, delete "(17)" and substitute "(16)"

AND

Page 7, line 11, delete "(18)" and substitute "(17)"

AND

Page 10, line 28, delete "forty-five (45) years." and substitute "thirty (30) years."

AND

Page 12, delete line 33 and substitute the following:

"encumbrances affecting title to the land that are filed of record.

No title insurance agent or any other person other than a licensed Arkansas attorney may provide legal advice concerning the status of title to the property described in the title commitment."

AND

Page 13, delete lines 19 through 21

AND

Delete SECTION 5 in its entirety and appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

/s/ Shirley Walters

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Walters, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2620** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 4 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2620

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2620** as engrossed,

H3/9/07 (version: 03-09-2007 09:02):

Page 1, line 27, delete "under § 25-2-106." and substitute "under § 25-2-106. The transfer shall include the authorized positions of the board but shall not include the personnel of the board."

/s/ Shirley Walters

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Kenney, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2614** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2614

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2614** as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 15 is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

Subchapter 26 -- The Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program

6-15-2601. Title.

This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program Act of 2007".

6-15-2602. Legislative intent.

It is the intent of the General Assembly to provide a pilot program affording public school districts and public charter schools the opportunity to develop teacher compensation plans tailored to the public school district's or public charter school's needs to accomplish the following:

(1) Provide incentives that will encourage teachers to improve their knowledge and instructional skills in order to improve student learning;

(2) Recruit and retain highly qualified teachers;

(3) Encourage highly qualified teachers to undertake challenging assignments;

(4) Support teachers' roles in improving students' educational achievements; and

(5) Inform policymakers regarding the potential of a restructured teacher professional pay system to improve student achievement across the state.

6-15-2603. Definitions.

(1)(A) "Knowledge and skill base portion of compensation" means that portion of a teacher's compensation under a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan that considers, but is not limited to, input factors such as years of experience and degree levels, as set forth in a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan.

(B) This portion shall represent forty percent to sixty percent (40%-60%) of the teacher's total compensation;

(2) "Local board" means a board of directors exercising the control and management of a public school district;

(3)(A) "Performance portion of compensation" means that portion of a teacher's compensation under a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan that considers, without limitation, output factors such as teacher evaluations and student performance in the teacher's class or in the teacher's school, as set forth in a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan.

(B) This portion shall represent forty percent to sixty percent (40%-60%) of the teacher total compensation; and

(4) "Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan" means an alternative plan for teacher compensation developed by a public school, public school district, or public charter school and selected by the State Board of Education to participate in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program pursuant to this subchapter.

6-15-2604. Rules.

The State Board of Education is authorized and directed to establish rules for the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program consistent with this subchapter.

6-15-2605. Application forms and procedures for the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program.

(a)(1)(A) A public school district or public charter school desiring to participate in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program shall submit an application to the State Board of Education.

(B) A public school district may apply on behalf of a single school within the public school district that desires to participate in alternative pay.

(2)(A) The public school district or public charter school shall be

selected through a competitive process.

(B) In selecting participants, the Department of Education shall consider qualified applicants from various locations and of various sizes and demographics.

(3) The State Board of Education may approve up to twelve (12) applications.

(b) The State Board of Education shall adopt:

(1) An application form, a schedule, and a procedure that must be used to apply for the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program; and

(2) Criteria to use in selecting public school districts and public charter schools to participate in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program.

(c) The application form must provide space for including all information required under this subchapter to be contained in a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan.

(d) The application procedure shall provide for a phase-in process, beginning with a planning phase for a twelve-month minimum period, to allow applicants access to resources that would allow sufficient research of best practices and garner community and staff support in submitting a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan.

(e)(1) In order to participate in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program, a public school district or public charter school must have an approved comprehensive school improvement plan, as defined in § 6-15-419(9).

(2) Prior to full implementation of a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan, the comprehensive school improvement plan of the public school, public school district, or public charter school shall include:

(A) Assessment and evaluation tools to measure student performance and progress based on an achievement gains model;

(B) Performance goals and benchmarks for improvement;

(C) Measures of student attendance and completion rates;

(D) A rigorous professional development system consistent with the comprehensive school improvement plan defined in § 6-15-419(9) and student academic improvement plans as defined in § 6-15-419(2);

(E) Measures of student, family, and community involvement and satisfaction;

(F) A data reporting system about students and their academic progress that provides parents and the public with understandable information;

(G) A teacher induction and mentoring program for probationary teachers that provides continuous learning and sustained teacher

support; and

(H) Substantial participation by teachers in developing the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan.

(f)(1) As part of the application process, participant schools shall conduct a vote of the teachers, with the threshold for acceptance being seventy percent (70%) or another percent established by a majority vote of the teachers and approved by the local board.

(2)(A)(i) A teacher in the participating school or school district may elect not to participate in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan.

(ii) If fifty-one percent (51%) or more of a participant school's teachers elect not to participate, the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan shall not be implemented.

(g)(1) All recipients of funds provided by the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program shall cooperate and share all school demographic and student achievement data with any state-sponsored evaluation of this program.

(2)(A)(i) A public school district or public charter school applicant shall form a committee to consist of public school administrators and teachers, the majority of whom shall be public school teachers.

(ii) The classroom teacher members of the committee shall be elected by a majority of the classroom teachers voting by secret ballot.

(iii) The election shall be solely and exclusively conducted by the classroom teachers, including the distribution of ballots to all classroom teachers.

(B) The committee shall be responsible for:

(i) Creating the school's Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan; and

(ii)(a) Evaluating the school's Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan.

(b) The committee shall report to its local board on the evaluation of the school's Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan.

6-15-2606. Contents of Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plans.

(a) A Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan approved for participation in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program shall:

(1) Describe how teachers can achieve career advancement and additional compensation;

(2) Describe how the public school district or public charter school will provide teachers with career advancement options that allow teachers to retain primary roles in student instruction and facilitates site-focused professional

development that helps other teachers improve their skills:

(3) Describe how the public school district or public charter school will prevent any teacher's compensation paid before implementing the pay system from being reduced as a result of initial implementation of the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan;

(4) Describe how the forty percent to sixty percent (40%-60%) performance portion of compensation will be determined;

(5) Describe how the forty percent to sixty percent (40%-60%) knowledge and skill base portion of compensation will be determined;

(6) Describe how the plan will reform the "steps and lanes" salary schedule;

(7) Describe how the public school district or public charter school will encourage a collaborative relationship among teachers; and

(8) Describe how, after full plan implementation, the alternative compensation system will be:

(A) Sustained; or

(B) Phased out if the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan evaluation reveals that the plan does not work for the school.

(b) Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plans approved for participation in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program may include provisions regarding the compensation for administrators and other staff members.

(c) Compensation increases for the performance portion of compensation, forty percent to sixty percent (40%-60%) of the teacher's total compensation, under the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan shall include:

(1)(A) Achievement gains of students in each teacher's class on student scores under the statewide assessment program described in § 6-15-433.

(B) Locally selected and Department of Education-approved standardized assessment outcomes for students in each teacher's class may also be included;

(2) Achievement gains of students on a school-wide basis under the statewide assessment program described in § 6-15-433. Locally selected and Department of Education-approved standardized assessment outcomes may also be included; and

(3) The remaining percentage of the performance portion of compensation of the teacher's total compensation shall be based on an objective teacher evaluation program that includes:

(A) An individual objective teacher evaluation conducted by the school principal that is aligned with the comprehensive school improvement plan and

professional development plan described in § 6-15-2607; and

(B) Peer objective evaluations using multiple criteria conducted by locally selected and periodically trained evaluators that understand teaching and learning and that include provisions for integrated ongoing site-based professional development activities to improve instructional skills and learning that are aligned with student needs under § 6-15-2009.

6-15-2607. Staff development.

(a) Staff development activities for a public school district or public charter school participating in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program shall:

(1) Focus on the school classroom and research-based strategies that improve student learning;

(2) Provide opportunities for teachers to practice and improve their instructional skills over time;

(3) Provide opportunities for teachers to use student data as part of their daily work to increase student achievement;

(4) Enhance teacher content knowledge and instructional skills;

(5) Align with state academic standards;

(6) Provide opportunities to build professional relationships, foster collaboration among principals and staff who provide instruction, and provide opportunities for teacher-to-teacher mentoring; and

(7) Align with the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan of the public school district or public charter school.

(b) Staff development activities for school districts and public charter schools participating in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program may include:

(1) Curriculum development and curriculum training programs; and

(2) Activities that provide teachers and other staff members training to enhance teacher and team and school performance.

(c) The public school district or public charter school may implement other staff development activities associated with professional teacher compensation models.

6-15-2608. Evaluation of participants.

(a) The Department of Education shall commission an annual evaluation of the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan of each public school district and public charter school participating in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program.

(b) An annual evaluation shall include, without limitation, consideration of:

(1) Student scores under the statewide assessment program described in § 6-15-433;

(2) Student attendance;

(3) Student grades;

(4) Incidents involving student discipline;

(5) Socioeconomic data on students' families;

(6) Parental satisfaction with the schools;

(7) Student satisfaction with the schools; and

(8) Correlations between student assessment gains and teacher degree levels, years of experience, staff development, and a school's status for having a qualified teacher in every public school classroom under § 6-15-1004.

6-15-2609. Reporting and continued funding.

(a)(1) In addition to the program evaluation required by § 6-15-2608, each participating school district or public charter school shall report on the implementation and effectiveness of its Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan and make recommendations by August 15 each year to its local board.

(2) The local board shall transmit a copy of the report with a summary of the findings and recommendations of the public school district or public charter school to the Commissioner of Education.

(b)(1) If the commissioner determines that a public school district or public charter school that receives funding under the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program is not complying with the requirements of the program, the commissioner shall withhold further funding from that participant.

(2) Such withheld funds may be reallocated to other existing or new participants.

(3) Before making the determination to withhold funds, the commissioner shall notify the participant of any deficiencies and provide the participant an opportunity to comply with the requirements of the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program.

(c) At the end of the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan period, the commissioner shall present evaluation findings and recommendations to the State Board of Education, the House Education Committee, and the Senate Education Committee.

6-15-2610. Construction with other state law.

To the extent that the provisions of this subchapter or the terms of an approved Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan directly conflict with any provision of § 6-17-201 et seq., the Teacher Fair Dismissal Act of 1983, § 6-17-1501 et seq., or the provisions of any other state law relating to the compensation of

public school teachers, the provisions of this subchapter and the approved Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan shall control."

/s/ Mike Kenney

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative R. Green, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2630** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2630**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2630** as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 14 through 19

AND

Page 2, line 20, delete "(3)" and substitute "(2)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 30 through 34

AND

Page 2, line 35, delete "(c)" and substitute "(b)"

/s/ Rick Green

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Lamoureux, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2476** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2476**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2476** as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 12 through 25 and substitute the following:

"informational pamphlet, entitled "Information to Strengthen your Marriage" that shall be made available to any couple in Arkansas when they receives a marriage license.

(c)(1) The Administrative Office of the Courts shall have authority to receive private funds and any other private assistance necessary to design, print, and distribute the information pamphlets to the County Clerks.

(2) No public funds shall be used for designing, printing, or distribution of the information pamphlets to the County Clerks.

(d) The pamphlet shall include the following:

Creating a strong marriage demands dedication, commitment, and learning how to handle conflict and disagreements effectively. Research on marriage shows three factors predict success in marriage: (1) Communication skills, (2) Dealing with conflict, (3) Understanding expectations.

**BUILDING COMMUNICATION SKILLS**

Good communication means saying what needs to be said, and listening with understanding. Speaking directly takes practice and skill. Spouses often assume their spouses know what they think or feel. Communication is a two-way street. Don't lecture or talk too much. Many of us do not listen well when we hear another person speak. As the other talks, we are often judging what is said and thinking what to say next. The most important thing to do when talking with your spouse is to really try to understand what he or she is saying. Agreement is less important than understanding. When you do understand, it is helpful to show your spouse that you do. A great way to show you understand your spouse is to try to put your spouse's views into your own words. This does several things: (1) It shows that you are really paying attention; (2) It allows you to check out possible misunderstandings; (3) For the speaker, it feels great to know that the listener is hearing what you have to say; and (4) It helps keep conflict from getting out of hand. It is hard to stay angry with someone who is sincerely trying to understand what you are saying. When your spouse knows that you understand his or her point of view, it is much more likely that you will be able to deal with the situation in a way that is good for both of you.

**DEALING CONSTRUCTIVELY WITH DISAGREEMENTS AND CONFLICT**

Every couple faces problems in their marriage that need to be resolved. Problems themselves do not cause distress in marriage. It is how couples handle

problems that matter. Early in marriage, spouses often avoid discussing "hot-button" issues because they do not want to upset their newly formed union. Soon after marriage, many couples become busy with work, parenting, or other obligations. The demands of the moment may seem more important than issues in the marriage. Yet, building a marriage requires making many decisions and planning for the future. Having good communication skills, being able to discuss and work out plans together, helps planning go more smoothly. Discussing, negotiating, and arriving at agreements that are satisfying to both spouses are crucial to keeping your marriage on the right track.

#### DANGER SIGNALS: SIGNS OF TROUBLE AHEAD

Couples risk big future problems when (1) They are not able to handle conflicts constructively; (2) Little disagreements quickly become big "blow-ups"; (3) Arguments, once started, are hard to stop; (4) Spouses often experience emotional conflicts; (5) Over the long term, spouses avoid dealing with significant issues; (6) Spouses often put down or insult one another; and (7) During conflicts, one spouse withdraws or avoids dealing with the issue. When people withdraw or avoid dealing with disagreements, they usually are trying to avoid conflict, not their spouses. Also, when people keep bringing up issues, they usually are not trying to nag or pick a fight. They are trying to find a way to connect with their spouses. If you notice some of these danger signs in your own relationship, you should work on communication with your spouse. To have good communication, both spouses must feel emotionally safe, not vulnerable or on the defensive. A first step is to listen to your spouse. By listening carefully, you will go a long way toward improving your couple communication. Be polite in talks with your spouse. Treat your spouse as you would a very valued friend. When you have something negative or critical to say, find the most polite way to say it. When you express your criticism politely, you increase the chances that your spouse will actually hear what you have to say.

#### UNDERSTANDING EXPECTATIONS

In the early years of marriage, it is important to recognize what really matters to you and your spouse. Talking with one another about your values, beliefs, and voices" or "don't argue in front of the kids"); (3) Who has more "say" or whether there should be "equal say" in the marriage; (4) Expectations about sex; (5) Who should do what around the house; and (6) How finances should be handled. Many spouses think their spouses' expectations are similar to their own. Actually, it is more likely that you have different expectations. Remember, it is how you handle your differences that count. Working through disagreements creates intimacy and trust in your marriage. Handling conflict lays the groundwork for satisfying and fulfilling marriages.

### DEVELOPING TEAMWORK AND FRIENDSHIP IN MARRIAGE

Spouses often say they want their spouse to be their best friend. Friendship is part of your marriage relationship. Friends listen to each other, show respect for each other's opinions, and are truly interested in each other's lives. Friends talk about their interests, dreams, and plans, and discuss what is important to them. Life after marriage makes it harder to keep time for friendship. As life gets expectations builds your relationship. Expectations play a big role in determining how satisfied we are in life and with our relationships. Expectations include feelings, desires, anticipations about life, relationships, "how the world works," and what is likely to happen in the future. Our expectations shape the meanings we give to our spouse's words and actions, and how we react to our spouse's behavior. When we are happy in our relationship, we tend to see only the positive. When we are unhappy, we tend to see only the negative, and it becomes difficult to see our spouse's good aspects. It is important to understand and talk about expectations. Expectations include: (1) How communication should take place in relationships; (2) How husbands and wives should handle conflicts and disagreements (such as "never raise busier, and issues come up, friendship may suffer. However, keeping friendship alive is one of the best tools for a successful marriage. Friends work as a team, making life easier and more fun. Make time for "friendship talk" with your spouse, focusing on each other's work, dreams, and interests.

### MARRIAGE AS A BALANCING ACT

Individuals have many different roles in their married lives. These roles include work and family, being a spouse and a parent, and keeping a sense of self while also being part of a couple. It is important to keep a balance between these sometimes-competing roles. Doing too much of one often comes at the expense of another.

### RECOGNIZING WHEN YOU NEED HELP

What are signs of marital distress? If you often have communication problems, if your arguments are more destructive than constructive, and especially if your disagreements lead to pushing or shoving or other kinds of "physical" behavior, it may be helpful to get assistance.

### WHERE TO LOOK FOR HELP

If you or your spouse ever need help of any kind, knowing where to look is important. Family and friends can provide support. Often, though, expert help is useful. There are many highly qualified professionals to help you decide if you need assistance, and what kind of assistance might be most helpful. There are many resources to help develop skills and improve your marriage. Investigate programs and counseling offered by: (1) Community mental health centers, (2) Religious

organizations and spiritual leaders, (3) Relationship enhancement programs (4) Marriage and family therapists. Many of these resources are available free of charge or on a sliding fee scale. All couples have the potential to succeed in making a wonderful marriage. It does not happen naturally. It takes a lot of effort. The most successful relationships are ones that spouses continually work to improve."

/s/ Michael Lamoureux

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Lamoureux, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2479** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2479**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2479** as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 1, delete "designated by the court" and substitute "with standing, including the ward."

/s/ Michael Lamoureux

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Harrelson, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1201** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1201**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1201** as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Stewart, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Cook, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dunn, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenburg, Hawkins, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, J. Johnson, Key, King, Maxwell, Overbey, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Ragland, J. Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Shelby, L. Smith, Wells, Wood, and Woods as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete line 1 and substitute the following:

"the group insurance program ~~instituted~~ administered by the Employee Benefits Division of the Department of Finance and Administration pursuant to the provisions of this"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 5 through 19 and substitute the following:

"(b)(1) In addition, upon the death of an active member ~~or a retired member~~ of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, the survivors of such member who are eligible for or are receiving an annuity under the system and who were covered on the active member's health insurance policy at the time of death shall have the option of continuing to be a member of such insurance group at the prevailing rates established for members of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, upon application for such coverage.

(2) Upon the death of a retired member of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, a survivor of a member who was receiving an annuity under the system and who was covered on the member's health insurance policy at the time of the member's death shall have the option of continuing to be a member of the insurance group at the prevailing rates established for the members of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System upon application for the coverage.

~~(c)(1) However, persons~~ A person drawing retirement benefits under the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System who ~~wish~~ elects to participate or continue to participate in the group insurance program provided ~~for herein~~ by the Employee Benefits Division of the Department of Finance and Administration shall pay the ~~full amount~~ retiree portion of the premium or cost of the policy, ~~and such~~

(2) The retiree portion of the premium or cost shall be deducted from the retirement benefit checks check of such participants the participant."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 24 through 32 and substitute the following:

"(e)(1) The state may make a monthly contribution on behalf of the members who participate in the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System group insurance program provided by the Employee Benefits Division of the Management Services Division of the Department of Finance and Administration multiplied by the amount necessary to meet the requirement of subsection (d) of this section.

(2) The state contribution amount shall not exceed the state contribution amount permitted by law for state contributions for members and retirees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System to the Employee Benefits Division of the Department of Finance and Administration for the benefit of state employees as provided in § 21-5-414."

/s/ Steve Harrelson

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. 2644** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2644**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2644** as originally introduced:

Immediately following the Enacting Clause, add an additional section to read as follows:

"SECTION 1. The General Assembly has determined that:

(a) Prior to the enactment of Act 785 of 1993 a taxpayer could claim a refund of any overpayment of state tax within a specified number of years or "as long as the statute of limitations for assessment is still open to the director";

(b) Section 1 of Act 785 of 1993 inadvertently deleted the language that arguably allowed a taxpayer that filed a return the same statute of limitations as the state and thereby gave the state an unfair advantage over a taxpayer that filed a return by permitting the state to retain an overpayment of tax that should have been refunded to the taxpayer that filed the return;

(c) Section 1 of Act 785 of 1993 was intended to apply only to a taxpayer that had not filed a return or that had underreported the taxpayer's income by twenty-five percent (25%) or more;

(d) Fundamental fairness dictates that the statute of limitations should be the same for the state and the taxpayer that filed a return;

(e) While the state law should be designed to fairly collect taxes it should not give the state the upper hand to retain an overpayment from a taxpayer that filed a return; and

(f) This act will clarify the intent of the General Assembly to provide equal treatment between taxpayers that filed a return and the state."

AND

Immediately following SECTION 4, add an additional section to read as follows:

"SECTION 6. Sections 1 - 5 of this act shall be effective retroactive to tax year 1993 and all succeeding tax years."

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

/s/ David Dunn

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Woods, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2664** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2664**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2664** as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 22 and 23 and substitute the following:

"shall be granted an annual vacation of not less than ~~fifteen (15) days~~ the following with full pay:

(1) For an employee who works a forty-hour work week, fifteen (15) days; and

(2) For an employee who works more than forty (40) scheduled hours per week, the equivalent of seven (7) twenty-four-hour shifts."

/s/ Jon Woods

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Woods, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1617** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1617

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1617** as engrossed,  
H3/1/07 (version: 03-01-2007 09:14):

Page 1, delete the TITLE in its entirety and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO ABOLISH A LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S RIGHT OF EMINENT DOMAIN TO CONDEMN PRIVATE PROPERTY FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete the SUBTITLE in its entirety and substitute the following:

"TO ABOLISH A LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S RIGHT OF EMINENT DOMAIN TO CONDEMN PRIVATE PROPERTY FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT."

AND

Page 1, strike all of the language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 14-168-304(7), concerning a local government's right of eminent domain to condemn private property for economic redevelopment, is repealed.

~~(7)(A) Exercise the right of eminent domain to condemn property for the purposes of implementing the project plan.~~

~~(B) The rules and procedures set forth in §§ 18-15-301 - 18-15-307 shall govern all condemnation proceedings authorized in this subchapter;~~

SECTION 2. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. Nothing in this act shall expand or limit a municipal corporation's power of eminent domain under §§ 18-15-301 - 18-15-309."

/s/ Jon Woods

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. 1540** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1540**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1540** as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 13 through page 4, line 6 and insert therefor:

" UAMS DONALD W. REYNOLDS CTR ON AGING  
TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

(1) Project/Program Manager	1	\$72,828	\$74,285
(2) Project/Program Specialist	4	\$62,836	\$64,093

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
CLASSIFIED POSITIONS

(3) Administrative Assistant II	1	GRADE 17	
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TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
ACADEMIC POSITIONS

(4) Faculty Pool	19		
Professor		\$144,168	\$147,051
Associate Professor		\$133,038	\$135,699
Assistant Professor		\$125,612	\$128,124
Instructor		\$100,933	\$102,952
(5) Education Coordinator	1	\$103,750	\$105,825
(6) Research Assistant	1	\$68,253	\$69,618

UAMS ARK COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH  
TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

(7) Project/Program Director	1	\$80,367	\$81,974
(8) Project/Program Specialist	1	\$62,836	\$64,093

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL CLASSIFIED POSITIONS

(9) Systems Analyst II-Inst	1	GRADE 22	
(10) Research Technologist II	1	GRADE 20	
(11) Administrative Assistant II	6	GRADE 17	
(12) Secretary II	1	GRADE 13	

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL ACADEMIC POSITIONS

(13) Dean	1	\$214,293	\$218,579
(14) Department Chairperson	5	\$151,599	\$154,631
(15) Associate Dean	1	\$145,026	\$147,927
(16) Faculty Pool	6		
Professor		\$144,168	\$147,051
Associate Professor		\$133,038	\$135,699
Assistant Professor		\$125,612	\$128,124

ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL

ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

(17) Director of Biosciences Institute	1	\$225,379	\$229,887
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TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL

CLASSIFIED POSITIONS

(18) Research Technologist I	12	GRADE 18	
(19) Research Technician II	12	GRADE 13	

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

(20) Faculty Pool	24		
Research Professor		\$140,799	\$143,615
Research Associate Professor		\$133,037	\$135,698
Research Assistant Professor		\$125,612	\$128,124
Research Instructor		\$86,428	\$88,157
(21) Post Doctoral Fellow	6	\$87,080	\$88,822
(22) Graduate Assistant	4	\$33,970	\$34,649

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(23) Administrative Support Pool	17		
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Page 1, line 19, delete "DISTRICT"

And

Page 1, line 25, delete "FORT SMITH SCHOOL DISTRICT" and substitute "ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATIONS AND ADULT EDUCATION SCHOOLS STATEWIDE"

And

Page 1, delete lines 28 through 36 in their entirety and substitute the following:

" (A) For support to all Alternative School Parent Teacher Associations, the sum of .....\$100.000.

(B) For support to all Adult Education Schools to be used exclusively for student and teacher supplies, the sum of .....\$100.000."

And

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 13 in their entirety

/s/ Jim Medley

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Medley, **HOUSE BILL NO. 2069** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2069**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 2069** as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 28, delete "the American Red Cross" and substitute "all American Red Cross Programs"

And

Page 1, line 28, delete "\$10,000" and substitute "\$25,000"

And

Page 1, delete line 29 in its entirety

And

Page 1, line 30, delete "Gateway House" and substitute "all men's and women's alcohol abuse treatment houses"

And

Page 1, line 30, delete "\$10,000" and substitute "\$25,000"

And

Page 1, delete lines 31 through 35 in their entirety

And

Page 1, line 36, delete "the Crisis Center" and substitute "all Crisis Centers"

And

Page 1, line 36, delete "\$10,000" and substitute "\$25,000"

And

Page 2, line 1, delete "the Community Rescue Mission" and substitute "all Community Rescue Missions"

And

Page 2, line 1, delete "\$10,000" and substitute "\$25,000"

And

Page 2, delete lines 2 through 6 in their entirety

And

Page 2, line 7, delete "the Adult Day Care Center" and substitute "all Adult Day Care Centers"

And

Page 2, line 7, delete "\$10,000" and substitute "\$25,000"

And

Page 2, delete line 8 in its entirety

And

Page 2, line 9, delete "the Alzheimer Association" and substitute "all Alzheimer Associations"

And

Page 2, line 9, delete "\$10,000" and substitute "\$25,000"

And

Appropriately reorder the subsection Letters in SECTION 1

*/s/ Jim Medley*

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

*/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw*  
Chief Clerk

The House gave Representative Medley unanimous leave to withdraw **HOUSE BILL NO. 2732**. Recommended Committee study by State Agencies and Governmental Affairs Committee - House.

The House gave Representative Norton unanimous leave to withdraw **HOUSE BILL NO. 1147**.

The House gave Representative Rosenbaum unanimous leave to withdraw **HOUSE BILL NO. 1380**. Recommended Committee study by State Agencies and Governmental Affairs Committee - House.

The House gave Representative Wagner unanimous leave to withdraw **HOUSE BILL NO. 1743**. Recommended Committee study by State Agencies and Governmental Affairs Committee - House.

The House gave Representative Ragland unanimous leave to withdraw **HOUSE BILL NO. 1082**. Recommended study by Public Retirement and Social Security Programs - Joint.

The House gave Representative Ragland unanimous leave to withdraw **HOUSE BILL NO. 2497**. Recommended Committee study by State Agencies and Governmental Affairs Committee - House.

The House gave Representative Burris unanimous leave to withdraw **HOUSE BILL NO. 1195**. Recommended Committee study by Public Retirement and Social Security Programs - Joint.

The House gave Representative Webb unanimous leave to withdraw **HOUSE BILL NO. 2661**.

The House gave Representative Harrelson unanimous leave to withdraw  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1532.

The House gave Representative Maloch unanimous leave to withdraw  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1067.

ENGROSSED BILL REPORTS

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BENNY C. PETRUS, CHAIRMAN

March 20, 2007

The following bill(s) reported correctly engrossed:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1201 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON, ET AL  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1617 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODS  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1979 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2069 BY REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1540 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2349 BY REPRESENTATIVE BOND  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2476 BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMOUREUX  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2479 BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMOUREUX  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2510 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN, ET AL  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2538 BY REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2614 BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2615 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE HARDY, ET AL  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2620 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS, ET AL  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2630 BY REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2644 BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN, ET AL  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2664 BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODS, ET AL  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2735 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK, ET AL  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2768 BY REPRESENTATIVE ROSENBAUM  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2771 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK, ET AL

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1201

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, STEWART, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, BURRIS, CASH, CHEATHAM, COOK, CORNWELL, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DUNN, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HAWKINS, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, J. JOHNSON, KEY, KING, MAXWELL, OVERBEY, PIERCE, POWERS, S. PRATER, RAGLAND, J. ROEBUCK, ROSENBAUM, SHELBY, L. SMITH, WELLS, WOOD, WOODS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EQUALIZE RETIREE GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM COSTS UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR RETIRED STATE EMPLOYEES AND RETIRED PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES; TO PERMIT STATE CONTRIBUTIONS TO GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM COSTS FOR PARTICIPANTS IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM WHO ARE NOT STATE EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1617

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ABOLISH A LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S RIGHT OF EMINENT DOMAIN TO CONDEMN PRIVATE PROPERTY FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1979

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR SUPPORT OF ALL ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATIONS AND ALL ADULT EDUCATION SCHOOLS STATEWIDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2510

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES DUNN, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, E. BROWN, BURKES, BURRIS, CHEATHAM, DAVIS, EVERETT, GREENBERG, HARRELSON, HARRIS, J. JOHNSON, KIDD, LAMOUREUX, MAXWELL, PIERCE, REEP, REYNOLDS, L. SMITH, WALTERS, WOODS, WYATT  
BY: SENATORS BRYLES, STEELE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REESTABLISH FAIRNESS, TRANSPARENCY, AND COMPETITION IN THE BIDDING PRACTICES FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLICLY FUNDED BUILDINGS, INFRASTRUCTURE, AND FACILITIES.

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2615

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, E. BROWN, CHESTERFIELD, DAVIS, S. DOBBINS, GARNER, R. GREEN, HAWKINS, JEFFREY, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, LOWERY, S. PRATER, RAINEY, REEP, SAUNDERS, SUMPTER  
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE AN ARKANSAS HIV-AIDS MINORITY TASKFORCE; TO COORDINATE STATEWIDE EFFORTS TO COMBAT THE DEBILITATING EFFECTS OF HIV-AIDS ON MINORITY ARKANSANS; TO IMPROVE HIV-AIDS PREVENTION, INTERVENTION, AND TREATMENT PROGRAMS IN THE MINORITY COMMUNITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2620

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES WALTERS, *ABERNATHY, D. CREEKMORE, HOYT, J. JOHNSON, KIDD, LOVELL, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, PATTERSON, PIERCE, REEP, REYNOLDS, WAGNER, WELLS, WYATT*

BY: *SENATOR R. THOMPSON*

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE REGULATION OF TITLE INSURANCE TO THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT; TO ENACT THE ARKANSAS TITLE INSURANCE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2735

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, *PENNARTZ*

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED *AN ACT TO CREATE THE HEALTH FACILITY INFECTION DISCLOSURE ACT OF 2007*; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2771

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, COOK, WEBB, STEWART, D. JOHNSON, D. EVANS, POWERS, L. SMITH, HOUSE, HARDWICK, BLOUNT, E. BROWN, CASH, CHEATHAM, EDWARDS, HARDY, J. JOHNSON, LAMOUREUX, PENNARTZ, RAINEY, WAGNER, WOODS, GASKILL, S. PRATER

BY: SENATORS MADISON, TRUSTY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE BEVERAGE CONTAINER LITTER REDUCTION FEE PROGRAM; TO REDUCE LITTER, FACILITATE BEVERAGE CONTAINER RECYCLING AND REQUIRE LABELING OF BEVERAGE CONTAINERS; TO PERMIT REDEMPTION CENTERS AND ADOPT REGULATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1018

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE NORTON

COMMENDING THE ALPENA HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE AND AGRISCIENCE PROGRAMS FOR EXCELLENCE.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1021

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

REQUESTING THAT IN CONCORDANCE WITH THE 2006 ACT 57 ADEQUACY STUDY, THE JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY PROGRAMS STUDY THE POSSIBILITY OF REQUIRING FURTHER REVIEW BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY BEFORE ANY FUTURE INCREASES TO THE EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION RATE OR GRANTS OF ADDITIONAL AUTHORITY TO THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1030

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

TO SUSPEND RULE (36)(m) OF THE HOUSE OF  
REPRESENTATIVES TO ALLOW REPRESENTATIVE CHRIS  
THYER TO FILE A BILL CONCERNING SCHOOL ACADEMIC  
FACILITIES BONDS.

**Subtitle**

TO SUSPEND THE RULES OF THE HOUSE OF  
REPRESENTATIVES TO ALLOW REPRESENTATIVE  
CHRIS THYER TO FILE A BILL CONCERNING  
SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES BONDS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-  
SIXTH GENERAL  
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

THAT Rule 36(m) of the House of Representatives is suspended to allow  
Representative Chris Thyer to file a bill concerning school academic  
facilities bonds.

The vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, 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, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....	94
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Berry, Blount, Hoyt, Medley.	
Total .....	4
VOTING PRESENT: E. Brown, Cornwell.	
Total .....	2
Total number of votes cast .....	96
Total number voting in the affirmative.....	94
Necessary to the adoption of the resolution .....	67

So the Resolution was adopted.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 26

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BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

TO SUSPEND JOINT RULE (16)(A) OF THE SENATE AND  
THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO ALLOW  
REPRESENTATIVE CHRIS THYER TO INTRODUCE A BILL  
CONCERNING SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES BONDS.

**Subtitle**

TO SUSPEND THE JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE 16  
AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO 17  
ALLOW REPRESENTATIVE CHRIS THYER TO 18  
INTRODUCE A BILL CONCERNING SCHOOL 19  
ACADEMIC FACILITIES BONDS. 20

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL  
ASSEMBLY, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

That Joint Rule (16)(A) of the Senate and the House of Representatives  
is hereby suspended to allow Representative Chris Thyer to introduce a bill  
concerning school academic facilities bonds.

The vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, 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, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....96

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hardwick, Medley.

Total .....2

VOTING PRESENT: E. Brown, Cornwell.

Total .....2

Total number of votes cast .....98

Total number voting in the affirmative.....96

Necessary to the adoption of the resolution .....67

So the Resolution was adopted.

Morning Hour Expired.

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

ARKANSAS SENATE

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 2583

Amend HOUSE BILL NO. 2583 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Horn as a cosponsor of the bill

/s/ Barbara Horn

The Amendment was read and the vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Cook, Cooper, 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, Kenney, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Chesterfield, M. Martin, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....3

VOTING PRESENT: E. Brown, Cornwell.

Total .....2

Total number of votes cast .....97

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

Necessary to concur in the amendment .....51

So the Amendment was concurred in.

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

HOUSE BILL NO. 2451

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, Berry, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, Davenport, Davis, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Overbey, Patterson, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Thyer, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....77

NEGATIVE: Bond, Chesterfield, R. Green, Kidd, W. Lewellen, Pate, Pennartz, Pyle, Sumpster, Wagner.

Total .....10

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: T. Baker, D. Creekmore, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, L. Evans, Hardy, D. Hutchinson, M. Martin, Norton, Pace, Pickett, Sullivan, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....13

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....87

Total number voting in the affirmative.....77

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2788

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Allen, Berry, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Flowers, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hawkins, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, Moore, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pickett, Powers, Rainey, Reep, J. Roebuck, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Wells, Wills, Woods.

Total .....57

NEGATIVE: Adcock, Bond, J. Brown, Cook, Cooper, Everett, Garner, Harrelson, Harris, House, Hoyt, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Key, M. Martin, Pennartz, Pierce, S. Prater, Pyle, Reynolds, Rosenbaum, L. Smith, Webb, Wood, Wyatt.

Total .....26

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Abernathy, Anderson, T. Baker, Chesterfield, S. Dobbins, Glidewell, Hardwick, Hardy, Kenney, Maxwell, Medley, Norton, Pace, Ragland, Rogers, Walters, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....17

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....83

Total number voting in the affirmative .....57

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

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

Upon motion of Representative Saunders the Clincher motion prevailed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2383

BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

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, 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, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, 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, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, 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: T. Baker, Hardwick, Rogers, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....96

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.

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 2383**, 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, 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, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, 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, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, 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: T. Baker, Hardwick, Rogers, 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. 2460

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

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, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kidd, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Maloch, Maxwell, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pate, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....83

NEGATIVE: Burkes, Kenney, Key, Pace.

Total .....4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Berry, Dickinson, Glidewell, Harris, Jeffrey, King, Lowery, Medley, Patterson, Ragland, Rogers, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....12

VOTING PRESENT: M. Martin.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast .....88

Total number voting in the affirmative .....83

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

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 2460**, 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, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kidd, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Maloch, Maxwell, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pate, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....83

NEGATIVE: Burkes, Kenney, Key, Pace.

Total .....4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Berry, Dickinson, Glidewell, Harris, Jeffrey, King, Lowery, Medley, Patterson, Ragland, Rogers, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....12

VOTING PRESENT: M. Martin.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast .....88

Total number voting in the affirmative .....83

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2367

BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, Anderson, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Dunn, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Key, Kidd, Lamoureux, Lovell, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Moore, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pierce, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....72

NEGATIVE: Flowers, Powers, Reep, L. Smith.

Total .....4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, T. Baker, Berry, J. Brown, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Edwards, Hoyt, Jeffrey, Kenney, King, W. Lewellen, Lowery, Medley, Norton, Pace, Pennartz, Pickett, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Webb, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....24

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....76

Total number voting in the affirmative.....72

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2692

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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, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, 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, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....91

NEGATIVE: Garner, D. Hutchinson, M. Martin, Sullivan.

Total .....4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, D. Creekmore, L. Evans, Rogers, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....95

Total number voting in the affirmative .....91

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2407

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOND

Was read the third time and placed on final passage, the question being shall the Bill pass. 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, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, Hyde, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....94

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, L. Evans, D. Hutchinson, Jeffrey, Pickett, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....94

Total number voting in the affirmative.....94

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2691

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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: 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, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, 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, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Abernathy, Adcock, Ragland, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....4

VOTING PRESENT: Glidewell.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast .....96

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. 2739

BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. JOHNSON

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, 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, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....92

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, T. Baker, Maxwell, Powers, Schulte, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT: Anderson, Jeffrey.

Total .....2

Total number of votes cast .....94

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. 2534

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

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

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

Total .....88

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Anderson, Burkes, Dickinson, Garner, Glidewell, Hyde, Jeffrey, Kenney, Lamoureux, Medley, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....12

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....88

Total number voting in the affirmative .....88

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

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

Representative Bond moved for re-consideration of HOUSE BILL NO. 1703.

The vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, Berry, Bond, E. Brown, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, Davenport, Davis, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, Everett, Flowers, George, R. Green, Hall, Hardwick, Harrelson, House, Hoyt, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Maloch, Moore, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rogers, Saunders, Shelby, L. Smith, Wagner, Wells, Wood.

Total .....51

NEGATIVE: Anderson, T. Baker, Blount, Breedlove, J. Brown, Burkes, Chesterfield, D. Creekmore, Dickinson, L. Evans, Garner, Gaskill, Glidewell, Greenberg, Harris, D. Hutchinson, Jeffrey, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, Lowery, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Norton, Pace, Pyle, Ragland, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Stewart, Sullivan, Thyer, Walters, Wills, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....40

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, T. Bradford, Hardy, Hawkins, Hyde, J. Roebuck, Sumpter, Webb, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....91

Total number voting in the affirmative.....51

Necessary to the adoption of the motion .....51

So the Motion was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1703

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

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, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, E. Brown, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, Davenport, Davis, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, Everett, Flowers, George, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, House, Hoyt, J. Johnson, Kidd, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Maloch, Moore, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Shelby, L. Smith, Wagner, Wells, Wood.

Total .....54

NEGATIVE: Anderson, Breedlove, J. Brown, Burkes, Chesterfield, D. Creekmore, Dickinson, L. Evans, Garner, Gaskill, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Harris, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Lowery, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Norton, Pace, Pyle, Ragland, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Stewart, Sullivan, Thyer, Walters, Webb, Wills, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....41

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: S. Dobbins, Hawkins, Saunders, Sumpter, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....93

Total number voting in the affirmative .....52

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

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

Representative Ragland requested the Sounding of the Ballot on **HOUSE BILL NO. 1703** and the call was sustained. The following members votes were successfully challenged:

AYE: ADCOCK, HALL

Total.....	02
Total Number of votes cast.....	93
Necessary to the passage of the bill.....	51
Total number voting in the affirmative.....	52
Total number voting in the negative.....	41
Total number absent or not voting.....	07
Total number voting present.....	0

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1703

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, E. Brown, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, Davenport, Davis, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, Everett, Flowers, George, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, House, Hoyt, J. Johnson, Kidd, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Maloch, Moore, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Shelby, L. Smith, Wagner, Wells, Wood.

Total .....52

NEGATIVE: Anderson, Breedlove, J. Brown, Burkes, Chesterfield, D. Creekmore, Dickinson, L. Evans, Garner, Gaskill, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Harris, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Lowery, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Norton, Pace, Pyle, Ragland, Rosenbaum, Sample, Schulte, Stewart, Sullivan, Thyer, Walters, Webb, Wills, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....41

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, S. Dobbins, Hall, Hawkins, Saunders, Sumpter, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....93

Total number voting in the affirmative .....52

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1187

BY: REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS

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, T. Baker, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burris, Cash, Chesterfield, Cook, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, Hyde, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, W. Lewellen, Lovell, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Wagner, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood.

Total .....64

NEGATIVE: Allen, Anderson, Burkes, Cooper, Garner, Harris, Key, Kidd, Lamoureux, Lowery, Maloch, Pace, Rosenbaum, Sample, Sullivan, Thyer, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....18

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Berry, Cheatham, S. Dobbins, L. Evans, Glidewell, D. Hutchinson, Jeffrey, Kenney, King, Norton, S. Prater, Pyle, Reynolds, Saunders, Schulte, Sumpter, Walters, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....18

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....82

Total number voting in the affirmative.....64

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1277

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS

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, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, Dunn, Edwards, D. 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, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....93

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bond, S. Dobbins, L. Evans, Glidewell, Lowery, Maloch, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....93

Total number voting in the affirmative .....93

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

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1277**, 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, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, Dunn, Edwards, D. 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, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....93

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bond, S. Dobbins, L. Evans, Glidewell, Lowery, Maloch, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....93

Total number voting in the affirmative .....93

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1172

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS

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, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Chesterfield, Cook, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....93

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Berry, Cheatham, Cooper, Everett, Glidewell, Maloch, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....93

Total number voting in the affirmative .....93

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1097

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS

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, 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, 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, Kenney, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....97

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, D. Evans, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....97

Total number voting in the affirmative .....97

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

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1097**, 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, 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, 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, Kenney, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....97

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, D. Evans, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....97

Total number voting in the affirmative .....97

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

The Speaker requested that **SENATE BILL NO. 924** be transferred from the Education Committee to the Committee on Advanced Communications and Information Technology - House.

SENATE BILL NO. 296

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BY: SENATOR WILKINS

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, 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, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wyatt.

Total .....87

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Burkes, Davis, Jeffrey, Lamoureux, Moore, Norton, S. Prater, Pyle, Sumpter, Wood, Woods, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....13

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....87

Total number voting in the affirmative .....87

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 849

BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

Was read the third time and placed on final passage, the question being shall the Bill pass. 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, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....91

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Davis, Gaskill, Lamoureux, Pickett, S. Prater, Reynolds, Wood, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....91

Total number voting in the affirmative.....91

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 439

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BY: SENATOR HORN

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

Total .....90

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total .....1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: T. Bradford, Cornwell, Davis, Dickinson, D. Hutchinson, Medley, S. Prater, Wood, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....91

Total number voting in the affirmative .....90

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

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **SENATE BILL NO. 439**, 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, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....90

NEGATIVE: Flowers.

Total .....1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: T. Bradford, Cornwell, Davis, Dickinson, D. Hutchinson, Medley, S. Prater, Wood, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....91

Total number voting in the affirmative .....90

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 821

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BY: SENATOR MADISON

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, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. 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, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....89

NEGATIVE: King.

Total .....1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: T. Bradford, Davis, Dickinson, L. Evans, Kenney, Maxwell, Medley, Pickett, S. Prater, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....10

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....90

Total number voting in the affirmative .....89

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 858

BY: SENATOR LUKER

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

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

Total .....79

NEGATIVE: Adcock, Allen, D. Creekmore, R. Green, Greenberg, Kenney, King, Pace.

Total .....8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Berry, Cooper, Davis, D. Evans, Garner, Harris, Key, Lowery, Medley, Pyle, Rosenbaum, Wyatt, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....13

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....87

Total number voting in the affirmative .....79

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 904

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BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

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, Davenport, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....94

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: D. Creekmore, Davis, Hall, Lowery, S. Prater, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....94

Total number voting in the affirmative .....94

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 89

BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

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, D. Creekmore, Davenport, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....91

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: L. Cowling, Davis, Dickinson, Greenberg, Lowery, Norton, Pace, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....8

VOTING PRESENT: Pickett.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast .....92

Total number voting in the affirmative .....91

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 357

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BY: SENATOR HORN

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, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, 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, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....94

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: J. Brown, L. Cowling, Davis, Pickett, Rogers, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....94

Total number voting in the affirmative .....94

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 948

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

Was read the third time and placed on final passage, the question being shall the Bill pass. 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, Cooper, Cornwell, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. 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, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....90

NEGATIVE: Pyle, L. Smith.

Total .....2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Cook, L. Cowling, Davis, L. Evans, Pickett, Ragland, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....92

Total number voting in the affirmative .....90

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

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

Representative Bond moved to take **SENATE BILL NO. 858** out of proper order and hold in the House for one day. Motion carried.

SENATE BILL NO. 308

BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

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, 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, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, 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, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....92

NEGATIVE: Flowers, D. Hutchinson.

Total .....2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Berry, Davis, Hardwick, Hoyt, Ragland, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....94

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.

SENATE BILL NO. 379

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BY: SENATOR MILLER

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, 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, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Berry, Davis, D. Hutchinson, Pierce, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....95

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.

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **SENATE BILL NO. 379**, 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, 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, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Berry, Davis, D. Hutchinson, Pierce, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....95

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

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 800

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BY: SENATOR WOMACK

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, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, 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, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....93

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Berry, E. Brown, Davis, Dickinson, Pate, Ragland, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....93

Total number voting in the affirmative .....93

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 768

BY: SENATOR HORN

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, T. Baker, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, Dickinson, S. Dobbins, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Everett, Flowers, Gaskill, Glidewell, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, Hyde, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kidd, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, M. Martin, Maxwell, Moore, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, Sullivan, Thyer, Wagner, Webb, Wood, Wyatt.

Total .....65

NEGATIVE: Adcock, Blount, Burkes, Davenport, Dunn, R. Green, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Medley, Pace, Pyle, L. Smith, Stewart, Walters, Woods.

Total .....17

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Anderson, Berry, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davis, Garner, George, Hardy, D. Hutchinson, Jeffrey, Maloch, Norton, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sumpter, Wells, Wills, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....18

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....82

Total number voting in the affirmative .....65

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 637

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BY: SENATOR BROWN

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, 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, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, 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, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Davis, D. Hutchinson, Rogers, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....4

VOTING PRESENT: Key.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast.....96

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.

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **SENATE BILL NO. 637**, 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, 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, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, 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, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Davis, D. Hutchinson, Rogers, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....4

VOTING PRESENT: Key.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast .....96

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

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 910

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BY: SENATOR WILKINS

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, 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, Medley, Moore, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Davis, Kenney, Maxwell, Norton, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....95

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.

SENATE BILL NO. 840

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

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, 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, Kenney, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....97

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Davis, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....97

Total number voting in the affirmative .....97

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

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **SENATE BILL NO. 840**, 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, 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, Kenney, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....97

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Davis, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....97

Total number voting in the affirmative .....97

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 398

BY: SENATOR SALMON

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, Kenney, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpster, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....	100
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total .....	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast .....	100
Total number voting in the affirmative.....	100
Necessary to the passage of the bill.....	51

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

SENATE BILL NO. 440

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BY: SENATOR HILL

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, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burris, 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, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wyatt, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....91

NEGATIVE: Burkes, Greenberg, King, Woods.

Total .....4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Cash, Davis, S. Prater, Wood.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....95

Total number voting in the affirmative .....91

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

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **SENATE BILL NO. 440**, 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, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burris, 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, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wyatt, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....	91
NEGATIVE: Burkes, Greenberg, King, Woods.	
Total .....	4
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Cash, Davis, S. Prater, Wood.	
Total .....	5
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast .....	95
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	91
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 766

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BY: SENATOR SALMON

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, Anderson, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. 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, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....93

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, T. Baker, J. Brown, Davis, Maxwell, Pickett, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....93

Total number voting in the affirmative .....93

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 52

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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, Allen, Anderson, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, 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, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Wyatt.

Total .....91

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, T. Baker, Berry, Burkes, Davis, Hardwick, Pickett, Woods, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....91

Total number voting in the affirmative .....91

Necessary to the passage of the bill .....75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **SENATE BILL NO. 52**, 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, Allen, Anderson, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, 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, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Wyatt.

Total .....91

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, T. Baker, Berry, Burkes, Davis, Hardwick, Pickett, Woods, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....91

Total number voting in the affirmative .....91

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 65

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, 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, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....92

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Berry, Davis, J. Johnson, Maxwell, Pace, Webb, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....92

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

Necessary to the passage of the bill .....75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **SENATE BILL NO. 65**, 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, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, 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, Kenney, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Medley, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pickett, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....92

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Berry, Davis, J. Johnson, Maxwell, Pace, Webb, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....92

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

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 127

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, 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, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, 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, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....93

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, L. Cowling, Davis, Harris, Rogers, Sullivan, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....93

Total number voting in the affirmative .....93

Necessary to the passage of the bill .....75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **SENATE BILL NO. 127**, 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, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Blount, Bond, T. Bradford, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Chesterfield, Cook, Cooper, Cornwell, 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, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, 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, Rosenbaum, Sample, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....93

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, L. Cowling, Davis, Harris, Rogers, Sullivan, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....93

Total number voting in the affirmative .....93

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

Representative Saunders moved for immediate consideration of **SENATE BILL NO. 257**. Motion carried.

**SENATE BILL NO. 257**

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**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

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, 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, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Davis, Gaskill, Hardwick, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....95

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

Necessary to the passage of the bill .....75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **SENATE BILL NO. 257**, 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, 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, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Harris, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, J. Johnson, Kenney, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....	95
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Davis, Gaskill, Hardwick, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	5
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	95
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	95
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 252

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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, 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, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....94

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Davis, Gaskill, Kenney, Pace, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....94

Total number voting in the affirmative .....94

Necessary to the passage of the bill .....75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **SENATE BILL NO. 252**, 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, 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, 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, Saunders, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Wagner, Walters, Webb, Wells, Wills, Wood, Woods, Wyatt.

Total .....94

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Davis, Gaskill, Kenney, Pace, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....94

Total number voting in the affirmative .....94

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

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 HOUSE BILLS ORDERED TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED
 

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1097 BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1172 BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1187 BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1277 BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1703 BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 2367 BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 2383 BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 2407 BY REPRESENTATIVE BOND  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 2451 BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 2460 BY REPRESENTATIVE WEBB  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 2534 BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 2691 BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 2692 BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 2739 BY REPRESENTATIVE D. JOHNSON  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 2788 BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

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 SENATE BILLS ORDERED RETURNED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED
 

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SENATE BILL NO. 52 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 SENATE BILL NO. 65 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 SENATE BILL NO. 89 BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR  
     AS AMENDED # 1  
 SENATE BILL NO. 127 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 SENATE BILL NO. 252 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 SENATE BILL NO. 257 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 SENATE BILL NO. 296 BY SENATOR WILKINS  
 SENATE BILL NO. 308 BY SENATOR CRITCHER  
 SENATE BILL NO. 357 BY SENATOR HORN  
 SENATE BILL NO. 379 BY SENATOR MILLER  
     AS AMENDED # 1  
 SENATE BILL NO. 398 BY SENATOR SALMON  
 SENATE BILL NO. 439 BY SENATOR HORN  
 SENATE BILL NO. 440 BY SENATOR HILL  
 SENATE BILL NO. 637 BY SENATOR BROWN  
 SENATE BILL NO. 766 BY SENATOR SALMON

SENATE BILLS ORDERED RETURNED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED,  
CONTINUED

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SENATE BILL NO. 768 BY SENATOR HORN  
 SENATE BILL NO. 800 BY SENATOR WOMACK  
 SENATE BILL NO. 821 BY SENATOR MADISON  
 SENATE BILL NO. 840 BY SENATOR GLOVER  
 AS AMENDED # 1  
 SENATE BILL NO. 849 BY SENATOR TRUSTY  
 SENATE BILL NO. 904 BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON  
 SENATE BILL NO. 910 BY SENATOR WILKINS  
 SENATE BILL NO. 948 BY SENATOR GLOVER

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AND  
ORDERED TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

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HOUSE CONCURRENT  
 RESOLUTION NO. 1021 BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS CONCURRED IN  
AND ORDERED RETURNED TO THE SENATE

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SENATE CONCURRENT  
 RESOLUTION NO. 26 BY SENATOR BROADWAY

ARKANSAS SENATE  
 HOUSE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE SENATE AS PASSED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1120 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1250 BY REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1299 BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON  
 AS AMENDED # 1, 2  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1373 BY REPRESENTATIVE BOND  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1393 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1412 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

## ARKANSAS SENATE

## HOUSE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE SENATE AS PASSED, CONTINUED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1577	BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS
HOUSE BILL NO. 1595	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1599	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1866	BY REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND
HOUSE BILL NO. 1890	BY REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY
HOUSE BILL NO. 2225	BY REPRESENTATIVE ROGERS
HOUSE BILL NO. 2281	BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE
HOUSE BILL NO. 2305	BY REPRESENTATIVE PACE
HOUSE BILL NO. 2351	BY REPRESENTATIVE WYATT
HOUSE BILL NO. 2374	BY REPRESENTATIVE ROGERS
HOUSE BILL NO. 2397	BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE
HOUSE BILL NO. 2463	BY REPRESENTATIVE J. JOHNSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 2604	BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE
HOUSE BILL NO. 2701	BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON

## ARKANSAS SENATE

## SENATE BILLS RECEIVED FROM SENATE

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SENATE BILL NO. 28	BY SENATOR MADISON
SENATE BILL NO. 29	BY SENATOR MADISON
SENATE BILL NO. 91	BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
SENATE BILL NO. 777	BY SENATOR MADISON
SENATE BILL NO. 798	BY SENATOR HORN
SENATE BILL NO. 819	BY SENATOR CRITCHER
SENATE BILL NO. 957	BY SENATOR MADISON

ARKANSAS SENATE  
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS CONCURRED IN  
AND RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

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HOUSE CONCURRENT  
RESOLUTION NO. 1030            BY REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

ARKANSAS SENATE  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AND  
TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

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SENATE CONCURRENT  
RESOLUTION NO. 21            BY SENATOR MADISON  
SENATE CONCURRENT  
RESOLUTION NO. 24            BY SENATOR LAVERTY

ENROLLED AND DELIVERY TO GOVERNOR REPORTS

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 20, 2007

MR. SPEAKER:

We, your committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred the following:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1367 BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1446 BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS, ET AL  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1456 BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT, ET AL  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1581 BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1586 BY REPRESENTATIVE KING  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1657 BY REPRESENTATIVES ROSENBAUM & ANDERSON  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1671 BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1759 BY REPRESENTATIVE WYATT  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1782 BY REPRESENTATIVE KING  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2221 BY REPRESENTATIVE CORNWELL, ET AL  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2245 BY REPRESENTATIVES FLOWERS & E. BROWN  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2283 BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2398 BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRIS  
HOUSE BILL NO. 2585 BY REPRESENTATIVE HARDWICK

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 11:10 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Benny C. Petrus, Chairman

RECEIPT FROM THE GOVERNOR

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/s/ Mike Beebe - Governor

TIME: 11:10 a.m.

By: Marc Harrison

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March 20, 2007

MR. SPEAKER:

We, your committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred the following:

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RESOLUTION NO. 1030 BY REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY, ET AL

HOUSE BILL NO. 1250 BY REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY, ET AL

HOUSE BILL NO. 2583 BY REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

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 3:52 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Benny C. Petrus, Chairman

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HOUSE BILL NO. 2583 BY REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

/s/ Mike Beebe - Governor

TIME: 3:52 p.m.

By: Angela Tollette

**STATE OF ARKANSAS**

MIKE BEEBE

GOVERNOR

March 20, 2007

TO THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

Dear Mr. Speaker:

This is to inform you that on March 20, 2007, I approved the following measure from the Regular Session of the Eighty-sixth General Assembly:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1426 - ACT 388

HOUSE BILL NO. 1698 - ACT 389

HOUSE BILL NO. 1789 - ACT 390

HOUSE BILL NO. 2215 - ACT 391

HOUSE BILL NO. 2286 - ACT 392

HOUSE BILL NO. 2401 - ACT 393

Sincerely,

/s/ Mike Beebe

STATE OF ARKANSAS

*HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

March 20, 2007

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter in regards to my nay - vote on **HOUSE BILL NO. 1277**. It was my intention to vote YES on this Bill.

Please see that this matter is corrected and noted in the journal.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

/s/ John Lowery  
State Representative

JL/mlj

## STATE OF ARKANSAS

*HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

March 20, 2007

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing this letter in regards to my vote on **HOUSE BILL NO. 1277**. It was my intention to vote YES on this Bill and it is my recollection that I pressed the appropriate button. It is my impression that a mechanical failure with my voting button resulted in my vote not being recorded.

Sincerely,

/s/ Sharon Dobbins  
State Representative

SD:jb

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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Whom It May Concern  
**FROM:** House Committee on the Journal; Engrossed and Enrolled Bills  
**DATE:** March 20, 2007  
**SUBJECT:** Amendment #1 to **HOUSE BILL NO. 2615**

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The House Committee on the Journal; Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, by this letter, approves the correction of an error in Amendment #1 to HB 2615. In the Amendment, page 1, the first section should read: "Add Representatives Allen, Baker, Blount, E. Brown, Chesterfield, Davis, S. Dobbins, Garner, R. Green, Hawkins, Jeffrey, Kidd, W. Lewellen, Lowery, S. Prater, Rainey, Reep, Saunders, and Sumpter as cosponsors of the bill" (added "S." before Dobbins, "R." in front of Green, "W." in front of Lewellen and "S." in front of Prater.)

The Committee authorizes the Chief Clerk to carry out the intent of the amendment by correctly engrossing HB 2615.

/s/ Benny C. Petrus  
Speaker of the House

/s/ J R Rogers

/s/ David Dunn, Chairman  
House Rules

/s/ George Overbey, Jr.

/s/ Lenville Evans, Chairman  
House Management Committee

/s/ Tim Massanelli, Parliamentarian

cc: Jo Renshaw, Chief Clerk

# Hall of the House of Representatives

86th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2007

## Amendment Form

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### Subtitle of House Bill No. 2615

"AN ACT TO CREATE AN ARKANSAS HIV-AIDS MINORITY TASKFORCE AND TO  
COORDINATE STATEWIDE EFFORTS TO COMBAT THE DEBILITATING EFFECTS OF  
HIV-AIDS ON MINORITY ARKANSANS."

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Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2615.

Amend House Bill No. 2615 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Allen, Baker, Blount, E. Brown, Chesterfield, Davis,  
(S.)Dobbins, Garner, (R.)Green, Hawkins, Jeffrey, Kidd, (W.)Lewellen, Lowery,  
(S.)Prater,

Rainey, Reep, Saunders, and Sumpter as co-sponsors of the bill

AND

Add Senator Steele as a cosponsor of the bill

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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Whom It May Concern  
**FROM:** House Committee on the Journal; Engrossed and Enrolled Bills  
**DATE:** March 20, 2007  
**SUBJECT:** Amendment #3 to **HOUSE BILL NO. 2620**

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The House Committee on the Journal; Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, by this letter, approves the correction of an error in Amendment #3 to HB 2620. In the Amendment, page 1, the first section should read: "Add Representatives Abernathy, D. Creekmore, Hoyt, J. Johnson, Kidd, Lovell, M. Martin, Maxwell, Patterson, Pierce, Reep, Reynolds, Wagner, Wells, and Wyatt as cosponsors of the bill" (added "D." in front of Creekmore, and "M." in front of Martin.)

Also, the second section should read, "Add Senator R. Thompson as a cosponsor of the bill" (Added "R." in front of Thompson)

The Committee authorizes the Chief Clerk to carry out the intent of the amendment by correctly engrossing HB 2620.

/s/ Benny C. Petrus  
Speaker of the House

/s/ J R Rogers

/s/ David Dunn, Chairman  
House Rules

/s/ George Overbey, Jr.

/s/ Lenville Evans, Chairman  
House Management Committee

/s/ Tim Massanelli, Parliamentarian

cc: Jo Renshaw, Chief Clerk

# Hall of the House of Representatives

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## Amendment Form

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### Subtitle of House Bill No. 2620

"TO TRANSFER THE REGULATION OF TITLE INSURANCE TO THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT AND TO ENACT THE ARKANSAS TITLE INSURANCE ACT."

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### Amendment No. 3 to House Bill No. 2620.

Amend House Bill No. 2620 as engrossed, H3/9/07 (version: 03-09-2007 09:02):  
Add Representatives Abernathy, (D.)Creekmore, Hoyt, J. Johnson, Kidd, Lovell, (M.)Martin, Maxwell, Patterson, Pierce, Reep, Reynolds, Wagner, Wells, and Wyatt as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Senator (R.)Thompson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 19, delete "of eight (8) hours" and substitute "number of hours"

AND

Page 2, delete line 20 and substitute "for a title insurance license as established by rule of the Insurance Commissioner."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 5 through 7 and substitute the following:

"(9) "Qualified financial institution" means a bank, credit union, or savings and loan association regulated, supervised, or examined by federal or state authorities having regulatory authority over banks and trust companies;"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 31 through 36 and substitute the following:

"title insurer and to its title insurance agent as consideration for the amount of liability assumed by a title insurer under a title insurance policy including all amounts retained by the title insurance agent pursuant to the title insurance agent's contract with the title insurer."

AND

Page 6, delete line 1

AND

Page 6, delete lines 20 through 36

AND

Page 7, delete lines 1 through 3

AND

Page 7, line 4, delete "(16)" and substitute "(15)"

AND

Page 7, line 9, delete "(17)" and substitute "(16)"

AND

Page 7, line 11, delete "(18)" and substitute "(17)"

AND

Page 10, line 28, delete "forty-five (45) years." and substitute "thirty (30) years."

AND

Page 12, delete line 33 and substitute the following:

"encumbrances affecting title to the land that are filed of record.

No title insurance agent or any other person other than a licensed Arkansas attorney may provide legal advice concerning the status of title to the property described in the title commitment."

AND

Page 13, delete lines 19 through 21

AND

Delete SECTION 5 in its entirety and appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

The Amendment was read

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By: Representative Walters

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Chief Clerk

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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Whom It May Concern  
**FROM:** House Committee on the Journal; Engrossed and Enrolled Bills  
**DATE:** March 20, 2007  
**SUBJECT:** Amendment #1 to **HOUSE BILL NO. 2771**

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The House Committee on the Journal; Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, by this letter, approves the correction of an error in Amendment #1 to HB 2771. In the Amendment, page 1, the first section should read: "Page 1 delete lines 5 and 6 and substitute the following: "By: Representatives J. Roebuck, Cook, Webb, Stewart, D. Johnson, D. Evans, Powers, L. Smith, House, Hardwick, Blount, E. Brown, Cash, Cheatham, Edwards, Hardy, J. Johnson, Lamoureux, Pennartz, Rainey, Wagner, Woods, Gaskill, S. Prater" (Changed "line 5" to "lines 5 and 6" and added "E." in front of Brown and "S." in front of Prater.)

The Committee authorizes the Chief Clerk to carry out the intent of the amendment by correctly engrossing HB 2771.

/s/ Benny C. Petrus

/s/ J R Rogers

Speaker of the House

/s/ David Dunn, Chairman

/s/ George Overbey, Jr.

House Rules

/s/ Lenville Evans, Chairman

/s/ Tim Massanelli, Parliamentarian

House Management Committee

cc: Jo Renshaw, Chief Clerk

# Hall of the House of Representatives

86th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2007

## Amendment Form

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### Subtitle of House Bill No. 2771

"TO CREATE THE BEVERAGE CONTAINER LITTER REDUCTION FEE PROGRAM AND TO REDUCE LITTER, FACILITATE BEVERAGE CONTAINER RECYCLING, AND REQUIRE LABELING OF BEVERAGE CONTAINERS."

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### Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2771.

Amend House Bill No. 2771 as originally introduced:

Page 1 delete line(s) 5 (and 6) and substitute the following:

"By: Representatives J. Roebuck, Cook, Webb, Stewart, D. Johnson, D. Evans, Powers, L. Smith, House, Hardwick, Blount, (E.)Brown, Cash, Cheatham, Edwards, Hardy, J. Johnson, Lamoureux, Pennartz, Rainey, Wagner, Woods, Gaskill, (S.) Prater

By: Senators Madison, Trusty"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 9 through 11 and substitute the following:

"deposited into the Beverage Container Litter Reduction Grant Fund. 8-9-712. Violations.

(a)(1) Any dealer, distributor, or manufacturer who violates this act is subject to a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100) or more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) and is liable for the costs of prosecution.

(2) Each day a violation occurs, a separate offense is committed.

(b) A person shall not return or attempt to return to a redemption center a beverage container that the person knows or should know was not purchased in this state.

(c) A person who violates this subsection is subject to the following penalties:

(1) If the person returns twenty-five (25) or more but not more than one hundred (100) nonreturnable containers, the person is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars (\$100).

(2) If the person returns more than one hundred (100) nonreturnable containers or violates subdivision (a) for a second or subsequent time, the person is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than ninety (90) days or a fine of not more than

five hundred dollars (\$500), or both.

8-9-713. Rules and regulations."

The Amendment was read

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By: Representative J. Roebuck

MGF/CDS - 03-16-2007 15:51

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Chief Clerk

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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Whom It May Concern  
**FROM:** House Committee on the Journal; Engrossed and Enrolled Bills  
**DATE:** March 20, 2007  
**SUBJECT:** Amendment #1 to **HOUSE BILL NO. 2735**

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The House Committee on the Journal; Engrossed and Enrolled Bills, by this letter, approves the correction of an error in Amendment #1 to HB 2735. In the Amendment, page 2, lines two and three should read: ""(2) "Healthcare associated infection" means a localized or systemic "" (Deleted the word "condition" at the end of line three.)

The Committee authorizes the Chief Clerk to carry out the intent of the amendment by correctly engrossing HB 2735.

/s/ Benny C. Petrus  
Speaker of the House

/s/ J R Rogers

/s/ David Dunn, Chairman  
House Rules

/s/ George Overbey, Jr.

/s/ Lenville Evans, Chairman  
House Management Committee

/s/ Tim Massanelli, Parliamentarian

cc: Jo Renshaw, Chief Clerk

# Hall of the House of Representatives

86th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2007

## Amendment Form

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### Subtitle of House Bill No. 2735

"THE HOSPITAL INFECTION DISCLOSURE ACT OF 2007."

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### Amendment No. 1 to House Bill No. 2735.

Amend House Bill No. 2735 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Pennartz as a co-sponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete line 9 and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO CREATE THE HEALTH FACILITY INFECTION"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 13 and 14 and substitute the following:

"THE HEALTH FACILITY INFECTION DISCLOSURE ACT OF 2007"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 22 and 23 and substitute the following:

"This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Health Facility Infection Disclosure Act of 2007"."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 27 through 35 and substitute the following:

"(1)(A) "Health facility" means any of the following facilities:

(i) A hospital, outpatient surgery center, public

health center or recuperation center, as those facilities are defined in § 20-9-201; and

(ii) Any other facility determined to be a source of

healthcare associated infections and designated as such by the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services.

(B) "Health facility" does not include:

(i) A physician's office unless the office is

otherwise licensed as an outpatient surgery center; or"

AND

Page 2, delete line 2 and substitute the following:

"(2) "Healthcare associated infection" means a localized or systemic ~~condition~~" (Should not have been in amendment)

AND

Page 2, line 5 , delete "and"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 7 through 22 and substitute the following:

“time of admission to the health facility; and

(3) “Division” means the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services.”

20-9-1203. Health facility reports.

(a) A health facility shall collect data on healthcare associated infection rates for the following:

(1) Coronary artery bypass surgical site infections;

(2) Total hip or knee arthroplasty surgical site infections;

(3) Knee arthroscopy surgical site infections;

(4) Hernia repair surgical site infections;

(5) Central line-associated bloodstream infection in an intensive care unit; and

(6) Other categories as provided under § 20-9-1204(e).

(b)(1)(A) A health facility may voluntarily submit quarterly reports to the division on the facility’s healthcare associated infection rates.

(B)(i) If a health care facility elects to submit quarterly reports, the reports shall be submitted to the”

AND

Page 2, line 28, delete “(II)” and substitute “(ii)”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 32 through 36.

AND

Page 3, delete line 1 and substitute the following:

“(2) If the health facility is a division or subsidiary of another entity that owns or operates other health facilities, the”

AND

Page 3, line 5, delete “Hospital-Acquired” and substitute “Healthcare Associated”

AND

Page 3, line 6, delete “(1)”

AND

Page 3, delete lines 7 through 9 and substitute the following:

“Health and Human Services shall appoint an Advisory Committee on Healthcare Acquired Infections, including without limitation representatives of:

(1) Public and private hospitals, including representatives of

hospitals with fewer than fifty (50) beds and representatives of hospitals with more than fifty (50) beds;

(2) Outpatient surgery centers;"

AND

Page 3, line 10, delete "(B)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 3, line 11, delete "(C)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 12 through 21 and substitute the following:

"(5) Infection control professionals with expertise in healthcare associated infections;

(6) Academic researchers; and

(7) At least one (1) representative of a consumer organization."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 32 through 35 and substitute the following:

"existing methodologies and systems for data collection.

(2) Any data collection and analytical methodologies used shall be:

(A) Capable of being validated; and

(B) Based upon nationally recognized and recommended standards, that may include those developed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality or the National Quality Forum."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 and 2 and substitute the following:

"be disclosed for public comment before any public disclosure of healthcare associated infection rates in an annual report under § 20-9-1205."

AND

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

AND

Page 4, delete line 4 and substitute the following:

"presented to all health facilities in this state on or before September 1, 2008.

(B) The methodology may be amended based upon input from the health facilities."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 5 and 6 and substitute the following:

"(5)(A) The first voluntary quarterly report under § 20-9-

1203(b) shall be presented to the division on or before January 31, 2009.

(B) Health facilities may begin voluntarily reporting data on January 31, 2009 or at any time thereafter.”

AND

Page 4, line 8, delete “hospital” and substitute “health facility”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 11 through 13 and substitute the following:

“(e) After release of the second annual report published under § 20-9-1205, and upon consultation with the advisory committee and with other technical advisors who are recognized experts in the prevention, identification, and control of healthcare associated infections and the reporting of performance data, the division may add categories of infections to those set forth in § 20-9-1203(a).”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 15 through 21 and substitute the following:

“20-9-1205. Reports regarding healthcare associated infections.

(a)(1)(A) In consultation with the Advisory Committee on Healthcare Associated Infections, the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services shall submit annually a report summarizing the health facility quarterly reports required under this subchapter to the Chair of the House Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor and the Chair of the Senate Interim Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor.

(B) No health facility-identifiable data shall be included in the annual report, but aggregate statistical data may be included.”

AND

Page 4, delete lines 25 through 36 and substitute the following:

“or before January 1, 2010.

(b) The annual report prepared by the division under this subchapter regarding healthcare associated infections shall be appropriately riskadjusted.”

AND

Page 5, delete line 1

AND

Page 5, line 2, delete “(3)” and substitute “(c)(1)”

AND

Page 5, delete lines 4 and 5 and substitute the following:

“(2) A discussion of findings, conclusions, and trends concerning the overall status of healthcare associated infections in the state,”

AND

Page 5, line 7, delete "(B)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 9 through 20.

AND

Page 5, line 21, delete "(2)" and substitute "(d)"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 23 through 25, and substitute the following:

"(e) No health facility report or division disclosure shall contain information identifying a patient, employee, or healthcare professional in connection with a specific infection incident.

(f) No annual report or other division disclosure shall contain information that identifies or could be used to identify a specific health facility.

(g)(1) As part of the process of preparing the annual report, effective safeguards to protect against the dissemination of inconsistent, incomplete, invalid, inaccurate, or subjective health facility data shall be developed and implemented.

(2) These safeguards may include the exclusion of certain data or data from facilities with a low volume of patients or procedures if the use of the data would skew the results reported.

(h) The division shall develop, with the assistance of the advisory committee, a process of regular and confidential feedback for health facilities regarding the data collected so that each health facility's data will be available to that facility for its quality improvement efforts."

AND

Page 5, delete line 27 and substitute the following:

"20-9-1206. Privacy and confidentiality."

AND

Page 5, delete line 32 and substitute the following:

"subchapter.

(c) Except for the annual report that shall be a public document available to any person upon request, any data and materials collected or compiled by a health facility or obtained by the division under this subchapter:

(1) Shall be exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.; and

(2) Shall not be subject to discovery under the Arkansas Rules of Civil Procedure or admissible in any legal proceeding.

(d) Data collected and reported under this subchapter shall not be deemed to have established a standard of care for any purposes in a private civil litigation.”

AND

Page 5, delete lines 34 through 36.

AND

Page 6, delete lines 1 through 7 and substitute the following:

“20-9-1207. Rules.”

AND

Page 6, delete line 9 and substitute the following:

"subchapter.

20-9-1208 Funding.

This subchapter is contingent upon the appropriation and availability of funding necessary for the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services to implement its provisions, and any requirements that actions be accomplished by a specific date shall be extended until the necessary funding is available.”

The Amendment was read

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By: Representative J. Roebuck

MGF/CDS - 03-16-2007 15:46

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Chief Clerk

HOUSE BILL NO. 2813

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE THYER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE COMMISSION FOR ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS TO FINANCE PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES IN TOTAL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY MILLION DOLLARS (\$750,000,000), IN SERIES FROM TIME TO TIME IN PRINCIPAL AMOUNTS NOT TO EXCEED, WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, ONE HUNDRED FIFTY MILLION DOLLARS (\$150,000,000) IN ANY FISCAL BIENNIUM; AUTHORIZING THE GOVERNOR TO SUBMIT THE QUESTION OF ISSUANCE OF BONDS AT ANY GENERAL ELECTION OR A SPECIAL ELECTION CALLED FOR THAT PURPOSE ON OR BEFORE JUNE 30, 2011; PRESCRIBING OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 28

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BY: SENATORS MADISON, SALMON

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, BURRIS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED *AN ACT TO REGULATE STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION TEXTBOOK SALES; TO REQUIRE COURSE SUPPLEMENTS BE SOLD TO COMPETING BOOKSTORES AT COST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 29

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BY: SENATORS MADISON, CAPPES, SALMON

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, GREENBERG, BURRIS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF *HIGHER EDUCATION TO PERMIT LOCAL PRIVATE RETAILERS* ACCESS TO STUDENT SALES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 91

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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 MEDICAL BOARD FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 777

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BY: SENATORS MADISON, J. JEFFRESS, SALMON, WHITAKER, R. THOMPSON, *ARGUE*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ADCOCK, WEBB, SAUNDERS, WALTERS, BOND, L. SMITH, *D. JOHNSON, ROSENBAUM*

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING AGGRAVATED CRUELTY TO DOGS, CATS, AND HORSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

**SENATE BILL NO. 798**

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**BY: SENATOR HORN**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE REVISED *ARKANSAS ANATOMICAL GIFT ACT* TO PROVIDE A PROGRAM FOR POST-MORTEM DONATIONS OF ALL OR PART OF A HUMAN BODY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR.

**SENATE BILL NO. 819**

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**BY: SENATOR CRITCHER****BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOPER**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE *MEDICAID FAIRNESS ACT* TO CLARIFY CERTAIN PROVISIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR.

**SENATE BILL NO. 957**

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**BY: SENATOR MADISON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES WITH THE POWER TO OBTAIN INFORMATION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21

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BY: SENATOR MADISON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED REQUESTING THE DIVISION OF HEALTH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTINUATION OF THE UNWED BIRTH PREVENTION STEERING COMMITTEE AND THE STEERING COMMITTEE ON ABSTINENCE EDUCATION.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24

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BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED COMMENDING MR. CHARLES L. ROBINSON AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND THE DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Upon motion of Representative David Evans, the House adjourned at 3:22 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 21, 2007.

ATTEST:

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Benny C. Petrus  
Speaker of the House of Representatives

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Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk