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FIFTIETH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

SENATE CHAMBER

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 26, 2007

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

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

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

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Gene Jeffress.

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

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

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10

Amend Senate Bill No. 10 as engrossed, S2/22/07:

Add Senator Taylor as a cosponsor of the resolution

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10,
BY SENATOR FARIS, ET AL,

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

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 227, BY SENATOR WILKINS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS IV
CHAIRMAN

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 23, 2007

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on February 23, 2007, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-sixth General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution 002
Senate Concurrent Resolution 006

Senate Bill 055 - ACT 143
Senate Bill 187 - ACT 144

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 294 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 16 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 16 returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 268 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 268 returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Resolution No. 7 was called up for third reading.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BOOKOUT, GLOVER, BROADWAY & WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: REQUESTING A SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO REVIEW THE DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS AMONG INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION.

Senate Resolution No. 7 was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 was called up for third reading.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: COMMENDING MR. FRED JACKSON OF MALVERN, ARKANSAS UPON HIS RETIREMENT.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 was read third time and adopted.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 231 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 231

Amend Senate Bill No. 231 originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 14-15 and substitute the following:
"based on the difference between the average daily membership of the previous year and the average of the average daily membership for the two (2) previous years,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Amend Senate Bill No. 231 as engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, House Bill No. 1318 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1318

Amend House Bill No. 1318 as originally introduced:

Add Representative George as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Senator Laverty as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 4, line 3 add the following:

"SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that lawsuits concerning poultry litter have created a crisis in poultry litter distribution in Arkansas; that tax incentives for transportation of poultry litter will provide immediate relief to both Arkansas poultry producers and Arkansas poultry litter applicators; and that this act is immediately necessary because many poultry litter applications are made once a year and any delay in transportation will further exacerbate the already serious crisis. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1318 was ordered engrossed.

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

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1442

Amend House Bill No. 1442 as engrossed, H2/15/07:

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 3-5-227 is amended to read as follows:

3-5-227. Registration of beer kegs for off-premises consumption.

(a) As used in this section:

(1) "Beer" means any fermented liquor made from malt or any substitute therefor and having an alcoholic content not in excess of five percent (5%) by weight;

(2) "Keg" means a vessel which has a liquid capacity of ~~four~~ more than five gallons ~~(4 gals.)~~ (5 gals.) ~~or more~~;

(3) "Malt beverage" means any liquor brewed from the fermented juices of grain and having an alcoholic content of no less than five percent (5%) nor more than twenty-one percent (21%) by weight; and

(4) "Off-premises" means a place other than the licensed retailer's place of business.

(b) All retail dealers that sell a keg of beer or malt beverage for off-premises consumption are required to attach an identification label or tag approved by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division to the keg prior to the sale.

(c)(1) The identification label or tag approved by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division shall consist of paper within a clear protective coating made of plastic, metal, or another durable material that is not easily damaged or destroyed.

(2) The paper shall be of a kind to allow the required information to be ~~automatically produced in triplicate~~ copied and retained by the retail dealer.

(3) Identification labels used may contain a nonpermanent adhesive material in order to apply the label directly to an outside surface of a keg at the time of sale.

(4) Identification tags shall be attached to the kegs at the time of sale with nylon ties or cording, wire ties or other metal attachment devices, or another durable means of tying or attaching the tag to the keg.

(5) The identification label or tag shall be designed so that when affixed to a keg, the label or tag will not mar or otherwise physically damage the keg.

(6) The identification label or tag shall include:

(A) The name and address of the retail dealer;

(B) The name of the purchaser; and

(C) An individual identification number assigned by the retail dealer that uniquely identifies the keg.

(7) Each identification label or tag shall be perforated and of a composition that consistently allows for the full removal of the tag when common external keg cleaning procedures are performed at retail.

(d)(1) Prior to the retail sale of a keg of beer or malt beverage for off-premises consumption, the retail dealer shall require the purchaser to sign a statement promulgated by the Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division attesting under the penalty of perjury:

(A) To the accuracy of the purchaser's name as shown on the identification label or tag; and

(B)(i) That the purchaser is aware that giving, procuring, or otherwise furnishing any alcoholic beverage to any person under twenty-one (21) years of age is a misdemeanor as provided in §§ 3-3-201 and 3-3-202; and

(ii) That the purchaser will not allow any person under twenty-one (21) years of age to consume any of the beer or malt beverage in the keg.

(2) The retail dealer shall also record the following:

(A) The name and address of the purchaser;

(B) The identification card or driver's license number from the purchaser's acceptable documentation of age;

(C) The amount of the container deposit ~~and registration deposit~~ <u>of not less than seventy-five dollars ($75.00)</u>;

(D) The date and time of the purchase; and

(E) The keg identification number required under subsection (c) of this section.

(e)(1) All records and statements required under this section shall be maintained by the retail dealer for a period of ninety (90) days from the date of the return of the keg.

(2) The records and statements shall remain open to inspection by authorized agents of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Enforcement Division and law enforcement officers during the retail dealer's normal business hours.

~~(f)(1) When a keg of beer or malt beverage is purchased for off-premises consumption, the retail dealer shall collect a seventy-five dollar ($75.00) registration deposit on each keg of beer or malt beverage purchased.~~

~~(2) The registration deposit shall be collected in addition to the purchase price of the keg of beer or malt beverage, taxes, and any other deposit collected by the retail dealer.~~

~~(3) When the keg is returned within ninety (90) days of the date of purchase to the retail dealer with the identification label or tag intact, the retail dealer shall:~~

~~(A) Return the registration deposit to the purchaser; and~~

~~(B) Remove the identification label or tag from the keg.~~

~~(4) The registration deposit on each keg returned without the identification label or tag or with an identification label or tag so damaged that the information contained on the label or tag could not be verified shall be forfeited as follows:~~

~~(A) Twenty-five dollars ($25.00) shall be paid to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division; and~~

~~(B) Fifty dollars ($50.00) shall be retained by the retail dealer.~~

~~(5) Except as provided in subdivision (f)(6) of this section, the registration deposit on any keg not returned to the retail dealer within ninety (90) days of the date of purchase shall be forfeited as follows:~~

~~(A) Twenty-five dollars ($25.00) shall be paid to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division; and~~

~~(B) Fifty dollars ($50.00) shall be retained by the retail dealer.~~

~~(6)(A) If the purchaser has not finished consuming all of the beer or malt beverage in the keg, prior to the expiration of the ninety-day period in subsection (f) of this section, the purchaser may request a thirty-day extension for the return of the keg before the registration deposit shall be forfeited pursuant to subsection (f) of this section.~~

~~(B) In order to receive a thirty-day extension, the purchaser must sign a statement promulgated by the Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division attesting under the penalty of perjury that:~~

~~(i) The keg is still in the purchaser's possession;~~

~~(ii) The purchaser is aware of the restrictions provided in subsection (d) of this section; and~~

~~(iii) The purchaser shall forfeit the registration deposit pursuant to subsection (f) of this subsection if the keg is not returned with its identification label or tag within thirty (30) days.~~

~~(7) The Alcoholic Beverage Control Division shall remit its portion of the forfeited registration to the Treasurer of State for credit to the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account.~~

~~(g)(1)~~(f)(1) The retail dealer shall notify the Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Enforcement Division ~~and remit the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division's portion of the registration deposit~~ on forms promulgated by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division within ten (10) days of the forfeiture of a ~~registration~~ container deposit by a purchaser ~~under subsection (f) of this section~~.

(2) The notification form shall consist of:

(A) The name and address of the retail dealer;

(B) The name and address of the purchaser;

(C) The retail dealer's beer permit or license number;

(D) ~~The amount of the deposit being~~ A fee of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) remitted to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division; and

(E) A statement indicating the reason for forfeiture of the ~~registration~~ container deposit by the purchaser, including but not limited to the following reasons:

(i) The keg was not returned;

(ii) The keg was returned more than ~~ninety (90)~~ one hundred twenty (120) days after purchase;

(iii) The identification label or tag was removed; or

(iv) The identification label or tag was damaged.

(3) Any retail dealer that fails to notify the Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Enforcement Division within ten (10) days of the forfeiture of a ~~registration~~ container deposit by a purchaser is guilty of:

(A) A violation of this subchapter; and

(B) A Class B violation, as provided in § 3-4-402, against the retailer's permit.

~~(h)(1)~~(g)(1) No person other than the retail dealer, a licensed wholesaler, or an agent of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Enforcement Division may knowingly remove an identification label or tag placed on a keg.

(2) Any person other than the retail dealer, licensed wholesaler, or an agent of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Enforcement Division that is knowingly in possession of a keg without an identification label or tag or knowingly removes or damages an identification label or tag is guilty of a violation of this subchapter.

~~(i)(1)~~(h)(1) The Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division may promulgate rules and prescribe forms for the proper enforcement of this section, including an approved identification label or tag for use under this section.

(2) ~~Arkansas licensed beer wholesalers shall maintain and offer for sale to retail dealers any keg identification labels or tags required by this section at a price of the cost of manufacturing and maintaining the tags or labels~~ The Alcoholic Beverage Control Division shall seek the input of licensed brewers and licensed beer importers in developing the label or tag."

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1442 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1368 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4. Withdraw Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 4 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1368

Amend House Bill No. 1368 as engrossed S2/21/07:

Immediately following SECTION 2, add an additional section to the bill to read as follows:

"SECTION 3. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. On the effective date of this act, a current member of the State Board of Cosmetology who meets the requirements of this act shall continue to serve the remainder of his or her term. If a current member does not meet the requirements of this act, the member shall be replaced by appointment of the Governor within sixty (60) days."

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1368 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 239 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 239

As Engrossed: S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LUKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. JOHNSON, BOND, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RECOGNIZE, HONOR, AND PROTECT ARKANSAS CITIZENS WHO ARE SUMMONED TO SERVE AS JURORS IN ARKANSAS STATE COURTS; TO INCREASE THE RATE OF JUROR COMPENSATION; TO REIMBURSE COUNTIES FOR THE COSTS OF JURIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 239 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 239 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 242 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 242

As Engrossed: S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS LUKER AND R. THOMPSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. JOHNSON, BOND & E. BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING THE RETENTION AND CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN COURT RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 242 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 242 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 240 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 240
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS LUKER AND R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. JOHNSON, BOND, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF TIME THAT PETIT JURORS ARE REQUIRED TO SERVE; AND FOR OTHERS PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 240 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 240 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 243 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 243
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS LUKER, R. THOMPSON & WOMACK
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. JOHNSON, BOND, PATE & WOOD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH OATHS FOR COURT BAILIFFS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 243 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 243 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 241 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 241
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS LUKER AND R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. JOHNSON, BOND & ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT THE ENHANCED PROSPECTIVE JUROR LIST BE USED IN THE SELECTION OF ALL PROSPECTIVE JURORS IN ALL CIRCUIT COURT DIVISIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 241 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Argue, Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson.

Total 25

NEGATIVE: Altes, Bisbee, B. Johnson, B. Pritchard, Whitaker, Womack.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hill, Trusty, Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total 4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 241 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 299 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 299
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, HENDREN, LUKER, SALMON, STEELE & R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PICKETT, WILLIS, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND SECTIONS OF THE JOINT MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC POWER GENERATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 299 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 299 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 292 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 292

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION FOR SPECIAL MOTORCYCLE EVENTS TO ALLOW MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS TO DISPLAY AND SELL MOTORCYCLES AT SPECIAL EVENTS THAT HAVE A SIGNIFICANT POSITIVE ECONOMIC IMPACT ON AN AREA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 292 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 292 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 287 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 287
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE CALLING OF SPECIAL ELECTIONS FOR MAYOR OR DIRECTOR VACANCIES IN MUNICIPALITIES WITH A CITY ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 287 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 287 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
House of Representatives

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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February 26, 2007

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
Senate Fiscal Officer
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of Senate Bill 182.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

JLR/jb

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 182 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 182 was returned to the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Trusty, House Bill No. 1005 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1005

As Engrossed: H2/2/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WELLS, GEORGE, ET AL

BY: SENATORS WILKINSON AND TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE DIANA FRITILLARY BUTTERFLY AS THE OFFICIAL BUTTERFLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1005 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1005 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 277 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 277

As Engrossed: S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WOMACK

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO STANDARDIZE THE TIME PERIODS FOR FILING CLAIMS AGAINST AN ESTATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 277 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 277 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1310 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1310

As Engrossed: H1/31/07 S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE *AND ADCOCK*

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE GUIDELINES FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO USE IN DETERMINING THE PREDOMINANT AGGRESSOR IN CASES OF DOMESTIC ABUSE FOR THE PURPOSE OF ARREST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1310 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1310 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Womack the Senate recessed until five minutes after adjournment of JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE meeting.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 231, BY SENATOR LAVERTY, ET AL,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1318, BY REPRESENTATIVE SULLIVAN, ET AL,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, House Bill No. 1318 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1368, BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN,
BY SENATOR FARIS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1442, BY REPRESENTATIVE SUMPTER,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 24 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 279 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 280 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 281 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 282 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 184 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 184 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1289 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1289

As Engrossed: H2/14/07 S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE FIRST MONDAY IN MAY OF EACH YEAR "HEMOPHILIA AWARENESS DAY"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1289 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1289 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1364 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1364

As Engrossed: S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KEY, *ET AL*

BY: SENATORS HORN AND ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE §§ 20-10-209 TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR PROGRAMS TO ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF LIFE OF LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1364 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1364 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1363 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1363

As Engrossed: S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KEY, *ET AL*

BY: SENATORS HORN AND ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE §§ 20-10-1402 AND 20-10-1403 TO ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF CARE OF LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENTS BY CREATING STAFFING STANDARDS FOR THOSE NURSING FACILITIES DESIGNATED OR CERTIFIED AS EDEN ALTERNATIVE OR GREEN HOUSE PROJECT NURSING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1363 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1363 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1068 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1068

As Engrossed: H1/22/07 H2/2/07 H2/8/07 S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT ARCHEOLOGICAL SITES; TO INCREASE THE PENALTIES FOR DISTURBING ARCHEOLOGICAL SITES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1068 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: T. Smith.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1068 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1173 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1173

As Engrossed: H1/24/07 H1/26/07 S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ANDERSON, *ET AL*

BY: SENATORS BISBEE, BAKER, HENDREN, G. JEFFRESS, MILLER & SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT THAT SCHOOL DISTRICTS MUST REQUIRE SCHOOLS IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO PROVIDE TO PARENTS AN ANNUAL BODY MASS INDEX REPORT ON EACH STUDENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1173 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, Laverty, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 26

NEGATIVE: Altes, Trusty.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Argue, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Hill, B. Johnson, Luker.

Total 7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....28

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1173 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1359 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1359
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVERETT, OVERBEY, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADJUST THE LIMITATION ON COUNTY BIDDING REQUIREMENTS FOR STATE AID PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1359 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1359 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1370 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1370
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES S. PRATER AND WAGNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SELF-SERVICE DISPLAYS OF CIGARETTE PRODUCTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1370 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Whitaker.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1370 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1367 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1367

As Engrossed: H2/13/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND § 23-3-201 TO PROVIDE THAT A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY IS NOT REQUIRED FOR REPLACING OR EXPANDING AN EXISTING FACILITY OR TO INCREASE A FACILITY'S CAPACITY IF THE EXISTING RIGHT-OF-WAY IS NOT INCREASED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1367 was pulled down by Senator Smith.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1432 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1432
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE BANK MERGER TRANSACTIONS; TO REQUIRE THE PLAN OF MERGER TO PROVIDE THE TERMS OF THE MERGER AND THE DISPOSITION OF EACH BANK'S ASSETS AND LIABILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1432 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1432 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1473 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1473
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. HUTCHINSON, ET AL
BY: SENATORS MADISON AND TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO FURTHER DEFINE THE CRIMINAL ACT OF VOYEURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1473 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1473 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1420 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1420
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, ET AL
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX RATE ON NATURAL GAS AND ELECTRICITY USED OR CONSUMED IN MANUFACTURING IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1420 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1420, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1420 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Womack, House Bill No. 1061 was withdrawn from JOINT BUDGET and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1061

Amend House Bill No. 1061 as originally introduced:

Add a new section immediately following Section 1 to read as follows:

"SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. LIMITATIONS AND REPORTING. Disbursement of funds authorized by this act shall be subject to the following limitations:

(1) No part of these funds shall be used to coerce, influence, or provide incentive to local school districts to select or deselect a Medicaid provider;

(2) The Department of Education shall report annually to the House and Senate Public Health, Welfare and Labor Committees that the funds are not being used in a manner prohibited by this act and how they are being expended;

(3) If any part of this section requires the state plan for the Arkansas Medicaid Administrative Claiming Program to be renegotiated with the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services or would cause in any way the loss of federal funds, this section shall be declared void and be severed from this Act."

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHAWN A. WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1061 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 261 was withdrawn from JOINT BUDGET and was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2 and No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendments No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 261

Amend Senate Bill No. 261 as engrossed, S2/19/07:

Page 10, delete lines 11 through 19 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"authorized by this Act, one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) each fiscal year for the annual expenses of the Quiz Bowl, thirteen thousand five hundred dollars ($13,500) each fiscal year for ~~Odyssey of the Mind~~ Creativity in Arkansas, Inc. for grants up to $1,000 each for students and chaperones, thirteen thousand five hundred dollars ($13,500) each fiscal year for Destination Imagination, and five thousand dollars ($5,000) each fiscal year for the"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHAWN A. WOMACK

Senator Jimmy Jeffress spoke against the Amendment.

Senator Smith spoke in favor of the Amendment.

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 261

Amend Senate Bill No. 261 as engrossed, S2/19/07:

Page 14, delete section 25 in its entirety and substitute the following:

SECTION 25. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. BETTER CHANCE PROGRAM ADMINISTRATIVE FEES. The Department of Education is hereby authorized to expend a maximum of two percent (2%) of available funds for administration of the Better Chance Program. Up to 1.8% of available funds shall be used to administer the program and to monitor program grantees to ensure compliance with programmatic standards. Prior to the utilization of the remaining 0.2% of available funds, the Department of Education shall seek prior review and approval of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee by providing a written request to include the following: a) the Department's reason(s) for the use of the funds and b) the amount of funds that will be expended. The Department may contract with the Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education to administer the program. Determining the maximum number of employees and the maximum amount of appropriation and general revenue funding for a state agency each fiscal year is the prerogative of the General Assembly. This is usually accomplished by delineating such maximums in the appropriation act(s) for a state agency and the general revenue allocations authorized for each fund and fund account by amendment to the Revenue Stabilization law. Therefore, it is both necessary and appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight by requiring prior approval of the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee as provided by this section. The requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee is not a severable part of this section. If the requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, this entire section is void.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009.

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHAWN A WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 261 was ordered engrossed.

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 3
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS WILKINS, BROWN, CRUMBLY & STEELE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, T. BAKER, BLOUNT & ET AL

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF HENRY WILKINS III AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 441
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PETRUS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - STUTTGART - FOR THE GRAND PRAIRIE CENTER FOR ARTS AND HEALTH SCIENCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 441 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 442
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MALONE AND BISBEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER FUNDS TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY - LANDFILL POST-CLOSURE TRUST FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 442 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 443
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE LEAVE FOR STATE EMPLOYEES TO PARTICIPATE IN THEIR CHILDREN'S EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 443 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 444
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MALONE AND BISBEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A TRANSFER TO THE LANDFILL POST-CLOSURE TRUST FUND BY THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 444 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 445
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES FOR REIMBURSEMENT FOR AIR AMBULANCE TRANSPORT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 445 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 446
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT SERVICES FOR PREGNANT WOMEN AND WOMEN WITH CHILDREN FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH - OFFICE OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 446 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 447
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT STATE ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 447 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 448
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION TO PAY APPROVED CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 448 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 449
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 449 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 450
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION FOR DISTRICT LIVESTOCK FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 450 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 451
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS TO GRANT USE OF PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY VIDEO SERVICE COMPANIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 451 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 452
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE ASSESSMENT COMMISSION OF AD VALOREM TAXATION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 452 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 453
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY FOR THE ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS OFFICE FOR DEVELOPMENT OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHIC GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS (GIS) DATA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 453 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 454
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR FINANCING AN INDUSTRIAL ACCESS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 454 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 455
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS SALMON, HILL & LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT EDUCATION AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 455 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 456
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION FOR CHARTER SCHOOL FACILITIES CONSTRUCTION INCENTIVE AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 456 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 457
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES FOR INDIGENT HEALTH CARE REIMBURSEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 457 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 458
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION FOR CONSTRUCTING, RENOVATING AND EQUIPPING CHARTER SCHOOL FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 458 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 459
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES FOR MEDICAID GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 459 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 460
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE CITY OF ALTHEIMER, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 460 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 461
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR SUPPLEMENTING THE DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS TO CITIES AND COUNTIES THROUGHOUT ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 461 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 462

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT – FORESTRY COMMISSION FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 462 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 463

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR CRITICAL MAINTENANCE AND LIBRARY HOLDINGS/TECHNOLOGY/ EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 463 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 464
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE, AND REPAIR PROJECTS DEPARTMENT WIDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 464 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 465
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY FOR EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION AND IMPROVEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 465 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 466

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 466 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 467

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION FOR THE INTEGRATED TAX SYSTEM CAPITAL PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 467 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 468
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 468 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 469
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 469 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 470

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 470 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 471

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - MOSAIC TEMPLARS OF AMERICA CENTER FOR AFRICAN-AMERICAN CULTURE AND BUSINESS ENTERPRISE FOR MOSAIC TEMPLARS CULTURAL CENTER EXHIBITS AND AUDITORIUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 471 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 472
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 472 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 473
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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

Senate Bill No. 473 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 474

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR VARIOUS PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 474 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 475

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING FOR MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, REPAIR, EQUIPMENT, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION AND IMPROVEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 475 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 476
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS FOR THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 476 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 477
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 477 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 478
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 478 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 479
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GRANTS TO COUNTIES, MUNICIPALITIES OR SUBDIVISIONS THEREOF FOR WATER, WASTE WATER, DRAINAGE, FLOOD CONTROL AND IRRIGATION PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 479 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 480
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR COUNTY REIMBURSEMENT FOR JURORS FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 480 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 481
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT IN SUPPORT OF LOCAL AND REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 481 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 482

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES, REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS AND GRANTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE ARKANSAS DELTA TRAINING AND EDUCATION CONSORTIUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 482 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 483

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LUKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR A GRANT FOR THE TECHNOLOGY CENTER OF THE DELTA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 483 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 484
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR GRANTS TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 484 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 485
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 485 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 486

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR RURAL SERVICES BLOCK GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 486 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 487

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - PLANT BOARD FOR BOLL WEEVIL ERADICATION PROMOTION AND EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 487 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 488
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR ARCHEOLOGY SURVEY STATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 488 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 489
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR A GRANT FOR THE OSCEOLA TOLL PARKWAY STUDY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 489 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 490

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE INNOVATE ARKANSAS PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 490 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 491

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE STEM FUND FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 491 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 492
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE TASKFORCE FOR THE 21ST CENTURY ECONOMY FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 492 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 493
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT PROJECT FUNDING FOR THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 493 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 494
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR HEBER SPRINGS CAMPUS FACILITES AND PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 494 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 495
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR THE ASU - HEBER SPRINGS CAMPUS LATIMORE BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 495 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 496
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHEATHAM, MAXWELL, MOORE & ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR THE OUACHITA RIVER VALLEY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 496 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 497
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHEATHAM, MAXWELL, MOORE & ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS TO RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 497 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 498

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, REEP, RAINEY & ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR PLANNING, CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPPING AND FURNISHING A FOREST RESOURCES COMPLEX AND RELATED INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 498 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 499

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY CENTER FOR EXCELLENCE IN DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 499 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 500

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHEATHAM, MAXWELL, MOORE & ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 500 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 501

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY FOR THE ROAD CENTERLINE FILE AND PHYSICAL ADDRESSING PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 501 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 502

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, ACQUISITION, UPGRADE, REPAIR AND OPERATIONS PROJECTS AT THE SALINE COUNTY CAREER CENTER AT BAUXITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 502 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 503

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR REPAIRS, DRAINING AND VARIOUS RENOVATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 503 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 504
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR CONSTRUCTION AND ASSOCIATED EXPENSES FOR FARMERS MARKETS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 504 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 505
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 505 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 506

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING AND ASSOCIATED COSTS FOR THE NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 506 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 507

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 507 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 508
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE ARKANSAS SPORTS HALL OF FAME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 508 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 509
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO SENIOR CITIZENS CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 509 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 510
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR RURAL FIRE PROTECTION GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 510 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 511
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HILL AND MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE WAR MEMORIAL STADIUM COMMISSION FOR STADIUM RENOVATION, CONSTRUCTION AND REMODELING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 511 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 512
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR GRANTS FOR LAND, FACILITIES AND MAINTENANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 512 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 513
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES COMMUNITY PROVIDER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 513 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 514
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR GRANTS TO SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 514 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 515
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE WAR MEMORIAL STADIUM COMMISSION FOR ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 515 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 516
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR GRANTS TO RECREATIONAL PARKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 516 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 517
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR GRANTS TO MUSEUMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 517 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 518
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS AND RSVP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 518 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 519
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE TO FIRE DEPARTMENTS, FAIR ASSOCIATIONS, COMMUNITY CENTERS, CITIES AND COUNTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 519 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 520
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR OPERATING EXPENSE GRANTS FOR JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 520 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 521
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR ASSISTANCE TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 521 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 522

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR PROGRAMMATIC SUPPORT OF COMMUNITY CENTERS THAT PROVIDE OUTREACH, EDUCATION AND RESIDENTIAL ASSISTANCE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 522 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 523

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR GRANTS AND AID TO LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 523 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 524
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE DOLLARWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 524 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 525
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE CITY OF GOULD, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 525 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 526
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO CITIES IN PHILLIPS COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 526 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 527
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY CENTER FOR EXCELLENCE IN DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 527 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 528
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR RENOVATIONS OF THE PRINCE HALL MASONIC TEMPLE HISTORIC SITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 528 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 529
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE CITY OF WABBASEKA, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 529 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 530

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR GRANTS FOR LOCAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 530 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 531

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR YOUTH OUTREACH PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 531 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 532
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR SEMINAR EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 532 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 533
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR AFTER SCHOOL LITERACY AND NUTRITION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 533 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 534
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 534 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 535
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD FOR AFTER SCHOOL LITERACY AND NUTRITION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 535 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 536
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS TRANSITIONAL EMPLOYMENT BOARD FOR AFTER SCHOOL LITERACY AND NUTRITION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 536 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 537
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 537 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 538
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LAMOUREUX, BERRY & OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AERONAUTICS FOR LOCAL GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 538 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 539
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LAMOUREUX, BERRY, GEORGE & OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AERONAUTICS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF AN ADDITION TO THE TERMINAL BUILDING AND THE EXISTING BUILDING REFURBISHMENT/REMODEL OF THE RUSSELLVILLE REGIONAL AIRPORT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 539 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 540

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR LOCAL GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 540 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 541

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR RVAC DUAL DIAGNOSTIC TREATMENT CENTER CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE, AND OTHER RELATED OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 541 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 542
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR LOCAL GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 542 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 543
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 543 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 544
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR THE RIVER VALLEY REGIONAL INTERMODAL FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 544 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 545
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LAMOUREUX, BERRY & OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR LOCAL GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 545 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 546
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE RIVER VALLEY REGIONAL INTERMODAL FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 546 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 547
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR HOSPICE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE, AND OTHER RELATED OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 547 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 548
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR LOCAL GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 548 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 549
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR LOCAL GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 549 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 550

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR THE PURCHASE OF EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 550 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 551

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE, AND OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 551 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 552
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR A TARP GRANT PROGRAM FOR COUNTY OWNED TRUCKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 552 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 553
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR INPATIENT PSYCHIATRIC CARE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 553 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 554
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION GRANTS FOR ACCESS ROADS FOR THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS REGIONAL AIRPORT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 554 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 555
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR A REGIONAL WASTE WATER GRANT TO THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS CONSERVATION AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 555 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 556
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PENALTY CLASSIFICATION FOR BATTERY IN THE FIRST DEGREE IF THE VICTIM IS A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER ACTING IN THE LINE OF DUTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 556 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 557
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR SOUTH ARKANSAS YOUTH ASSOCIATION - MENTORING, ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE RECOVERY AND PREVENTION CENTER IN UNION COUNTY, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 557 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 558

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO TRACS IN UNION COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 558 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1342

As Engrossed: H2/2/07 H2/21/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SULLIVAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO STUDY RAISING THE SPEED LIMITS ON THE ARKANSAS PRIMARY HIGHWAY NETWORK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1342 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR THE HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR TRAINING ACADEMY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1343 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1505
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEFFREY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT IMPROPERLY INFLUENCING AN APPRAISER; TO INCREASE PENALTIES UNDER THE ARKANSAS APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1505 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1513
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE DATA FOR HOSPITAL PRICE TRANSPARENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1513 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1527
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEFFREY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REAL ESTATE LICENSE LAW TO CONFORM TO EXISTING REAL ESTATE PRACTICES; TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE REAL ESTATE LICENSE LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1527 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1564
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, ADCOCK, T. BAKER & ET AL
BY: SENATORS SALMON, ALTES, BAKER, BROADWAY, J. JEFFRESS, MADISON, T. SMITH, TRUSTY & WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A CRIMINAL OFFENSE PROHIBITING SEX OFFENDERS FROM LIVING NEAR VICTIMS OR CONTACTING VICTIMS; TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION ACT OF 1997; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1564 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1576
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 27-14-601 TO PROVIDE THAT MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS WHO SELL ONLY ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES SHALL NOT BE ENTITLED TO ISSUANCE OF A DEALER LICENSE PLATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1576 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1619

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PENALTY CLASSIFICATION FOR THE OFFENSE OF DESTRUCTION OR REMOVAL OF A CEMETERY MARKER OR GRAVE MARKER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1619 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1620

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PENALTY CLASSIFICATION FOR DEFACING OBJECTS OF PUBLIC RESPECT UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1620 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1625
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR LEGAL COUNSEL FOR THE ARKANSAS COURT OF APPEALS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 99 OF 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1625 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1683
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: HOUSE MANAGEMENT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - STAFF FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1683 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 559

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 559 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 560

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR THE CITY OF RISON FOR THE INDUSTRIAL PARK PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 560 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 561
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR CLEVELAND COUNTY RURAL WATER ASSOCIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 561 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 562
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BISBEE AND HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY AND ANDERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-17-117 CONCERNING NONINSTRUCTIONAL DUTY PAY FOR TEACHERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 562 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 563
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BISBEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR COUNTY OFFICES AUTOMATED RECORDS SYSTEM FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 563 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 564
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR CLINTON SCHOOL OF PUBLIC SERVICE OPERATIONS AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 564 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 565
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS STEELE AND SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING THE AVIATION MAINTENANCE TECHNOLOGY CENTER EXPANSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 565 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 566
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 566 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 567

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE CONFIDENCE MUSIC GROUP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 567 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 568

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PINE BLUFF WEED AND FEED PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 568 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 569
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RENAME THE YOUTH SERVICES CENTER LOCATED AT ALEXANDER AS THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 569 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 570
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND ELIGIBLITY FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM TO PART-TIME PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 570 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 571

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR THE GRAND PRAIRIE / WHITE RIVER IRRIGATION PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 571 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 572

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE WINTHROP PAUL ROCKEFELLER ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HALL OF HONOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 572 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 573
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR LOCAL GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 573 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 574
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR LOCAL GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 574 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 575
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BOOKOUT AND B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR CANCER RESEARCH CENTER CONSTRUCTION AND ENDOWMENT MATCHING FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 575 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 576
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR ENHANCED COMMUNITY SERVICES GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 576 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 577
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BOOKOUT, BRYLES & MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR THE NORTHEAST ARKANSAS FIRE TRAINING SATELLITE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 577 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 578
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 578 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 579

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ARGUE AND MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE PSYCHIATRIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 579 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 580

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT MID-AMERICA SCIENCE MUSEUM FROM SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 580 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 581
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 581 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 582
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 582 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 583

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR FIRE DEPARTMENTS AND COUNTY FAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 583 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 584

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 584 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 585
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES
BY: REPRESENATIVE GLIDEWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH - FOR EQUIPPING, INSTALLATION AND EQUIPMENT COSTS FOR THE HARBOR HOUSE ALCOHOL DRUG AND TREATMENT FACILITY IN FORT SMITH, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 585 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 586
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, SAMPLE & SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENT OF BEING LOCATED IN A HIGH UNEMPLOYMENT COUNTY IN ORDER TO QUALIFY AS AN ELIGIBLE COMPANY FOR THE “ARKANSAS TOURISM DEVELOPMENT ACT” WHEN THE INVESTMENT IS LESS THAN ONE MILLION DOLLARS ($1,000,000); TO ADJUST THE AMOUNT OF TAX CREDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 586 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 587
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, ACQUISITION, PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE, AND OTHER OPERATING EXPENSES TO REPLACE THE ALEXANDER JUVENILE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 587 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 588
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING THE AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS RACING COMMISSION TO ENABLE THE COMMISSION TO SET LICENSE FEES AND CONDUCT CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS ON LICENSE APPLICANTS AND EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 588 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 589
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF HEALTH FOR ABSTINENCE AND PLANNED PARENTHOOD ACTIVITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 589 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 590
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MADISON, HENDREN & BISBEE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH AND EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR INPATIENT PSYCHIATRIC SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 590 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 591
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FAYETTEVILLE - COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT FOR ADDITIONAL FUNDS TO SUPPORT THE DEBATE TEAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 591 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 592
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS WINE LICENSING LAWS TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL CONSTITUTIONAL REQUIREMENTS UNDER THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT DECISION IN GRANHOLM V. HEALD, 544 U.S. 460 (2005); TO AUTHORIZE BOTH IN-STATE AND OUT-OF-STATE WINERIES TO SHIP WINE TO ARKANSAS CONSUMERS ON EVEN-HANDED TERMS; TO CREATE A DIRECT WINE SHIPPER'S PERMIT; TO RESTRICT SALES OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES TO UNDERAGE INDIVIDUALS; TO COLLECT ALL STATE EXCISE AND SALES TAX DUE ON THE OUT-OF-STATE WINERIES; AND TO ENSURE A CLEAR AND ENFORCEABLE DISTRIBUTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 592 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 593
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A VINOUS BEVERAGE WHOLESALE PERMIT; TO ENSURE A CLEAR AND ENFORCEABLE DISTRIBUTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 593 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 594
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR GRANTS FOR TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS FOR CITIES AND COUNTIES AND FOR COUNTY AND CITY ROADS, BRIDGES, RAIL AND PORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 594 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 595
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION FOR ENHANCEMENT GRANTS FOR COUNTY FAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 595 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 596
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR GRANTS FOR INFRASTRUCTURE, CONSTRUCTION, AND IMPROVEMENTS FOR WATER, SEWER, INDUSTRIAL SITE DEVELOPMENT, AND RELATED EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 596 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 597
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR GRANTS FOR TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS FOR CITIES AND COUNTIES AND FOR COUNTY AND CITY ROADS, BRIDGES, RAIL AND PORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 597 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 598
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR GRANTS FOR RENOVATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO COMMUNITY BUILDINGS AND COMMUNITY CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 598 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 599
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION FOR ENHANCEMENT GRANTS FOR COUNTY FAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 599 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 600
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A LICENSED SURVEYOR TO FILE A PLAT AFTER RECEIVING PAYMENT FOR THE SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 600 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 601
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR GRANTS PROVIDING PORT INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS, CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 601 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 602
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION OF PRE-KINDERGARTEN FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 602 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 603

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR STATE ASSISTANCE FOR THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ARKANSAS HISTORY AND CULTURE PROJECT TO THE CENTRAL ARKANSAS LIBRARY SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 603 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 604

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR THE CENTRAL ARKANSAS LIBRARY SYSTEM FOR EXPANSION OF STATEWIDE ACCESS TO THE INNREACH PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 604 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 605
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR OPERATING EXPENSES, TECHNOLOGY INFRASTRUCTURE, MAINTENANCE, IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 605 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 606
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS AND HILL
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ROSENBAUM AND BOND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR PURCHASE OF ROBOTIC EQUIPMENT FOR PROSTATE AND OTHER SURGERY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 606 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 607

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 607 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 608

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE PARTNERS IN HEALTH SCIENCES PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 608 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 609
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: STATE EFFICIENCY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE - STAFF FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 609 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 610
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR A PILOT PROGRAM FOR DISTRICT COURT JUDGES FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 610 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 611

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WOMACK

BY: REPRESENTATIVE THYER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR DISTRIBUTION OF PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FUND REVENUES TO COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 611 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 612

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR STATE GRANTS AND AID TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 612 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 613
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR STATE GRANTS AND AID FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 613 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 614
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 614 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 615
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AERONAUTICS FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 615 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 616
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 616 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 617
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 617 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 618
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 618 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 619
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 619 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 620
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 620 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 621
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 621 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 622
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 622 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 623
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 623 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 624
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATION FEE TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR LEGAL AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 624 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 625

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOPER AND DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OZARKA COLLEGE TO PURCHASE EQUIPMENT FOR A NEW NURSES TRAINING CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 625 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 626

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOK AND EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OZARKA COLLEGE TO EQUIP A NEW BUILDING FOR THE NURSING PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 626 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 627

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES DAVENPORT, COOPER & EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OZARKA COLLEGE FOR RENOVATION OF THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING ON THE MELBOURNE CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 627 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 628

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS MILLER AND R. THOMPSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOK, ROGERS & PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR EQUIPPING AND RENOVATING THE TRAINING BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 628 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 629
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOPER, EVERETT, DAVENPORT & COOK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OZARKA COLLEGE FOR MATCHING FUNDS FOR MAJOR IMPROVEMENTS TO COLLEGE STREET FOR SAFTEY PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 629 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 630
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATIONS OF A SIXTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT DRUG COURT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 630 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 631
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ENVIRONMENTAL AND SPATIAL TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM TRAINING, IMPLEMENTATION, AND EXPANSION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 631 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 632
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE FAIR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 632 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 633
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS TO RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS ACROSS THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 633 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 634
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROWN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS CEMETERY BOARD FOR CEMETERY MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 634 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 635
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROWN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ALCOHOL AND DRUG SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT FOR WOMEN FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH - OFFICE OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 635 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 636
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROWN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR CEMETERY MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS COSTS FOR THE ARKANSAS CEMETERY BOARD FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 636 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 637
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PERMIT A CITY OR COUNTY AND THE STATE OF ARKANSAS TO CREATE A PARTNERSHIP TO MANAGE, OPERATE, MAINTAIN, AND PRESERVE INSOLVENT LICENSED PERPETUAL CARE CEMETERIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 637 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 638
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR CARELINK MEALS-ON-WHEELS GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 638 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 639
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROWN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR CEMETERY MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS COSTS FOR THE ARKANSAS CEMETERY BOARD FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 639 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 640
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROWN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ROSENBAUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING THE KANIS SITE LEARNING ASSISTANCE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 640 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 641
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROWN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ROSENBAUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING THE TRANSPORTATION TECHNOLOGY CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 641 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 642
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR A WEEK-END FROZEN HOME DELIVERED MEAL PILOT PROGRAM FOR THE EAST ARKANSAS AREA AGENCY ON AGING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 642 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 643
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 643 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 644
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR GRANTS FOR RECREATION AND TOURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 644 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 645
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE CROWLEY'S RIDGE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 645 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 646
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR GRANTS FOR COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE FOR LEARNING CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 646 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 647

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF HEALTH FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 647 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 648

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 648 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 649
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR GENERAL OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE AS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 649 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 650
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 650 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 651
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY FOR FACILITY AND PROGRAM IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 651 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 652
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BISBEE AND HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY AND ANDERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-17-104 CONCERNING TEACHER RECORDS AND REPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 652 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 653
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BISBEE AND HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY AND ANDERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-17-114 CONCERNING TEACHER PLANNING PERIODS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 653 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 654
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BISBEE AND HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY AND ANDERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING PERSONNEL POLICY COMMITTEES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 654 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 655

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BISBEE AND HENDREN

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY AND ANDERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-17-208 CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 655 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 656

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BISBEE AND HENDREN

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY AND ANDERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-17-2205 CONCERNING REQUIRED BREAKS FOR CLASSIFIED PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 656 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 657
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BISBEE AND HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY AND ANDERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT THAT TEACHER CONTRACTS AND LICENSES BE FILED WITH THE COUNTY CLERK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 657 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 658
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BISBEE AND HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY AND ANDERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-17-802 CONCERNING TWELVE-MONTH CONTRACTS FOR AGRICULTURE TEACHERS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 658 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 659

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BISBEE AND HENDREN

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY AND ANDERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-17-101 CONCERNING HEALTH CERTIFICATES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 659 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 660

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING UNIFORM HOUSING ALLOWANCES FOR INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 660 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 661
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHEATHAM, MAXWELL, MOORE & ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR INTERMODAL FACILITIES AND INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 661 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 662
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHEATHAM, MAXWELL, MOORE & ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR GRANTS TO CITY PARKS AND MUSEUMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 662 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 663

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR GRANTS TO SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 663 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 664

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHEATHAM, MAXWELL, MOORE & ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR SUPPORT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 664 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 665
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED COMMUNITY PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 665 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 666
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF HEALTH FOR REGIONAL CANCER TREATMENT CENTERS GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 666 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 667
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 667 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 668
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - OFFICE OF LONG TERM CARE FOR A GRANT FOR COUNTY OWNED NURSING HOMES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 668 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 669
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR INPATIENT ACUTE CARE PSYCHIATRIC FACILITIES GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 669 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 670
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR GRANTS FOR LIBRARIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 670 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 671

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 671 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 672

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 672 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 673
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES FOR A GRANT TO HOSPICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 673 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 674
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 674 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 675

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 675 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 676

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 676 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 677
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION FOR GRANTS TO VARIOUS BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 677 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 678
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 678 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 679

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS FOR STATE SUPPORT FOR A GRANT TO THE ARKANSAS ENERGY NETWORK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 679 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 680

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE APPLICATION TO TAKE THE OPTOMETRIST EXAMINATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 680 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 681
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR GRANTS FOR INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS IN CAMDEN, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 681 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 682
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR GRANTS SERVING AT-RISK YOUTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 682 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 683
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HORN, T. SMITH, FARIS, MALONE & HILL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER TO ASSESS RURAL RISK UNDERWRITERS A FEE FOR THE EXPENSE OF MAILING FIRE DEPARTMENT RENEWAL SUBSCRIPTION NOTICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 683 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 684
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR GRANTS FOR EMERGENCY SERVICES PROVIDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 684 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 685
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION FOR THE PURCHASE OF ADDITIONAL LAND FOR SCATTER CREEK WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 685 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 686
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DISCLOSURE OF DRIVER'S RECORD INFORMATION FOR RESEARCH PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 686 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 687

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AERONAUTICS FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 687 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 688

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 688 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 689
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 689 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 690
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE FOR GRANTS AND AID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 690 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 691

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 691 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 692

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR ARKANSAS ENTERTAINERS HALL OF FAME ACQUISITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 692 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 693
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MALONE AND MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS TO CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTERS AND OTHER EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 693 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 694
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR GRANTS FOR COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 694 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 695
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - FORESTRY COMMISSION FOR POISON SPRINGS STATE FOREST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 695 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 696
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION FOR GRANTS FOR JOHNE'S DISEASE FREE HERD CERTIFICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 696 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 697
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 697 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 698
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR A GRANT TO THE CLARK COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 698 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 699

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR GRANTS TO CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTERS AND OTHER EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 699 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 700

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES OF CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 700 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 701
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COUNTY AND COMMUNITY SERVICES GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 701 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 702
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROJECTS AS AUTHORIZED BY ACT 1282 OF 2005, THE ARKANSAS HIGHER EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY AND FACILITY IMPROVEMENT ACT, FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 702 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 14
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO SHOW THAT THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY ENDORSES A VISION FOR THE FUTURE OF ELEMENTARY SCIENCE EDUCATION IN ARKANSAS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 14 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 703
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FOR TRUCKING, TRANSPORTATION AND LOGISTICS FIELDS TUITION FORGIVENESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 703 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 704
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REQUIRING USE OF RESPECTFUL LANGUAGE IN THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 704 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 705
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR STATE GRANTS AND AID TO RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS AND COUNTY SHERIFF DEPARTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 705 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 706

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR GRANTS AND AID FOR DRUG TASK FORCE OPERATIONS AND RELATED PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 706 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 707

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE CENTERS, PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITALS, AND COMMUNITY PROVIDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 707 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 708
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 708 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 709
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ARGUE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING THE KANIS SITE LEARNING ASSISTANCE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 709 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 710

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE SAFE PASSENGER TRANSPORTATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 710 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 711

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR GRANTS FOR SCHOLARSHIPS TO HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 711 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 712
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR OPERATIONAL EXPENSES OF THE CLINTON SCHOOL OF PUBLIC SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 712 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 713
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE ACADEMIC SUPPORT CENTERS TO IMPROVE STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT IN CONSOLIDATED AND ANNEXED SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 713 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAGLAND AND NORTON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE SEVENTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS; URGING RENEWED VIGILANCE IN THE PROTECTION OF PRIVATE PROPERTY RIGHTS; AND URGING FEDERAL AND STATE AGENCIES TO RESPECT THE VALUE AND AUTHORITY OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1319
As Engrossed: H1/30/07
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. EVANS AND GEORGE
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER AQUACULTURE BUSINESS ENTERPRISES FROM THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1319 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1444

As Engrossed: H2/21/07 H2/23/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, E. BROWN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MINIMIZE THE SPREAD *OF THE COMMUNICABLE DISEASE OF HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) CARRIED BY INMATES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; TO REQUIRE TESTING OR SCREENING OF INMATES UNDER CERTAIN* CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1444 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1469

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWARD AND J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE ALLOWANCE FOR A RESTRICTED COMMERCIAL DRIVER LICENSE FOR SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS IN ORDER TO CONFORM THE ARKANSAS REQUIREMENTS FOR ISSUANCE OF COMMERICAL DRIVER LICENSES TO FEDERAL STANDARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1469 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1578

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DISPLAY OF A COPY OF A LICENSE TO CONDUCT A GOING-OUT-OF-BUSINESS SALE; TO REQUIRE THE LICENSE TO PROMINENTLY DISPLAY THE BEGINNING DATE AND THE ENDING DATE OF THE SALE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1578 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1632

As Engrossed: H2/21/07 H2/23/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY, ABERNATHY, ET AL

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, CRITCHER, BAKER, BOOKOUT, B. JOHNSON, WILKINS, WOMACK, ARGUE & BISBEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT IN CONCORDANCE WITH THE 2006 ACT 57 ADEQUACY STUDY; TO AMEND THE PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING ACT OF* 2003 TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF PER STUDENT FOUNDATION FUNDING AND CATEGORICAL FUNDING; TO ENSURE THAT EVERY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT IN THE STATE RECEIVES THE FULL AMOUNT OF FOUNDATION FUNDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1632 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1633

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY, ABERNATHY, ET AL

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, CRITCHER, BAKER, BOOKOUT, B. JOHNSON, WILKINS, WOMACK, ARGUE & BISBEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ENHANCED EDUCATIONAL FUNDING BY SUPPLEMENTING THE AMOUNT OF PER STUDENT FOUNDATION FUNDING DISTRIBUTED TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS FOR THE 2007-2008 AND 2008-2009 SCHOOL YEARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1633 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE "ARKANSAS WETLANDS MITIGATION BANK ACT" TO INCLUDE AQUATIC RESOURCES, STREAMS, AND DEEP WATER AQUATIC HABITATS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1671 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 714

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PUBLIC LEGAL AID GRANTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 714 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 715

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 715 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 716
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 716 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 717
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE, AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 717 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 718

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINGON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR LOCAL GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 718 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 719

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A VEGETABLE VALUE-ADDED FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 719 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 720

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR UNANTICIPATED TRANSPORTATION COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 720 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 721

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR STATEWIDE GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE FOR LIBRARY IMPROVEMENTS AND EDUCATIONAL COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 721 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 261, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 261 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1061, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

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

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Womack, House Bill No. 1061 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 10, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 188, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 225, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 294, BY SENATORS PRICHARD, ALTES, MADISON,
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, ET AL

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 4:15 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY"HANK"WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 10, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 188, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 225, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 294, BY SENATORS PRICHARD,ALTES,
MADISON,
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7,
BY SENATORS J. JEFFRESS,
G. JEFFRESS, ET AL,

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 26th day of February 2007, at 4:15 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Angela Tollette
Secretary

SENATE BILL NO. 722

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STONE COUNTY PARK SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 722 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 723

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE SUPPORT TO RANDOLPH COUNTY FOR COURTHOUSE RENOVATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 723 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 724
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR AMERICAN VETERANS' MEMORIAL COMMITTEE AT ASH FLAT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 724 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 725
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR FULTON COUNTY JAIL RENOVATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 725 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 726

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR SHARP COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 726 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 727

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE SUPPORT TO IZARD COUNTY FOR 911 IMPLEMENTATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 727 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 728

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE SUPPORT TO HORSESHOE BEND MUNICIPAL BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 728 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 729

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE SUPPORT TO CALICO ROCK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 729 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 730

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT – LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION FOR STATEWIDE GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE FOR COUNTY AND STATE FAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 730 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 731

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR STATEWIDE COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 731 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 732
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR STATEWIDE WATER AND SEWER IMPROVEMENT GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 732 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 733
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR STATEWIDE GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 733 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 734

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR STATEWIDE GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE TO SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 734 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 735

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM - ARKANSAS HISTORY COMMISSION FOR SUPPORT TO THE BLACK HISTORY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 735 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 736
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION FOR SUPPORT TO THE NORTH LITTLE ROCK BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 736 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 737
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - MOSAIC TEMPLARS OF AMERICA CENTER FOR AFRICAN-AMERICAN CULTURE AND BUSINESS ENTERPRISE FOR CONSTRUCTION, OPERATING EXPENSES, EQUIPPING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 737 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 738

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS FOR ASSISTANCE TO VARIOUS COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 738 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 739

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR EQUIPMENT AND IMPROVEMENTS TO BURNS PARK AND COLLEGE STATION PARK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 739 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 740
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR PINE BLUFF CONVENTION CENTER GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 740 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 741
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO DISTRICT 19 FOR STATE HIGHWAYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 741 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 742
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SCHULTE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE MILITARY DEPARTMENT FOR THE PURCHASE OF LAND FOR A NEW NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY IN CABOT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 742 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 743
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GASKILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FOR PARAGOULD NURSING CENTER RENOVATING, EQUIPPING AND ASSOCIATED COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 743 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 744
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MALONE, HILL & BISBEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER FUNDS TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY - LANDFILL POST-CLOSURE TRUST FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 744 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 745
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 745 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 746

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WOMACK

BY: REPRESENTATIVE KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FOR STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 746 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 747

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR AN ARTS CENTER OF THE GRAND PRAIRIE GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 747 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 748
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR ARKANSAS FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS MEMORIAL PHASE II; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 748 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 749
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR A GRANT TO THE WINGS OVER THE GRAND PRAIRIE FESTIVAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 749 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 750

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS MALONE, BROADWAY, WILKINSON, BAKER, BOOKOUT & J. JEFFRESS

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EXPANSION, AND OTHER RELATED GRANTS TO THE HUMAN DEVELOPMENT CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 750 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 751

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK - SCHOOL OF LAW FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 751 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 752
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR JUVENILE DRUG COURT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 752 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 753
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR INCENTIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 753 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 754

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 754 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 755

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR RESTORATION OF THE HISTORIC BUILDINGS AT "OLD MAIN" AT ARKANSAS BAPTIST COLLEGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 755 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 756
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR FURTHER DEVELOPMENT ALONG SCENIC HIGHWAY #71 AND OTHER IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 756 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 757
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE CONTINUING EDUCATION DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 757 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 758

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENTS TO HISTORIC SILVER BRIDGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 758 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 759

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION FOR HUNTERS FEEDING THE HUNGRY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 759 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 760
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS TO VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS, SEARCH AND RESCUE AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN ENTITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 760 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 761
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR SUPPORT OF THE RIVERFRONT DEVELOPMENT PROJECT IN OZARK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 761 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 762

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR PRESERVATION OF VETERAN'S MEMORIAL PARK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 762 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 763

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS WOMACK, CRITCHER & STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ARKANSAS ACADEMIC FACILITIES CONTINGENCY FUND FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 763 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

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AS PASSED AS AMENDED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1289 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1310 AS AMENDED NO. 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1363 AS AMENDED NO. 1
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AS CONCURRED IN

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AS PASSED AS AMENDED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1683

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 27, 2007.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FIFTY-FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

SENATE CHAMBER

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 27, 2007

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

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

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

The Senate was led in prayer by Reverend Dr. Randolph Martin of Union African Methodist Episcopal Church of Little Rock.

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

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

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 398 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1 and No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 398

Amend Senate Bill No. 398 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Creekmore as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR M. SALMON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 398

Amend Senate Bill No. 398 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 32 and 33 and substitute the following:
"occurring in this state after a gestational age of not less than twenty (20) completed weeks."

(SIGNED) SENATOR M. SALMON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 398 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 296 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLICE HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 296

Amend Senate Bill No. 296 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 34, insert

"(3) The requirements of subdivisions (c)(1)and (c)(2)(B) are satisfied by entering the information required to be produced into the real-time electronic logbook maintained by the Arkansas Crime Information Center under § 5-64-1104."

AND

Page 3, delete line 2 in its entirety and substitute

"(a)(1) Subject to available funding, on or before May 15, 2008, the"

AND

Page 3, line 12, insert

"(c) The Arkansas Crime Information Center shall not charge a pharmacy any fee:

(1) To support the establishment or maintenance of the real-time logbook; or

(2) For any computer software required to be installed as part of the real-time electronic logbook."

AND

Page 4, line 1, after Center insert ", after consulting with the Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy,"

AND

Page 4, line 4, delete "on or before October 1, 2007"

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete "and"

Page 4, line 10, delete "state." and substitute "state; and"

Page 4, line 11, insert

"(4) Ensure that the real-time electronic logbook does not allow access to a competitor's pricing information for ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, and phenylpropanalomine."

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 296 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 144 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 144

Amend Senate Bill No. 144 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete "§ 24-11-430;" and substitute "§ 24-11-430"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 14 and 15, and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 24-11-430 CONCERNING FUNERAL EXPENSES."

AND

Page 1, delete everything following the enacting clause, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-11-430 is amended to read as follows:
24-11-430. Funeral expenses.

(a)(1) Whenever an active or retired police officer ~~shall die or be killed~~ dies, the board of trustees shall appropriate from the fund a sum of not less than one hundred dollars ($100) nor more than four thousand dollars ($4,000) to pay the funeral expenses of the decedent.

(2) At its discretion, the board of trustees may appropriate from the fund more than four thousand dollars ($4,000) to pay the funeral expenses of the decedent.

(b) Each board of trustees shall adopt a policy establishing the amount to be paid for funeral expenses pursuant to this section, and the amount shall be awarded uniformly to all eligible persons.

(c) The board of trustees may change the amount of funeral expenses payable under this section, but in that instance the amount shall be uniformly distributed likewise.

~~(d) The effective date of the 1983 amendment to this section shall be retroactive to June 17, 1981.~~"

(SIGNED) SENATOR T. SMITH

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 144 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 236 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 236

Amend Senate Bill No. 236 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 28 through 30 in their entirety

AND

Page 1, line 31, delete "(2)" and substitute "(1)"

AND

Page 1, line 34, delete "~~(2)~~(3)" and substitute "(2)"

AND

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

AND

Page 2, line 6, delete "~~(4)~~(5)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 2, line 8, delete "~~(5)~~(6)" and substitute "(5)"

AND

Page 2, line 12, delete "~~(6)~~(7)" and substitute "(6)"

AND

Page 2, line 14, delete "~~(7)(A)~~(8)(A)" and substitute "(7)(A)"

AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "~~(8)~~(9)" and substitute "(8)"

AND

Page 2, line 34, delete "~~(9)~~(10)" and substitute "(9)"

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete "~~(10)(A)~~(11)(A)" and substitute "(10)(A)"

AND

Page 3, line 10, delete "~~(11)~~(12)" and substitute "(11)"

AND

Page 3, line 13, delete "~~(12)~~(13)" and substitute "(12)"

AND

Page 3, line 15, delete "~~(13)~~(14)" and substitute "(13)"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "(15)" and substitute "(14)"

AND

Page 3, line 27, delete "~~(14)(A)~~(16)" and substitute "(15)"

AND
Page 3, line 29, delete "(17)(A)" and substitute "(16)(A)"
AND

Page 3, line 35, delete "(18)" and substitute "(17)"

AND

Page 4, line 9, delete "~~(15)~~(19)" and substitute "(18)"

AND

Page 4, line 12, delete "~~(16)~~(20)" and substitute "(19)"

AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "~~(17)~~(21)" and substitute "(20)"

AND

Page 4, line 18, delete "~~(18)~~(22)" and substitute "(21)"

AND

Page 4, line 20, delete "~~(19)~~(23)" and substitute "(22)"

AND

Page 4, line 23, delete "~~(20)~~(24)" and substitute "(23)"

AND

Page 4, line 26, delete "~~(21)~~(25)" and substitute "(24)"

AND

Page 4, line 32, delete "~~(22)(A)~~(26)(A)" and substitute "(25)(A)"

AND

Page 5, line 10, delete "(27)" and substitute "(26)"

AND

Page 5, line 12, delete "(28)" and substitute "(27)"

AND

Page 5, line 23, delete "(29)" and substitute "(28)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 236 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 380 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 380

Amend Senate Bill No. 380 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 1, delete “office” and substitute “office on that county’s ballot”

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete “election” and substitute “appointment”

(SIGNED) SENATOR M. SALMON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 380 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 144, BY SENATOR SMITH,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 144 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 236, BY SENATOR MADISON, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 236 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 296, BY SENATOR WILKINS, et al,
SENATE BILL NO. 398, BY SENATOR SALMON,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 296 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 398 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 380, BY SENATOR SALMON,

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

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 380 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1379, BY REPRESENTATIVE PETRUS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1378, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1437, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1492, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1499, BY D. EVANS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1503, BY REPRESENTATIVE KEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1523, BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1524, BY REPESENTATIVE EDWARDS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA HUNTER BROWN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1413, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT,

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

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA HUNTER BROWN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 275, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,

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

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 357, BY SENATOR HORN,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 379, BY SENATOR MILLER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1 and No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 110, BY SENATOR MILLER,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 309, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 390, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 209, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 268, BY SENATOR FARIS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bisbee, House Bill No. 1413 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1413

Amend House Bill No. 1413 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Bisbee as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 28, delete "Remove" and substitute "~~Remove~~ Abate, remove, or eliminate"

AND

Page 1, line 31, delete "Eliminate or remove" and substitute "~~Eliminate~~ Abate, eliminate, or remove"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID BISBEE

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1413 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1206 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1206

Amend House Bill No. 1206 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 28 through 35 and substitute the following:

"(C) Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivision (a)(2)(A) of this section, permits may be issued for the movement of earthmoving equipment that is a tractor with dirt pan in tow used primarily for farming operations to travel upon the state highways in excess of a fifty-mile radius of the point of origin or for the movement of earthmoving equipment that is a tractor with dirt pan in tow used primarily for commercial earthmoving operations for travel upon state highways of any distance subject to the following requirements:

(i) The permit shall be issued only to owners of the vehicles who are primarily engaged in farming or commercial earthmoving operations;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1206 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1443 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1443

Amend House Bill No. 1443 as engrossed H2/14/07:

Add Senators Argue, Baker, Broadway, Critcher, Faris, Horn, J. Jeffress, Luker, Pritchard, T. Smith, Trusty, Whitaker and Womack as co-sponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1443 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1472 at this time.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1472 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1472

Amend House Bill No. 1472 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 24, delete “(a)” and substitute “(a)(1)”

AND

Page 1, delete line 26 and substitute the following:

"recovery, and storage for which the owner is liable.

(2) The towing and storage firm shall have a first priority possessory lien on any commercial freight contained within the towed vehicle for all reasonable charges for towing, recovery, and storage for which the owner is liable. The term “commercial freight” does not include any personal property of the owner, driver, or any passenger of the motor vehicle."

AND

Page 2, delete line 6 and substitute:

"possessory lien on the vehicle ~~and its contents~~ including any commercial freight located in the vehicle for all such charges;"

AND

Page 2, delete line 24 and substitute:

"the vehicle, except any commercial freight contained in the vehicle, during normal business hours of the towing and storage firm"

AND

Page 3, delete line 1 and substitute:

"possessory lien on any vehicle ~~and its contents~~ including any commercial freight located in the vehicle not redeemed by its owner or"

(SIGNED) SENATOR T. SMITH

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1472 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Critcher, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 at this time.

On motion of Senator Critcher, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of congratulating the Wilkinson family and the Farmers Bank.

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

On motion of Senator Critcher, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 was called up for a third reading.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS CRITCHER, WILKINSON & ALTES
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BREEDLOVE, PENNARTZ, WALTERS & ET AL

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE WILKINSON FAMILY AND THE FARMERS BANK BOARD OF DIRECTORS, OFFICERS, AND STAFF ON ITS CENTENNIAL.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Faris, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
Arkansas Senate

GENERAL ASSEMBLY
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate
Senate Fiscal Officer
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

February 27, 2007

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Concurrent Resolution 9.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

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SENATE BILL NO. 764
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A FINAL CLOSE OF SCHOOL FINANCIAL RECORDS ON THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL COMPUTER NETWORK BY SEPTEMBER 30 OF EACH YEAR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 764 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 765
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 1366 OF 2003, CONCERNING HOMELAND SECURITY AND THREAT ASSESSMENT PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 765 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 766
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW MUNICIPAL POLICE DEPARTMENTS TO EXCHANGE PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 766 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 767
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON CRITERIA AND QUALIFICATIONS FOR CHIEFS OF POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 767 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 768
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 17-50-311 TO RAISE THE MAXIMUM FEE AMOUNT FOR COMMISSION ON WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION LICENSES, CERTIFICATES OF REGISTRATION, AND PERMITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 768 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 769
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A SMALL EMPLOYER HEALTH REINSURANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 769 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 770
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE COLLEGE REMEDIATION RATE FOR ARKANSAS COLLEGE STUDENTS; TO ENSURE A GENERAL, SUITABLE, AND EFFICIENT CURRICULUM-BASED ACHIEVEMENT SYSTEM OF COLLEGE AND WORKFORCE READINESS FOR ALL ARKANSAS PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS; TO SUPPORT VOLUNTARY STATEWIDE ACT ASSESSMENT FOR ALL ELEVENTH GRADE STUDENTS IN ARKANSAS; TO ENCOURAGE GREATER PARTICIPATION IN THE SMART CORE CURRICULUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 770 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 771
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ASSIST THE ADMINISTRATION OF MOTOR VEHICLE TITLES; TO EXPEDITE THE RELEASE AND TRANSFER OF MOTOR VEHICLE TITLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 771 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 772

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT THAT A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT MUST FILE A PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER'S CONTRACT WITH THE COUNTY CLERK; TO REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT FOR COUNTY CLERKS TO REVIEW TEACHER CONTRACTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 772 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 20 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 231 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 231

As Engrossed: S2/26/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS LAVERTY, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CRITCHER, FARIS, GLOVER, G. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, LUKER & R. THOMPSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT, COOPER & ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING ACT OF 2003 TO EQUALIZE THE FUNDING PROVIDED FOR A DISTRICT WITH A GROWING OR DECLINING ENROLLMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 231 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1429 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1429
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PORTIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW PERTAINING TO THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1429 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1429 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1368 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1368

As Engrossed: H2/8/07 S2/21/07 S2/26/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE COMPOSITION AND REQUIREMENTS OF THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1368 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1368 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 611 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 611

Amend Senate Bill No. 611 as originally introduced:

deleting on page one the sponsor(s) and substituting therefor "Joint Budget Committee".

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHAWN WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 611 was ordered engrossed.

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

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

On motion of Senator Womack, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1343 at this time.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 1343 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1343
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR THE HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR TRAINING ACADEMY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1343 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1343, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1343 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Womack, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1625 at this time.

On motion of Senator Womack, House Bill No. 1625 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1625

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR LEGAL COUNSEL FOR THE ARKANSAS COURT OF APPEALS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 99 OF 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1625 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1625, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1625 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

Without objection, Senate Concurrent Resolution Bill No. 9 was ordered immediately returned from the House as requested.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1485
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE "REVISED UNIFORM ADOPTION ACT", ARKANSAS CODE § 9-9-201 ET SEQ.; TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE "STREAMLINE ADOPTION ACT", ARKANSAS CODE § 9-9-701; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1485 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1581
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADDRESS COUNTY PROBLEMS WITH BURN BANS; TO AMEND THE SECTION CONCERNING DECLARATION OF A LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1581 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 773

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HORN

BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAW; TO AMEND § 19-5-984 THAT ESTABLISHED THE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY SPECIAL FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 773 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 229 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 229 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 57 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 90 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 171 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 611, BY SENATOR WOMACK, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 611 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1206, BY SENATOR DUNN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1413, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT, et al,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1443, BY REPRESENTATIVE ANDERSON, et al

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1472, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1472 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES R. GREEN AND HARDWICK

BY: SENATORS G. JEFFRESS AND J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TRANSFER OF MUNICIPAL POLICE DEPARTMENT OFFICERS FROM THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1023 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1159

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1159 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 774

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES FOR TEACHER RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION IN HIGH-PRIORITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO EQUALIZE TEACHER SALARIES BETWEEN HIGH-PRIORITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND HIGHER PAYING SURROUNDING SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 774 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 27, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 5, BY SENATORS FARIS, STEELE, REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 24, BY SENATORS MADISON, SALMON, REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON, et al,
SENATE BILL NO. 279, BY SENATOR HILL, REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH
SENATE BILL NO. 280, BY SENATOR HILL, REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH
SENATE BILL NO. 281, BY SENATOR HILL, REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH
SENATE BILL NO. 282, BY SENATOR HILL, REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

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 2:45 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY"HANK"WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5
SENATE BILL NO. 24
SENATE BILL NO. 279
SENATE BILL NO. 280
SENATE BILL NO. 281
SENATE BILL NO. 282

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 27th day of February, 2007 at 2:45 p.m..

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Angela Tollette
Secretary

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 15
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS LAVERTY AND WILKINSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION WISHING MR. BURLEY WALTER KING A HAPPY 90TH BIRTHDAY AND COMMENDING HIM FOR HIS RICH LEGACY OF ENCOURAGEMENT, LOVE, AND SUPPORT FOR HIS FAMILY AND COMMUNITY.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 15 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 775
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR THE REHABILITATION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES LOCATED IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 775 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 776
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 19-4-906 CONCERNING MOTOR VEHICLE RESTRICTIONS FOR THE VARIOUS INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 776 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 777

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS MADISON, J. JEFFRESS, SALMON, WHITAKER & R. THOMPSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ADCOCK, WEBB, SAUNDERS & ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING AGGRAVATED CRUELTY TO DOGS, CATS, AND HORSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 777 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 231

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
HOUSE BILL NO. 1429
HOUSE BILL NO. 1625

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1368 AS AMENDED NO. 1, NO. 2, & NO. 4

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 57
SENATE BILL NO. 90
SENATE BILL NO. 171

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 229 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS REQUESTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9 AS REQUESTED

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023
HOUSE BILL NO. 1159
HOUSE BILL NO. 1485
HOUSE BILL NO. 1581

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, February 28, 2007.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FIFTY-SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 28, 2007

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

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

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

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Malone.

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

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

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 421 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 421

Amend Senate Bill No. 421 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the ENACTING clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 17-95-101 is amended to read as follows:

17-95-101. "Good Samaritan" law.

(a) Any ~~person licensed as a physician or surgeon~~ health care professional under the laws of the State of Arkansas ~~or any other person,~~ who, in good faith, lends emergency care or assistance without compensation at the place of an emergency or accident, and who was acting as a reasonable and prudent person would have acted under the circumstances present at the scene at the time the services were rendered, shall not be liable for any civil damages for acts or omissions performed in good faith.

(b) Any person who is not a ~~physician, surgeon, nurse, or other person trained or skilled in the treatment of medical emergencies~~ health care professional who is present at an emergency or accident scene, and who:

(1) Believes that the life, health, and safety of an injured person or a person who is under imminent threat of danger could be aided by reasonable and accessible emergency procedures under the circumstances existing at the scene thereof;

(2) Proceeds to lend emergency assistance or service in a manner reasonably calculated to lessen or remove the immediate threat to the life, health, or safety of such a person;

(3) Lends only such emergency care or assistance as a reasonable and prudent person concerned for the immediate protection of the life, health, and safety of the person for whom the services were rendered would lend under the circumstances, shall not be held liable in civil damages in any action in this state for any harm, injury, or death of any such person so long as the person rendering such services acted in good faith and was acting as a reasonable and prudent person would have acted under the circumstances present at the scene at the time the services were rendered.

(c) No ~~physician or surgeon~~ health care professional who in good faith and without compensation renders voluntary emergency ~~medical~~ assistance to a participant in a school athletic event or contest at the site thereof or during transportation to a health care facility for an injury suffered in the course of the event or contest shall be liable for any civil damages as a result of any acts or omissions by that ~~physician or surgeon~~ health care professional in rendering the emergency ~~medical~~ care. The immunity granted by this subsection shall not apply in the event of an act or omission constituting gross negligence.

(d) For the purposes of this section ~~and any other law of this state which takes effect on or after January 1, 1994, the term "physician" shall mean a person licensed by the Arkansas State Medical Board, the Arkansas State Board of Chiropractic Examiners, or the State Podiatry Examining Board~~ "health care professional" means a licensed physician, chiropractic physician, dentist, optometric physician, podiatric physician, and any other licensed health care professional."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 421 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 369 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 369

Amend Senate Bill No. 369 as originally introduced:

Page 10, delete line 30 and substitute:

“been filed but not yet adjudicated.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 12-12-507(b), concerning reports of suspected child abuse, is amended to read as follows:

(b) When any of the following has reasonable cause to suspect that a child has been subjected to child maltreatment or has died as a result of child maltreatment or observes a child being subjected to conditions or circumstances that would reasonably result in child maltreatment, he or she shall immediately notify the child abuse hotline:

(1) Any child care worker or foster care worker;
(2) A coroner;
(3) A day care center worker;
(4) A dentist;
(5) A dental hygienist;
(6) A domestic abuse advocate;
(7) A domestic violence shelter employee;
(8) A domestic violence shelter volunteer;
(9) An employee of the Department of Health and Human Services;
(10) An employee working under contract for the Division of Youth Services of the Department of Health and Human Services;
(11) Any foster parent;
(12) A judge;
(13) A law enforcement official;
(14) A licensed nurse;
(15) Any medical personnel who may be engaged in the admission, examination, care, or treatment of persons;
(16) A mental health professional;
(17) An osteopath;
(18) A peace officer;
(19) A physician;
(20) A prosecuting attorney;
(21) A resident intern;
(22) A school counselor;
(23) A school ~~official~~ employee;
(24) A social worker;
(25) A surgeon;
(26) A teacher;
(27) A court-appointed special advocate program staff member or volunteer;
(28) A juvenile intake or probation officer; ~~or~~
(29) Any clergyman, which includes a minister, priest, rabbi, accredited Christian Science practitioner, or other similar functionary of a religious organization, or an individual reasonably believed to be so by the person consulting him or her, except to the extent he or she:

(A) Has acquired knowledge of suspected maltreatment through communications required to be kept confidential pursuant to the religious discipline of the relevant denomination or faith; or

(B) Received the knowledge of the suspected maltreatment from the offender in the context of a statement of admission; or

(30) An employee of a child advocacy center."

AND

Page 12, line 10, delete "or clinic"

AND

Page 14, delete lines 6 through 7 and substitute:

“access to children and whether or not children are at risk such that children need to be protected.”

AND

Page 16, line 18, delete “may” and substitute “shall have the right to”

AND

Page 16, delete lines 22 through 23 and substitute:

“SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 12-12-512 is amended to read as follows:

12-12-512. Child maltreatment investigative determination - Notice of finding - Amendment and appeal.”

AND

Page 18, delete line 6 and substitute:

“in this subsection shall be within the sole discretion of the department.

(b) If the investigation cannot be completed, the investigation shall be determined incomplete and placed in inactive status.

(c)(1)(A)(i) In every case in which a report is determined to be true, the department shall notify each subject of the report of the determination.

(ii) If the offender is a juvenile ten (10) years of age or older and is in foster care, the department shall notify the juvenile's public defender or counsel for the juvenile and the legal parents or legal guardians of the offender.

(iii) If the offender is a juvenile ten (10) years of age or older, the department shall notify the legal parents or legal guardians of the offender.

(B) Notification shall be in writing by certified mail, restricted delivery, or by a process server.

(C) Notification to an offender who was an adult at the time of the act or omission that resulted in the finding of child maltreatment shall include the following:

(i) The investigative determination, true or unsubstantiated, exclusive of the source of the notification;

(ii) A statement that the person named as the offender of the true report may request an administrative hearing;

(iii) A statement that the request must be made to the department within thirty (30) days of receipt of the service or certified mailing of the notice of determination;

(iv) The name of the person making notification, the person's occupation, and where he or she can be reached; and

(v) A statement that the administrative hearing may take place in person if requested by the petitioner or the petitioner's attorney within thirty (30) days from the date that the petitioner receives notification under this subsection (c), provided that the hearing officer may conduct the hearing by video teleconference in lieu of an in-person hearing. If neither party requests that the hearing be conducted in person, then the hearing shall be conducted telephonically.

(D) Notification to an offender who was a juvenile age ten (10) years of age or older at the time of the act or omission that resulted in the finding of child maltreatment shall include the following:

(i) The investigative determination, true or unsubstantiated, exclusive of the source of the notification;

(ii) A statement that the matter has been referred for an automatic administrative hearing that may only be waived by the juvenile offender or his parent in writing; and

(iii) The name of the person making the notification to the juvenile offender, the person's occupation, and where he or she can be reached.

(2) The administrative hearing process must be completed within one hundred eighty (180) days from the date of the receipt of the request for a hearing, or the petitioner's name shall be removed from the central registry, provided that:

(A) Delays in completing the hearing that are attributable to the petitioner shall not count against the one-hundred-eighty-day limit; and

(B)(i) The one-hundred-eighty-day limit shall not apply if there is an ongoing criminal or delinquency investigation or criminal or delinquency charges have or will be filed regarding the occurrence that is the subject of the child maltreatment report.

(ii) In those cases, the administrative hearing shall be stayed pending final disposition of the criminal or delinquency proceedings.

(iii) It shall be the duty of the petitioner to report the final disposition of the criminal or delinquency proceeding to the department.

(iv) Each report shall include a file-marked copy of the criminal or delinquency disposition.

(v) The request for an administrative hearing shall be deemed waived if the petitioner fails to report the disposition of the criminal or delinquency proceedings within thirty (30) days of the entry of a dispositive judgment or order.

(vi) If the criminal or delinquency proceedings have reached no final outcome within twelve (12) months of the filing of the administrative appeal, the administrative appeal will be deemed waived if the petitioner fails to provide a written statement of the status of the criminal or delinquency proceedings every sixty (60) days and a disposition report within thirty (30) days of the entry of a dispositive judgment or order.

(3) When the department conducts administrative appeal hearings, the chief counsel of the department may require the attendance of witnesses and the production of books, records, or other documents through the issuance of subpoenas when that testimony or information is necessary to adequately present the position of the department, the investigating protective services agency, or the alleged offender or adult subject of a report.

(4) Upon request by a petitioner, if the petitioner prevails at an administrative hearing or circuit court hearing and a report is changed from true to unsubstantiated, the department shall tender a list of persons to whom a disclosure had previously been made that the report was true.

(5)(A) If a petitioner's name is removed from the central registry as a result of a failure to comply with this subsection (c), then the department shall report any failures to comply with this subsection (c) for each quarter to the House Interim Committee on Aging, Children and Youth, Legislative and Military Affairs and the Senate Interim Committee on Children and Youth.

(B) The quarterly report to the House Interim Committee on Aging, Children and Youth, Legislative and Military Affairs and the Senate Interim Committee on Children and Youth shall include a written explanation of the failure of the department.

(d) Failure to obey the subpoena may be deemed a contempt, punishable accordingly.

(e) Administrative hearing decisions and all exhibits submitted at the hearing are confidential and may be used or disclosed only as provided in § 12-12-506(a)(2)(A).

(f)(1) The Office of Appeals and Hearings of the Department of Health and Human Services shall designate the sites to be used for video teleconference hearings.

(2) The office shall designate sites within ten (10) miles of the following cities:

(A) Arkadelphia;
(B) Booneville;
(C) Conway;
(D) Fayetteville;
(E) Jonesboro;
(F) Little Rock; or
(G) Warren.

(3) The office may designate additional sites for video teleconference hearings.

(g)(1) If any party requests an in-person hearing within thirty (30) days from the date that the party receives notification under subsection (c) of this section, then the in-person hearing shall be conducted in an office of the department nearest to the petitioner's residence unless the hearing officer notifies the parties that the hearing will be conducted via video teleconference.

(2) A site for a video teleconference hearing shall include the location designated by the office that is nearest to the petitioner's residence.

(3) The hearing officer and other parties may agree to appear at the location designated by the office or at any other designated hearing locations that are convenient to them.

(h)(1) A certified copy of a judgment or an adjudication from a court of competent jurisdiction dealing with the same subject matter as an issue concerned in the administrative hearing may be filed with and considered by the hearing officer in a motion for summary judgment.

(2)(A) A decision on any identical issue shall be rendered without a hearing.

(B) However, if the judgment or adjudication of the court is reversed or vacated and notice of the reversal or vacation is provided to the department, the department shall set the matter for a hearing.

SECTION 12. Arkansas Code § 12-12-516(a), regarding the protective custody of children, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) A police officer, a law enforcement official, a juvenile division of circuit court judge during juvenile proceedings concerning the child or a sibling of the child, or a designated employee of the Department of Health and Human Services may take a child into protective custody or any personin charge of a hospital or similar institution or any physician treating a child may keep that child in his or her custody without the consent of the parent or the guardian, whether or not additional medical treatment is required, if the:

(A) Child is ~~dependent-neglected as defined in § 9-27-303(17)~~ subjected to neglect as defined under § 12-12-503(12)(B) and the department assesses the family and determines that the newborn and any other children, including siblings, under the custody or care of the mother are at substantial risk of serious harm such that the children need to be removed from the custody or care of the mother;

(B) Child is dependent as defined in the Arkansas Juvenile Code of 1989, § 9-27-301 et seq.; or

(C) Circumstances or conditions of the child are such that continuing in his or her place of residence or in the care and custody of the parent, guardian, custodian, or caretaker presents an immediate danger of severe maltreatment.

(2) However, such custody shall not exceed seventy-two (72) hours except in the event that the expiration of seventy-two (72) hours falls on a weekend or holiday, in which case protective custody may be extended through the next business day following the weekend or holiday."

AND

Appropriately renumber all sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 369 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 155 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 155

Amend Senate Bill No. 155 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete "§ 24-11-434;" and substitute "§ 24-11-434"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 14 through 16 and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 24-11-434 CONCERNING THE DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN"

AND

Page, delete everything following the enacting clause, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-11-434 is amended to read as follows:

24-11-434. Deferred retirement option plan.

(a)(1) In lieu of terminating employment and accepting a service retirement pension ~~pursuant to § 24-11-401 et seq.~~ under this subchapter, any police officer who is a member of a policemen's pension and relief fund who has not less than twenty (20) years of credited service and who is eligible to receive a service retirement pension may elect to participate in the Arkansas Police Officers' Deferred Option Plan and defer the receipt of benefits in accordance with the provisions of this section, provided that the board of trustees of the local policemen's pension and relief fund approves the participation in the plan.

(2) For purposes of this section, credited service shall include service credit recognized pursuant to this subchapter.

(b)(1) The duration of participation in the plan for active police officers shall not exceed five (5) years.

(2) The five-year limit may be extended if:

(A) The extension does not cause the limit to exceed ten (10) years;

(B) The extension applies to all active members and all members on the plan;

(C) The extension is approved by a majority of votes of the board of trustees of the pension and relief fund or of the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System for funds whose administrative responsibility has been assigned to the system as provided in § 24-11-406(b);

(D) The interest credited after the first five (5) years on the plan shall be two (2) percentage points below the rate of return of the investment portfolio of the fund and shall not be determined under subdivision (e)(2) of this section, but in no event shall the interest rate credited be less than zero percent (0%); and

(E) The extension is approved by a majority vote of the governing body of the sponsoring municipality.

(c)~~(1)~~ Except under subdivision (c)(2) of this section, at the conclusion of a member's participation in the plan, the member ~~shall terminate employment with all participating municipalities as a police officer and~~ shall start receiving the member's accrued monthly retirement benefit from the policemen's pension and relief fund.

~~(2) If a member is at the conclusion of a member's participation in the plan, the member may continue employment by a municipality under the following conditions:~~

~~(A) The municipality makes continued employment available to all similarly situated members;~~

~~(B) The availability of continued employment is approved by a majority vote of the governing body of the sponsoring municipality after receiving approval for an increase in benefits under § 24-11-102;~~

~~(C) The monthly benefit that is credited to the member's plan account is discontinued and the member shall not receive a monthly benefit until the member actually ceases employment;~~

~~(D) The interest rate credited to the plan account is the same paid as under subdivision (e)(2) of this section, except that the minimum rate is zero percent (0%);~~

~~(E) The employer's matching contribution of six percent (6%) shall cease, but all other employer contributions shall continue and be credited to the pension and relief fund; and~~

~~(F) The employee contributions of six percent (6%) shall discontinue.~~

(d)(1) When a member begins participation in the plan, the contribution of the police officer and the employer contribution shall continue to be paid.

(2)(A) In a municipality having a population of over twenty thousand (20,000) persons, municipal matching contributions for employees who elect the plan shall be credited equally to the policemen's pension and relief fund and to the plan, or at the option of the local pension and relief fund board of trustees, credited in the manner provided in subdivision (d)(2)(B) of this section.

(B) In a municipality having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) persons or less, municipal matching contributions for employees who elect the plan shall be credited in full to the policemen's pension and relief fund, and the contribution of the employee shall be credited to the member's plan account.

(3) The monthly retirement benefits that would have been payable had the member elected to cease employment and receive service retirement and pension supplement payments made by the Policemen's Pension Supplement Program shall be paid into the plan account.

(e)(1) The member's monthly retirement benefit shall not change unless the plan receives a benefit increase.

(2)(A) A member who participates in this plan shall earn interest at a rate of two (2) percentage points below the rate of return of the investment portfolio of the policemen's pension and relief fund as certified by the actuary under contract with the Arkansas Fire and Police Pension Review Board in accordance with generally accepted actuarial practices and § 24-11-207 but no less than the actuarial assumed interest rate as certified by the actuary.

(B) The interest shall be credited to the individual account balance of the member on an annual basis.

(f)(1) At the option of the participant, a participant in the plan shall receive a lump-sum payment from the account equal to the payments to the account or a true annuity based upon the account of the participant or may elect any other method of payment if approved by the board of trustees.

(2) If approved by a majority vote of the governing body of the sponsoring municipality and the board of trustees, a participant in the deferred retirement option plan may defer receiving payment of the participant's account and continue with the funds deposited in the plan.

(3)(A) Interest credited to the continuing deposit of funds in the plan under subdivision (f)(2) of this section shall be calculated in the same manner as interest under subdivision (e)(2) of this section.

(B) However, the minimum interest rate shall not be less than zero percent (0%).

(4) The payment of funds accumulated while participating in the deferred retirement option plan may be deferred only one (1) time. These funds must be distributed or annuitized by December 31 of the year a member attains age seventy and one-half (70 1/2).

(g) If the participant dies during the period of participation in the plan, a lump-sum payment equal to the account balance of the participant shall be paid.

(h) A participant in the plan shall not receive any benefits under the plan unless he or she participates in the plan for a minimum of one (1) year, absent death or disability.

(i) The Arkansas Fire and Police Pension Review Board may promulgate regulations to make the plan under this section comply with the requirements of this section and with the applicable portions of the federal Internal Revenue Code, as it existed on January 1, 2003.

(j) Although the police officer may remain employed by the participating municipality, any member who opts to participate in the plan shall be considered to be retired for all retirement purposes, including, but not limited to, benefit increase purposes and the extension of benefits to the spouses of deceased members."

(SIGNED) SENATOR T. SMITH

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 155 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 142 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 142

Amend Senate Bill No. 142 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 2 and substitute the following:
"percent (14%)."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 17 and 18 and substitute the following:
"~~2007~~ 2009, the employer contribution rate shall not exceed fourteen percent (14%)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 142 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 115 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 115

Amend Senate Bill No. 115 as engrossed, S2/12/07:

Page 2, line 30, delete "(c)" and substitute "(c)(1)"

AND

Page 2, line 32, delete "(1)" and substitute "(A)"

AND

Page 2, line 33, delete "(2)" and substitute "(B)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 36 and substitute the following:
"Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.

(2)(A) For any retired member employed in a position covered by the system pursuant to an exemption under subdivision (c)(1) of this section, the employer and employee contribution rate to the system on behalf of the member shall recommence at the rate in effect at the time of the employment.

(B)(i) Except as provided in subdivision (c)(2)(B)(ii) of this section, the employer contribution shall be remitted by the employer and the employee contribution shall be remitted by the employee.

(ii) The employer may elect to remit both the employer and employee contribution."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 115 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 100 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 100

Amend Senate Bill No. 100 as originally introduced:

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 24, Chapter 5, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

24-5-136. Operation of system as qualified trust.

(a) The Executive Secretary of the Arkansas State Highway Employees' Retirement System shall operate the system and interpret any provisions of § 24-5-101 et seq. consistent with the requirements under the Internal Revenue Code as it existed on January 1, 2007, and applicable United States Treasury regulations as they existed on January 1, 2007, to permit the system to be operated as a qualified trust under section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code as it existed on January 1, 2007.

(b) Notwithstanding any language to the contrary under this chapter, the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas State Highway Employees' Retirement System may promulgate rules consistent with subsection (a) of this section.

(c) Any rule promulgated under this section that is found to be in conflict with an applicable provision of Arkansas law is void."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 100 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 558 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 558

Amend Senate Bill No. 558 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 12, delete "IN UNION COUNTY"

AND

Page 1, line 18, delete "IN"

AND

Page 1, line 19, delete "UNION COUNTY"

AND

Page 1, line 25, delete "IN UNION COUNTY"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "in Union County, Arkansas".

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 558 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 557 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 557

Amend Senate Bill No. 557 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 11, delete "SOUTH ARKANSAS YOUTH"

AND

Page 1, line 12, delete "ASSOCIATION - "

AND

Page 1, line 13, delete "CENTER IN UNION" and substitute "CENTERS"

AND

Page 1, line 14, delete "COUNTY, ARKANSAS"

AND

Page 1, line 20, delete "SOUTH ARKANSAS YOUTH"

AND

Page 1, line 21, delete "ASSOCIATION - UNION COUNTY, ARKANSAS" and substitute "RECOVERY AND PREVENTION CENTERS"

AND

Page 1, line 27, delete "SOUTH ARKANSAS YOUTH ASSOCIATION - UNION" and substitute "RECOVERY AND PREVENTION CENTERS"

AND

Page 1, line 28, delete "COUNTY"

AND

Page 1, line 31, delete "the South Arkansas"

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "Youth Association - "

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "Center in Union County, Arkansas" and substitute "Centers".

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 557 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 747 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 747

Amend Senate Bill No. 747 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 10, delete "AN ARTS CENTER OF THE"

AND

Page 1, line 11, delete "GRAND PRAIRIE GRANT" and substitute "A GRANT TO ART CENTERS"

AND

Page 1, line 16, delete "ARTS CENTER OF THE GRAND"

AND

Page 1, line 17, delete "PRAIRIE GRANT" and substitute "GRANT FOR ART CENTERS"

AND

Page 1, line 23, delete "ARTS CENTER OF THE GRAND PRAIRIE" and substitute "ART CENTERS"

AND

Page 1, line 27, delete "an Arts Center of the Grand Prairie grant" and substitute "a grant to art centers".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 747 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 749 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1 and No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 749

Amend Senate Bill No. 749 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 28, delete "build a stage for".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 749

Amend Senate Bill No. 749 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 10, delete "THE WINGS"

AND

Page 1, line 11, delete "OVER THE GRAND PRAIRIE FESTIVAL" and substitute "ARKANSAS FESTIVALS"

AND

Page 1, line 17, delete "WINGS OVER THE GRAND PRAIRIE"

AND

Page 1, line 18, delete "FESTIVAL" and substitute "ARKANSAS FESTIVALS"

AND

Page 1, line 24, delete "WINGS OVER THE GRAND PRAIRIE FESTIVAL" and substitute "ARKANSAS FESTIVALS"

AND

Page 1, line 28, delete "the Wings Over The Prairie Festival" and substitute "Arkansas festivals".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

The Amendments were read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 749 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 248 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 248

Amend Senate Bill No. 248 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 8, delete “For” and substitute “(a) For”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 17 and 18 and substitute the following:
“42 U.S.C. 9902(2), as it existed on January 1, 2007.

(b) On January 1 of each year thereafter, the Director of the Department of Labor shall adjust the amount in controversy by adding to the previous year's figure the percentage increase or decrease in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers or its successor as published by the United State Department of Labor for the previous year."

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "(b)" and substitute "(b)(1)"

AND

Page 2, line 34, delete "Every" and substitute "Except as provided in subdivision (b)(2) of this section, every"

AND

Page 2, delete line 36 and substitute the following:
"which such wages were earned.

(2)(A) An employer may pay all wages due to a high-ranking employee monthly or as determined by written agreement between the employer and the high-ranking employee.

(B) As used in this subsection (b)(2), "high-ranking employee" means an employee who:

(i) Is at least a ten percent (10%) owner of the corporation, partnership, or other organization;

(ii) Is in the top ten percent (10%) of employees when ranked by compensation and receives at least one hundred fifty thousand dollars ($150,000) in annual compensation from the employer; or

(iii) Is an officer whose annual compensation from the employer exceeds one hundred thirty thousand dollars ($130,000)."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 21 through 23 and substitute the following:
"(b)(1)(A)(i) The wages of all ~~All~~ employees shall be paid in currency or by check or electronic direct deposit into the employee's account.

(ii) Payment by debit card shall not be an authorized form of payment."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 24 through 29 and substitute the following:
"(B)(i) The employer may opt out of payment by electronic direct deposit by providing the employer a written statement requesting payment by check.

(ii) An employer requiring payment by electronic direct deposit shall notify employees of their right to opt out."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 30 through 32 and substitute the following:
"(C)(i) Whatever the form of payment, wages shall be redeemable for cash and payable on demand without discount or deduction from the face amount of the wages at an established place of business in the state."

AND

Page 3, line 33, delete “or debit card”

AND

Page 3, line 35, delete “on” and substitute “on or be attached to”

AND

Page 4, line 2, delete “time” and substitute “time within the past one (1) year”

AND

Page 6, line 10, delete “three (3)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 6, delete line 11 and substitute the following:
“calendar days of termination.”

AND

Page 6, delete lines 30 and 31 and substitute the following:
“to be paid by check by mail to the mailing address provided in the employee’s written request or to the employee’s last known mailing address if no address is provided in the employee’s written request.”

AND

Page 7, delete lines 14 and 15 and substitute the following:
“(2) For medical or other health insurance, life insurance, disability benefits, retirement benefits, or union dues; or”

AND
Page 7, line 17, delete “made” and substitute “made or at the time the first deduction is made for a recurring deduction of the same amount”

AND

Page 8, line 10, delete “each” and substitute “each individual or group”

AND

Delete SECTION 10 in its entirety

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 248 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 440 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 440

Amend Senate Bill No. 440 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 9, and substitute the following:
"for the review of the Arkansas Legislative Council.

(f) The Department of Economic Development shall submit an annual written report to the Arkansas Legislative Council concerning the Economic Development Incentive Quick Action Fund which will contain the following:

(1) The name and address of the businesses receiving money from the fund;

(2) The date, amount, and reason of the disbursements of money from the fund;

(3) An evaluation of the effectiveness of the disbursements made from the fund; and

(4) Any suggestions for improving the use of the fund."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HILL

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 440 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 516 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 516

Amend Senate Bill No. 516 as originally introduced:

Page 1, insert an additional section immediately following Section 1 to read as follows:

" SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Parks and Tourism. The Department of Parks and Tourism may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 516 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 517 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 517

Amend Senate Bill No. 517 as originally introduced:

Page 1, insert an additional section immediately following Section 1 to read as follows:
" SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Arkansas Heritage. The Department of Arkansas Heritage may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 517 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 182 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
Arkansas Senate

GENERAL ASSEMBLY
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate
Senate Fiscal Officer
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

February 28, 2007

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill 182.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell

Secretary of the Senate

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 100, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 115, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 142, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 155, BY SENATOR SMITH,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 100 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 115 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 142 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 155 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 248, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 421, BY SENATOR HORN, ET AL,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 248 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 421 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 369, BY SENATOR MADISON, ET AL,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 369 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 440, BY SENATOR HILL, ET AL,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hill, Senate Bill No. 440 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 516, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 517, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 557, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 558, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 747, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 749, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 516 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 517 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 557 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 558 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 747 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 749 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1004,
BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH ,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID BISBEE
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1460, BY REPRESENTATIVE PICKETT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1502, BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID BISBEE
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 396, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHAWN WOMACK
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 266, BY SENATOR SALMON,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 300, BY SENATOR SALMON,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1004, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1130, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1362, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1401, BY REPRESENTATIVE ROSENBAUM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1458, BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1486, BY REPRESENTATIVE CORNWELL,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1489, BY REPRESENTATIVE COOPER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1507, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1510, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1619, BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRIS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1620, BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRIS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1414, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,

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

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 382, BY SENATOR LUKER,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HILL
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1484, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1498, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1525, BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1526, BY REPRESENTATIVE NORTON,

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

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HILL
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1360, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HILL
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 296, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 331, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 334, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 680, BY SENATOR STEELE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JACK CRITCHER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 20, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 4.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JACK CRITCHER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1284, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1434, BY REPRESENTATIVE PRATER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1435, BY REPRESENTATIVE PRATER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1436, BY REPRESENTATIVE PRATER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1444, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1448, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1449, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JACK CRITCHER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1180, BY REPRESENTATIVE BAKER,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JACK CRITCHER
CHAIRMAN

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 28, 2007

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on February 28, 2007, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-sixth General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Resolution 005

Senate Concurrent Resolution 007

Senate Bill 010 - ACT 151

Senate Bill 188 - ACT 152

Senate Bill 225 - ACT 153

Senate Bill 273 - ACT 154

Senate Bill 294 - ACT 155

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 3 was called up for third reading.

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 3
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS, BROWN, CRUMBLY & STEELE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, T. BAKER, ET AL

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF HENRY WILKINS III AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 3 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 3 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1505 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1505 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1527 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1527 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Miller, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 379 at this time.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 379 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2 and No. 3.

Withdraw Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 379

Amend Senate Bill No. 379 as originally introduced:

Page 5, delete line 13 and substitute the following:

"this subsection (e).

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 23-63-514(c), concerning material disclosures on the registration statement, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1) Materiality. No information need be disclosed on the registration statement filed pursuant to subsection (b) of this section if the information is not material for the purposes of this section. Unless the commissioner by rule, regulation, or order provides otherwise, sales, purchases, exchanges, loans, or extensions of credit, or investments, involving one-half of one percent ~~(.5%)~~ (0.5%) or less of an insurer's admitted assets as of the December 31 next-preceding shall not be deemed material for purposes of this section.

(2)(A) However, each registered insurer shall disclose in writing to the commissioner within five (5) business days following the declaration of a dividend and no less than ten (10) business days prior to the payment of the dividend, all ordinary dividends payable to shareholders. (B) The disclosure shall also be included in the reporting insurer's next annual and restated insurance registration statement and upon any statutory filing required under § 23-63-514 or § 23-63-515.

SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 23-63-515(d)(2)(A), concerning extraordinary dividends of domestic insurers, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) In determining whether a dividend or distribution is extraordinary, an insurer other than a life insurer may carry forward net income from the previous two (2) calendar years that has not already been paid out as ~~dividends~~ a dividend.

SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 23-63-818, concerning domestic insurer's investments in subsidiaries, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(c)(1) Unless a greater investment has been approved in writing by the commissioner, a domestic insurer subject to this subchapter shall limit its investments in common stock, preferred stock, debt obligations, and other securities of its noninsurance subsidiaries to the lesser of:

(A) Ten percent (10%) of the domestic insurer's assets; or

(B) Fifty percent (50%) of the domestic insurer's surplus. (2) This subsection does not apply to the amount of an investment held on the effective date of this act by a domestic insurer licensed in Arkansas.

AND

Appropriately renumber the remaining Sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MILLER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 379

Amend Senate Bill No. 379 as originally introduced:

Page 10, delete line 4 and substitute the following:

"Internal Revenue Code of 1986~~, as it existed on January 1, 2004~~.

SECTION 19. Arkansas Code Title 4, Chapter 90 is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

SUBCHAPTER 7 — DEBT CANCELLATION AGREEMENTS

4-90-701. Definition.

As used in this subchapter, "debt cancellation agreement" means a loan term or contractual arrangement modifying a loan term dealing with motor vehicles under which a lender agrees to cancel all or part of a borrower's obligation to repay an extension of credit from the lender upon the occurrence of a specified event other than the death or disability of the borrower, whether or not separate from or a part of other loan documents. Provided, however, for purposes of this subchapter only, the term "debt cancellation agreement" shall not include that form of debt cancellation agreement which constitutes a guaranteed automobile protection waiver agreement or "GAP" waiver agreement. A guaranteed automobile protection waiver agreement or "GAP" waiver agreement means a loan term or a contractual arrangement modifying a loan term dealing with motor vehicles under which a lender agrees to waive, cancel, pay , or satisfy any remaining balance owed on a loan after a total loss or theft of the vehicle.

4-90-702. Requiring borrower to purchase debt cancellation agreement prohibited.

A lender shall not require a borrower to purchase a debt cancellation agreement.

4-90-703. Debt cancellation agreements to be legible — Disclosure requirements.

All terms of a debt cancellation agreement shall be printed or reproduced to render all material provisions of the agreement legible and shall clearly and conspicuously disclose the following information:

(1) If the debt cancellation agreement is provided by or administered by a third party, the debt cancellation agreement shall disclose that fact and provide the name, address, and telephone number of the third party and describe the procedure to follow for filing a claim with that third party under the debt cancellation agreement;

(2) The total retail price of the debt cancellation agreement;

(3) Any limitation or restriction on the cancellation of the entire debt due upon the occurrence of the specified event;

(4) That the purchaser is allowed to cancel the debt cancellation agreement at any time and receive a refund paid directly to the purchaser minus any cancellation fee not to exceed twenty-five dollars ($25.00) as follows:

(A) If the debt cancellation agreement is cancelled within thirty (30) days of purchase, a purchaser shall receive a full refund of the retail price; or

(B) If the debt cancellation agreement is cancelled at a later time, the purchaser shall receive a pro rata refund of the retail price for the unexpired term based upon the number of elapsed months at the time of the cancellation compared to the total length of the financing agreement; and

(5) That the terms of the debt cancellation agreement financed by the lender are binding on the lender.

4-90-704. Debt cancellation agreements — Restrictions.

No debt cancellation agreement shall be issued that:

(1) Is in any respect in violation of or does not comply with this subchapter;

(2) Contains or incorporates by reference if incorporation by reference is otherwise permissible any inconsistent, ambiguous, illusory, or misleading clauses or exceptions and conditions that deceptively affect the material terms of the debt cancellation agreement;

(3) Has a title, heading, or other indication of its provisions that is misleading; or

(4) Is sold after any representation, oral or written, that is misleading or deceptive with respect to any material term of the contract or any provision of this subchapter.

4-90-705. Application of § 4-88-101 et seq. to debt cancellation agreements and sellers of debt cancellation agreements.

(a) Debt cancellation agreements and sellers of debt cancellation agreements are subject to the provisions of § 4-88-101 et seq., and any violation of any of the provisions of this subchapter constitutes an unconscionable or deceptive act or practice under § 4-88-101 et seq.

(b) All remedies, penalties, and authority granted to the Attorney General under § 4-88-101 et seq. are available to the Attorney General for the enforcement of this subchapter.

SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 23-60-102(1), concerning the definition of "insurance" under the Arkansas Insurance Code, is amended to read as follows:

(1)(A)(i) "Insurance" is any agreement, contract, or other transaction whereby one party, the "insurer", is obligated to confer benefit of pecuniary value upon another party, the "insured" or "beneficiary", dependent upon the happening of a fortuitous event in which the insured or beneficiary has, or is expected to have at the time of such happening, a material interest which will be adversely affected by the happening of such an event.

(ii) A "fortuitous event" means any occurrence or failure to occur which is, or is assumed by the parties to be, to a substantial extent beyond the control of either party.

(B) "Insurance" shall, for purposes of subtitle 3 of this title, be deemed to include "annuities", which are agreements by insurers to make periodic payments that continue during the survival of the measuring life or lives under the agreements or for a specified period.

(C) "Reinsurance" is a contract under which an originating insurer, called the "ceding" insurer, procures insurance for itself in another insurer, called the "assuming" insurer or reinsurer, with respect to part or all of an insurance risk of the originating insurer;.

(D)(i) "Insurance" shall not include a debt cancellation agreement.

(ii) "Debt cancellation agreement" is a loan term or contractual arrangement modifying a loan term dealing with motor vehicles under which a lender agrees to cancel all or part of a borrower's obligation to repay an extension of credit from the lender upon the occurrence of a specified event other than the death or disability of the borrower. The agreement may be separate from or a part of other loan documents."

SECTION 21. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the incompatibility of acts of the Eighty-Sixth General Assembly presents difficult compliance issues for the administration of debt cancellation agreements; that in order to avoid a disruption in commerce associated with compliance with other debt cancellation legislation, the enactment of Sections 19 and 20 of this act is immediately necessary. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and Sections 19 and 20 of this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety, Sections 19 and 20 shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto.

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

AND

Appropriately restate the references to sections 19 and 20 in the Emergency Clause of the bill if sections 19 and 20 are renumbered.

(SIGNED) SENATOR MILLER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 379 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 357 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 357

Amend Senate Bill No. 357 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 10, delete "INDEPENDENT" and substitute "PRIVATE"

AND

Page 1, line 15, delete "INDEPENDENT" and substitute "PRIVATE"

AND

Page 1, delete line 35 and substitute the following:
"(B) The audit must be"

(SIGNED) SENATOR HORN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 357 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1455 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1455

Amend House Bill No. 1455 as engrossed, H2/15/07:

Page 5, delete line 13

AND

Page 5, delete line 17 and substitute the following:
"or charitable organization for fundraising purposes; or
(3) Are usable with multiple, unaffiliated sellers of goods or services and are issued by a financial institution under § 4-88-702(3)."

AND

Page 5, delete line 23 and substitute the following:
"those sections.

4-88-706. Rules.
(a) The State Bank Department shall promulgate rules pertaining to the regulation of state-chartered banks and the selling of gift cards.
(b) The department shall have authority of the sale of gift cards by state-chartered banks and promulgate rules based on guidance issued by the Comptroller of the Currency in Office of the Comptroller of the Currency Bulletin 2006-34 on August 14, 2006."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOOKOUT

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1455 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1379 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1379

Amend House Bill No. 1379 as engrossed H2/8/07:

Page 2, delete lines 13 through 14 and substitute:

"(2) "Alternative fuels producer" means a business located in Arkansas that uses biomass or other renewable resources excluding recycled petroleum oils to manufacture alternative fuels;"

AND

Page 2, line 19, delete "biomass" and substitute "biomass or other renewable resources"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "and" entirely

AND

Page 3, delete lines 21 through 23 and substitute:

"(8) "Feedstock processor" means a business located in Arkansas that uses biomass or other renewable resources excluding recycled petroleum oils to manufacture feedstock to be used in the production of alternative fuels; and

(9) "Other renewable resources" means any material that can be recycled, regenerated, reclaimed, or reused."

AND

Page 3, line 30, delete "Production" and substitute "Capital and operation production"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 33 through 34 and substitute:

"(c) The grant incentives under this subchapter are only available for the following after January 1, 2007:

(1) Capital investments in alternative fuels production facilities, feedstock processing facilities, or distribution facilities;

(2) The production of alternative fuel; or

(3) The processing of feedstock.

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 9 and substitute:

"(a) The Arkansas Alternative Fuels Development Program shall include a grant incentive program for alternative fuels producers based on the gallonage production of alternative fuels as provided in this section.

(b) The program shall include grants for:

(1) Capital improvements made after January 1, 2007, for the construction, modification, alteration, or retrofitting of an alternative fuels production facility located and operated in Arkansas; and

(2) Operations costs after January 1, 2007, for the operation of an alternative fuels production facility located and operated in Arkansas.

(c) The Arkansas Agriculture Department shall create a grant application process for alternative fuels producers for capital improvements that includes:

(1) An application for a grant under this subsection (c) that shall include at a minimum:"

AND

Page 4, delete line 20 and substitute:

"(d) The Arkansas Agriculture Department shall create a grant application process for alternative fuels producers for operations costs that includes:

(1) An application for a grant under this subsection (d) shall include at a minimum:

(A) The expected gallonage production of alternative fuels at the facility; and

(B) Evidence sufficient to satisfy the department that the applicant has the capacity to operate during the applicable grant period;

(2) Instructions about the grant process;

(3) Scoring procedures to determine the award of the grants; and

(4) Other factors that the Secretary of the Arkansas Agriculture Department deems necessary.

(e)(1) The department shall prepare an annual progress report on grant"

AND

Page 4, line 33, delete "(d)(1)" and substitute "(f)(1)"

AND

Page 5, line 3, delete “(e)(1)” and substitute “(g)(1)”

AND

Page 5, line 9, delete “(f)” and substitute “(h)”

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1379 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1387 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1387

Amend House Bill No. 1387 as engrossed, H2/15/07:

Page 2, delete line 19, and substitute the following:
"(b) A clause"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 23 and 24, and substitute the following:
"or public construction agreement is required to indemnify, defend, or hold harmless another party against"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 31 through 36

AND

Page 3, delete line 1

AND

Page 3, line 2, delete "(d)" and substitute "(c)"

AND

Page 3, line 7, delete "(e)" and substitute "(d)"

AND

Page 3, line 11, insert the following language:
"(e) This section shall not apply to a public construction contract or public construction agreement in which:
(1) The first party indemnifies, defends, or holds harmless the second party from the first party's negligence or fault or from the negligence or fault of the first party's agent, representative, subcontractor or supplier;
(2) The first party requires the second party to provide liability insurance coverage for the first party's negligence or fault if the public construction contract or public construction agreement requires the second party to obtain insurance and the public construction contract or public construction agreement limits the second party's obligation to the cost of the required insurance;
(3) The first party requires the second party to provide liability insurance coverage for the first party's negligence or fault under a separate insurance contract with an insurance provider; or
(4) The first party requires the second party to name the first party as an additional insured as a part of the public construction agreement or public construction contract."

AND

Page 4, delete line 5, and substitute the following:
"(b) A clause"

AND

Page 4, delete line 9, and substitute the following:
"agreement is required to indemnify."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 17 through 23

AND

Page 4, line 24, delete "(d)" and substitute "(c)"

AND

Page 4, line 28, delete "(e)" and substitute "(d)"

AND

Page 4, line 32, insert the following language:

"(e) This section shall not apply to a construction contract or construction agreement in which:

(1) The first party indemnifies, defends, or holds harmless the second party from the first party's negligence or fault or from the negligence or fault of the first party's agent, representative, subcontractor or supplier;

(2) The first party requires the second party to provide liability insurance coverage for the first party's negligence or fault if the construction contract or construction agreement requires the second party to obtain insurance and the construction contract or construction agreement limits the second party's obligation to the cost of the required insurance;

(3) The first party requires the second party to provide liability insurance coverage for the first party's negligence or fault under a separate insurance contract with an insurance provider; or

(4) The first party requires the second party to name the first party as an additional insured as a part of the construction agreement or construction contract."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1387 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1633 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1633

Amend House Bill No. 1633 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 11-13 and substitute the following:

"(b) For the 2008-2009 school year, an additional thirty-six dollars ($36.00) multiplied by the school district's average daily membership for the previous school year, which when added to the funding under subdivision

(a)(2)(C)(i)(a) of this section represents an approximate total for the 2008-2009 school year of eighty-seven dollars ($87.00) per average daily membership."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1633 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1632 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1 and No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1632

Amend House Bill No. 1632 as engrossed, H2/23/07:

Add Representatives Adcock, Allen, Anderson, T. Baker, Berry, Bond, Breedlove, E. Brown, J. Brown, Burkes, Burris, Cash, Chesterfield, Cooper, Cornwell, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, S. Dobbins, Dunn, Edwards, D. Evans, L. Evans, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardwick, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Jeffrey, D. Johnson, Key, Kidd, King, W. Lewellen, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, Maxwell, Medley, Moore, Overbey, Pace, Pate, Patterson, Pennartz, Pierce, Powers, S. Prater, Pyle, Ragland, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, Rogers, Sample, Schulte, Shelby, L. Smith, Stewart, Sullivan, Sumpter, Thyer, Webb, Wells, Wills, Woods, Wyatt as cosponsors of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1632

Amend House Bill No. 1632 as engrossed, H2/23/07:

Page 2, delete lines 12 through 15 and substitute the following:

"(B) ~~funds~~ Funds received by the school district in lieu of taxes, and local sales and use taxes dedicated to education pursuant to ~~§~~§§ 26-74-201 et seq., § 26-74-301 et seq., § 26-75-301 et seq., and the Local Government Bond Act of 1985, § 14-164-301 et seq.;"

AND

Page 3, delete line 17 and substitute the following:

"(16) "Quarterly average daily membership" means the average daily membership for one (1) quarter of a school year used for calculating student growth funding and as determined by rule established by the Department of Education;

(17)(A) "Revenues" means:"

AND

Page 3, line 33, delete "~~(15)~~(17)" and substitute "~~(15)~~(18)"

AND

Page 4, line 3, delete "~~(16)~~(18)" and substitute "~~(16)~~(19)"

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete "~~(17)~~(19)" and substitute "~~(17)~~(20)"

AND

Page 4, line 14, delete "~~(18)~~(20)" and substitute "~~(18)~~(21)"

AND

Page 4, line 20, delete "~~(19)(A)~~(21)" and substitute "~~(19)(A)~~(22)"

AND

Page 4, line 31, delete "~~(20)~~(22)" and substitute "~~(20)~~(23)"

AND

Page 4, line 34, delete "~~(21)~~(23)" and substitute "~~(21)~~(24)"

AND

Page 5, line 2, delete "~~(22)~~(24)" and substitute "~~(22)~~(25)"

AND

Page 9, delete line 3 and substitute the following:
"skills for improving teaching practices and student academic achievement and training for school bus drivers as"

AND

Page 10, line 19, delete "subdivision (c)(2)(B)(i) of this section" and substitute "subdivision (c)(B)(ii)(a) of this section"

AND

Page 12, delete lines 22 through 36

AND

Page 13, delete lines 1 through 29 and substitute the following:
"(b) In school year 2007-2008, each school district in the state shall have in place a salary schedule with at least the following minimum levels of compensation for a basic contract:

Years of Experience	BA Degree Salary	MA Degree Salary
0	$28,897	$33,231
1	29,347	33,731
2	29,797	34,231
3	30,247	34,731
4	30,697	35,231
5	31,147	35,731
6	31,597	36,231
7	32,047	36,731
8	32,497	37,231
9	32,947	37,731
10	33,397	38,231
11	33,847	38,731
12	34,297	39,231
13	34,747	39,731
14	35,197	40,231
15	35,647	40,731

(c) In school year ~~2006-2007~~ 2008-2009 and each school year thereafter, each school district in the state shall have in place a salary schedule with at least the following minimum levels of compensation for a basic contract:

Years of Experience	BA Degree Salary	MA Degree Salary
0	$29,244	$33,630
1	29,694	34,130
2	30,144	34,630
3	30,594	35,130
4	31,044	35,630
5	31,494	36,130
6	31,944	36,630
7	32,394	37,130
8	32,844	37,630
9	33,294	38,130
10	33,744	38,630
11	34,194	39,130
12	34,644	39,630
13	35,094	40,130
14	35,544	40,630
15	35,994	41,130"

(SIGNED SENATOR BROADWAY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1632 was ordered engrossed.

SENATE BILL NO. 778
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE EDUCATION CODE IN ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 6; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 778 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 779
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ABOLISH THE ABSTRACTERS' BOARD OF EXAMINERS AND TRANSFER ITS POWERS AND DUTIES TO THE ARKANSAS TITLE INSURANCE AGENTS' LICENSING BOARD; TO RECONSTITUTE THE ARKANSAS TITLE INSURANCE AGENTS' LICENSING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 779 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 780
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PHASE OUT THE ARKANSAS UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND; TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS HIGH COST FUND; TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE TRANSITION FROM THE ARKANSAS UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND TO THE ARKANSAS HIGH COST FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 780 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 781
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE CONSISTENCY IN THE STATUTORY LANGUAGE REGARDING PRIOR ALCOHOL-RELATED OFFENSES TO CONSIDER WHEN SUSPENDING OR REVOKING DRIVING PRIVILEGES; TO TREAT CONVICTIONS FOR ALCOHOL-RELATED OFFENSES IN OTHER STATES THAT ARE REPORTED UNDER THE RECIPROCAL SYSTEM AS IF THE OFFENSE HAD HAPPENED IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 781 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 782
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS AMENDMENTS TO THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 782 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 783
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BISBEE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ANDERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT RESIDENTIAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS BE GIVEN NOTICE AND AN OPPORTUNITY TO REPAIR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 783 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 784

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS MALONE AND ALTES

BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, ABERNATHY, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MOTOR VEHICLE CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT REGARDING FEES CHARGED FOR HANDLING AND PROCESSING THE SALE OR LEASE OF A NEW OR USED MOTOR VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 784 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 227 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 227

As Engrossed: S2/20/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINS

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ROSENBAUM AND SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF MOTORISTS ON HIGHWAYS AND ROADS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS BY MAKING THE MANDATORY SEAT BELT LAW A PRIMARY LAW FOR ENFORCEMENT PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Taylor spoke against the Bill.

Senator Glover spoke for the Bill.

Senator Johnson spoke for the Bill.

Senator Steele spoke for the Bill.

Senator Hendren spoke for the Bill.

Senator Jimmy Jeffress spoke for the Bill.

Senate Bill No. 227 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Brown, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Madison, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, R. Thompson, Trusty, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 24

NEGATIVE: Broadway, Faris, Laverty, B. Pritchard, J. Taylor, Whitaker.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Argue, Bryles, Hill, Luker, Malone.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 30

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Wilkins moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 227 passed be reconsidered and that motion be laid upon the table, which motion prevailed and the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

Senate Bill No. 227 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

Senate Bill No. 182 returned from the House as requested.

Senator Altes moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 182 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 182 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator BOOKOUT, Senate Bill No. 275 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 275
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING THE DOCUMENTS AND INFORMATION REQUIRED TO BE FILED WITH THE BURIAL ASSOCIATION BOARD WHEN APPLYING FOR A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 275 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 275 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 390

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF INSTITUTIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 769 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Smith, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 769 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Womack, House Bill No. 1423 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1423

As Engrossed: S2/21/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE FAMILY SAVINGS INITIATIVE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1423 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1423 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1437 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1437

As Engrossed: H2/20/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHELBY *ET AL*,

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE PROCEDURES CONCERNING CORONER'S DEATH INVESTIGATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1437 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1437 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 1503 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1503
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE INDIVIDUAL SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS ADVISORY COMMITTEE; TO EMPOWER THE COMMITTEE TO ENFORCE RULES PERTAINING TO INDIVIDUAL SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1503 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1503 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1206 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1206

As Engrossed: S2/27/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A PERMIT FOR THE MOVEMENT OF EARTHMOVING EQUIPMENT THAT IS A TRACTOR WITH A DIRT PAN IN TOW UPON THE STATE HIGHWAYS IF THE OWNER IS PRIMARILY ENGAGED IN FARMING OR EARTHMOVING OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1206 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1206 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, House Bill No. 1413 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1413

As Engrossed: S2/27/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYE, L. COWLING ET AL

BY: SENATOR BISBEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE STATUTE CONCERNING REGULATION OF UNSANITARY CONDITIONS BY COUNTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1413 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1413 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Bisbee Senate Bill No. 79 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1524 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1524
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1524 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1524 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Taylor, House Bill No. 1499 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1499
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE MUNICIPAL POPULATION REQUIREMENT TO GIVE MORE CITIES THE AUTHORITY TO FILL VACANCIES IN CERTAIN ALDERMAN POSITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1499 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1499 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1443 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1443

As Engrossed: H2/14/07 S2/27/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ANDERSON, PETRUS, ET AL

BY: SENATORS STEELE, BISBEE, *ARGUE, BAKER, BROADWAY, CRITCHER, FARIS, HORN, J. JEFFRESS, LUKER, B. PRITCHARD, T. SMITH, TRUSTY, WHITAKER & WOMACK*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE INCOME TAX RELIEF FOR TAXPAYERS WITH INCOME BELOW THE FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL; TO PROVIDE INCOME TAX RELIEF FOR OTHER LOW INCOME TAX RESIDENTS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1443 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1443 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 255 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 255

Amend Senate Bill No. 255 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 6, delete "1" and substitute "2"

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete "4" and substitute "5"

AND

Page 2, line 10, delete "59" and substitute "61"

AND

Page 2, line 12, delete "27" and substitute "31"

AND

Page 2, line 13, delete " 71" and substitute " 78"

AND

Page 2, line 14, delete "220" and substitute "235"

AND

Page 2, line 24, delete "$ 11,657,973 $ 11,891,042" and substitute "$ 12,868,384 $ 13,125,683"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "3,284,741 3,331,936" and substitute "3,860,515 3,937,705"

AND

Page 2, line 27, delete "$ 14,947,514 $ 15,227,778" and substitute "$ 16,733,699 $ 17,068,188".

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHAWN A. WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 255 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 379, BY SENATOR MILLER, ET AL,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 379 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 785
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS WOMACK AND ARGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE INFLATION ADJUSTMENTS IN THE AMOUNTS FOR LEGISLATIVE EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT, IN LIEU OF PER DIEM PAYMENTS, AND EXTRA COMPENSATION FOR CHAIRS AND COCHAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 785 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 379, BY SENATOR MILLER,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL G. MILLER
CHAIRMAN
SENATORS PAUL MILLER, TERRY SMITH,
PAUL BOOKOUT, PERCY MALONE,
BARBARA HORN, JACK CRITCHER &
BOB JOHNSON

Senate Bill No. 5 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 247 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 272 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE BILL NO. 786
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE THE LICENSURE REQUIREMENT FOR FLIGHT INSTRUCTORS AND FLIGHT SCHOOLS LICENSED UNDER APPROPRIATE FEDERAL AVIATION AUTHORITY REGULATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 786 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 787
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE ANNUAL CAREER SERVICE RECOGNITION PAYMENTS FOR STATE EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 787 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 788
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT A MERIT INCREASE PAY SYSTEM BASED ON EMPLOYEE PERFORMANCE EVALUATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 788 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 789
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE ACT OF 2005 TO DISTINGUISH PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS WITH A DISTINCTIVE SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 789 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 790
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE REGULATION BY THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION OF OIL, GAS, AND BRINE PRODUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 790 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 791
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MILLER, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, T. SMITH, LAVERTY, BRYLES & HILL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FUNDING FORMULA MODEL FOR TWO-YEAR COLLEGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 791 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 792
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SALES AND USE TAX LAW IN ORDER TO PROVIDE CONSISTENCY WITH THE STREAMLINED SALES AND USE TAX AGREEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 792 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1010
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY
BY: SENATORS LAVERTY AND WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: COMMENDING THE CLARKSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS GOLF TEAM ON WINNING THE 4AAAA STATE TITLE.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1010 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1015
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOK, BREEDLOVE, GLIDEWELL, ET AL

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION AFFIRMING THE COMMITMENT OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS TO RECYCLING AS THE PRIMARY METHOD FOR WASTE MANAGEMENT, RESOURCE RECOVERY, AND PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1487
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, E. BROWN, CASH, ET AL
BY: SENATOR BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE EARLY LITERACY SKILLS OF ARKANSAS CHILDREN BY CREATING A LITERACY SKILLS COMPONENT TO THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1487 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1535
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REORGANIZE THE PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL INSURANCE FUND AND THE SCHOOL VEHICLE INSURANCE RESERVE TRUST FUND INTO ONE (1) FUND; TO PROVIDE GREATER FINANCIAL STABILITY AND FLEXIBILITY TO THE FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1535 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1577

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW TO RECONCILE THE PROVISIONS REGARDING INFORMATION REQUIRED TO OBTAIN A DRIVER'S LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1577 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1579

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SPEED LIMITS AND TRAFFIC-CONTROL DEVICES ON COUNTY ROADS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1579 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1580
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ROSENBAUM
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE HOLDERS OF DISABLED VETERAN SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES TO PARK IN AREAS DESIGNATED ONLY FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1580 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1622
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 26-52-506 TO CLARIFY THAT ALL TAXABLE SERVICES MAY BE PURCHASED TAX FREE AS A SALE FOR RESALE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1622 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1660
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE SUSPENSION OF DRIVER'S LICENSE FOR THE OFFENSE OF POSSESSION OF FRAUDULENT OR ALTERED PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1660 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1699
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MINIMUM WAGE AND OVERTIME LAW TO PARALLEL CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE AND OVERTIME LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1699 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1759
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT A STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION FROM THE SHIELDED OUTDOOR LIGHTING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1759 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1810
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SALES AND USE TAX LAW PERTAINING TO THE TAXABILITY OF THE LEASE OR RENTAL OF PORTABLE TOILETS AND ASSOCIATED SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1810 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1410

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PACE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES TO ADOPT A POLICY PROHIBITING THE INTEGRATION OF HARDWARE, SOFTWARE, OR PERIPHERALS WITHOUT THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE STATE AGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1410 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1493

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADOPT REVISED ARTICLE 7 OF THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE CONCERNING DOCUMENTS OF TITLE; TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES TO EXISTING LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1493 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1566
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCORPORATE REQUIREMENTS OF THE FEDERAL ENERGY POLICY ACT OF 2005 REGARDING UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1566 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1567
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ENHANCED PENALTIES FOR PERSONS SELLING A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE AT OR NEAR SCHOOL BUS STOPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1567 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1569

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WALTERS, BREEDLOVE, D. CREEKMORE, ET AL

BY: SENATORS WILKINSON, ALTES & TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE PENALTIES FOR OBSCENITY OFFENSES UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1569 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1715

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE FILING FEE IN CERTAIN ACTIONS FILED IN THE SUPREME COURT OR THE COURT OF APPEALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1715 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 255, BY JOINT BUDGET,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 255 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 357, BY SENATOR HORN,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1379, BY REPRESENTATIVE PETRUS, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1387, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE, et al,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1455, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOND, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1387 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1455 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1632, BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY, et al,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1633, BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1632 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1633 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Senate Bill No. 202 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 202 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 224 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 224 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 230 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 230 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 28, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 57, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 90, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 171, BY SENATORS BAKER, BROADWAY,

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 3:15 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY"HANK"WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 57
SENATE BILL NO. 90
SENATE BILL NO. 171

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 28th day of February, 2005 at 3:15 p.m..

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Marc Harrison
Secretary

SENATE BILL NO. 793
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A REFUND FOR NONDYED DIESEL PURCHASES OF FUEL FOR THE OFF-ROAD PURPOSE OF REFRIGERATION OF TRANSPORTED GOODS; AND OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 793 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 794
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CRUELTY TO ANIMALS AND RELATED OFFENSES; CONCERNING ANIMAL MANAGEMENT PRACTICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 794 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 795
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS WILKINS, CRITCHER & LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LEVY AN EXCISE TAX ON LIQUOR, BEER, AND WINE SOLD IN ARKANSAS; TO PROVIDE AN ARKANSAS SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAMS TRUST FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 795 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 796
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING COMMUNITY CORRECTION TRANSFER ELIGIBILITY FOR OFFENDERS TRANSFERRED BACK TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REASONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 796 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 797
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR CONTRACTORS FOR CERTAIN EXPENDITURES INCURRED IN CONSTRUCTION OF ENERGY-EFFICIENT RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 797 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 798
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE REVISED UNIFORM ANATOMICAL GIFT ACT TO PROVIDE A UNIFORM PROGRAM FOR POST-MORTEM DONATIONS OF ALL OR PART OF A HUMAN BODY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 798 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 79
SENATE BILL NO. 227
SENATE BILL NO. 275
SENATE BILL NO. 390

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION 3

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1437
HOUSE BILL NO. 1499
HOUSE BILL NO. 1503
HOUSE BILL NO. 1524

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1206 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1413 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1423 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1443 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 5
SENATE BILL NO. 247
SENATE BILL NO. 272

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 202 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 224 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 230 AS AMENDED NO. 3

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED

SENATE BILL NO. 182 AS REQUESTED

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1410
HOUSE BILL NO. 1487
HOUSE BILL NO. 1493
HOUSE BILL NO. 1535
HOUSE BILL NO. 1566
HOUSE BILL NO. 1567
HOUSE BILL NO. 1577
HOUSE BILL NO. 1569
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1622
HOUSE BILL NO. 1660
HOUSE BILL NO. 1699
HOUSE BILL NO. 1715
HOUSE BILL NO. 1759
HOUSE BILL NO. 1810

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1010
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1015

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 1, 2007.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FIFTY-THIRD DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 1, 2007

The Senate was called to order at 11:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

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

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

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Crumbly.

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

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

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 196 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 196

Amend Senate Bill No. 196 as engrossed, S2/15/07:

Page 3, delete line 17 and substitute:

"same household as the driver.

(6) A driver with an intermediate driver's license shall not operate a motor vehicle on public streets or highways between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. unless the driver is:

(A) Accompanied by a licensed driver who is twenty-one (21) years of age or older;

(B) Driving to or from a school activity or a job; or

(C) Driving for an emergency."

AND

Page 5, delete line 22 and substitute:

"same household as the applicant; and

(9)(A) An acknowledgment signed by the applicant for an intermediate driver's license that the applicant shall not operate a motor vehicle on public streets or highways between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. unless the applicant is:

(i) Accompanied by a licensed driver who is twenty-one (21) years of age or older;

(ii) Driving to or from a school activity or a job; or

(iii) Driving for an emergency."

AND

Renumber the sections of the bill, if appropriate

(SIGNED) J. JEFFRESS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 196 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 637 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 637

Amend Senate Bill No. 637 as originally introduced:

By adding Representative Lewellen as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA HUNTER BROWN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 637 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 638 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 638

Amend Senate Bill No. 638 as originally introduced:

By adding Representative Dobbins, Lewellen as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA HUNTER BROWN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 638 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 147 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 147

Amend Senate Bill No. 147 as originally introduced:

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-8-212 is amended to read as follows:

24-8-212. Credited service - Transfer of service as municipal ~~judge~~ officer.

(a) As used in this section, "municipal officer" means:

(1) A mayor;

(2) An alderman;

(3) A city clerk;

(4) A city attorney; or

(5) A municipal judge.

(b) Any person who ~~shall have~~ has served as a municipal ~~judge in any municipal court~~ officer in this state and who holds credited service therefor in any retirement system or retirement fund is authorized to transfer his or her credited services in the retirement system or retirement fund to the Arkansas Judicial Retirement System by:

(1) Notifying, in writing, the administrative body of each retirement ~~plan~~ system of his or her intention to transfer his or her tenure;

(2) Authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Judicial Retirement System or appropriate administrative body of his the retirement system to transfer to the ~~system~~ Arkansas Judicial Retirement System any sums of money paid for his or her retirement to the retirement fund or retirement system by the municipal ~~judge~~ officer and, at the option of the city council or board of directors, to transfer to the ~~system~~ Arkansas Judicial Retirement System the court costs collected during his or her tenure as a municipal ~~judge~~ officer; and

(3)(A) Paying into the retirement system an amount of money he or she would have paid into the retirement system for an equal amount of tenure as a ~~judge of the court to which he has been elected~~ municipal officer, less the amount of money from his present retirement system as authorized in this section.

(B) Upon transferring the credited service from his or her present retirement fund or retirement system, the person shall be given credited service in the ~~system~~ Arkansas Judicial Retirement System for an equal number of years of credited service for which he or she has qualified under any other ~~plan or system~~ retirement fund or retirement system to which he or she has belonged by reason of his or her service as a municipal ~~judge~~ officer.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 24, Chapter 8, Subchapter 8 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

24-8-825. Credited service - Transfer of service as municipal officer.

(a) As used in this section, "municipal officer" means:

(1) A mayor;

(2) An alderman;

(3) A city clerk;

(4) A city attorney; or

(5) A municipal judge.

(b) Any person who has served as a municipal officer in this state and who holds credited service therefor in any retirement system or retirement fund is authorized to transfer his or her credited services in the retirement system or retirement fund to the Arkansas District Judge Retirement System by:

(1) Notifying, in writing, the administrative body of each retirement system of his or her intention to transfer his or her tenure;

(2) Authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas District Judge Retirement System or appropriate administrative body of the retirement system to transfer to the Arkansas District Judge Retirement System any sums of money paid for his or her retirement to the retirement fund or retirement system by the municipal officer and, at the option of the city council or board of directors, to transfer to the Arkansas District Judge Retirement System the court costs collected during his or her tenure as a municipal officer; and

(3)(A) Paying into the retirement system an amount of money he or she would have paid into the retirement system for an equal amount of tenure as a municipal officer, less the amount of money from his or her present retirement system as authorized in this section.

(B) Upon transferring the credited service from his or her present retirement fund or retirement system, the person shall be given credited service in the Arkansas District Judge Retirement System for an equal number of years of credited service for which he or she has qualified under any other retirement fund or retirement system to which he or she has belonged by reason of his or her service as a municipal officer."

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 147 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 373 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 373

Amend Senate Bill No. 373 as originally introduced:

Remove Senator Salmon as a co-sponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA HUNTER BROWN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 373 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 376 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 376

Amend Senate Bill No. 376 as originally introduced:

Remove Senator Salmon as a co-sponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA HUNTER BROWN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 376 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 375 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 375

Amend Senate Bill No. 375 as originally introduced:

Remove Senator Salmon as a co-sponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA HUNTER BROWN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 375 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 374 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 374

Amend Senate Bill No. 374 as originally introduced:

Remove Senator Salmon as a co-sponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA HUNTER BROWN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 374 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 372 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 372

Amend Senate Bill No. 372 as originally introduced:

Remove Senator Salmon as a co-sponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA HUNTER BROWN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 372 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 377 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 377

Amend Senate Bill No. 377 as originally introduced:

Remove Senator Salmon as a co-sponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR IRMA HUNTER BROWN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 377 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 380 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

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

Amend Senate Bill No. 380 as engrossed, S2/27/07:

Page 1, line 21, delete “§ 7-5-102” and substitute “§ 7-4-102”

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 380 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 306 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 306

Amend Senate Bill No. 306 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 10 and 11 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR VISION SCREENING PROGRAM OPERATING"

And

Page 1, delete lines 17 and 18 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION"

And

Page 1, delete lines 27 and 28 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"appropriated, to the Department of Education, to be payable from the School-Age Children Eye and Vision Care Fund,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 306 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 760 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 760

Amend Senate Bill No. 760 as originally introduced:

Page 1, insert additional subsections immediately following Section 1, subsection (A) to read as follows:

" (B) For providing grants to senior citizens centers in Crawford County, Franklin County and Washington County (Winslow and Morrow), the sum of..... .....$100,000.

(C) For providing community grants to the Uniontown area for improvements, additions, lighting, and equipment, the sum of.....$25,000."

(SIGNED) SENATOR RUTH WHITAKER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 760 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 182 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 182

Amend Senate Bill No. 182 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 27 through 33, and substitute the following:
"material harmful to minors if:

(i) The material is kept behind devices commonly known as "blinder racks" so that the lower two-thirds (2/3) of the material is not exposed to view; ~~and~~ or

(ii) ~~The material is segregated in a manner that physically prohibits access to the material by a minor~~ Material harmful to minors is not contained on the front cover, back cover, or binding of the displayed material;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALTES

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 182 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 15 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1, No. 2 and No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 15

Amend Senate Bill No. 15 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Trusty, Altes, Faris, and Taylor as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 15

Amend Senate Bill No. 15 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Allen, Berry, Cook, Creekmore, Dickinson, Dunn, L. Evans, George, Green, Hardwick, Harris, Hoyt, Jeffrey, Key, Kidd, King, Lamoureux, M. Martin, Maxwell, Medley, Patterson, Prater, Ragland, Reynolds, Rosenbaum, Sumpter, and Wills as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 15 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 15

Amend Senate Bill No. 15 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 13 of the TITLE in its entirety and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO REPLACE THE GROSS RECEIPTS TAX ON MINI-WAREHOUSE AND SELF-STORAGE RENTAL SERVICES WITH A SPECIAL EXCISE TAX TO BE PHASED OUT IN THREE YEARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 19 of the SUBTITLE in its entirety and substitute the following:
"TO REPLACE THE GROSS RECEIPTS TAX ON MINI-WAREHOUSE AND SELF-STORAGE RENTAL SERVICES WITH A SPECIAL EXCISE TAX TO BE PHASED OUT IN THREE YEARS."

AND

Page 1, line 23, add the following new section:

"SECTION 1. Title 26 of the Arkansas Code is amended to add a new chapter to read as follows:

SUBCHAPTER 1 – GENERAL PROVISIONS

26-64-101. Title.

This chapter shall be known and may be cited as “Arkansas Special Excise Tax on Mini-Warehouse and Self-Storage Rental Services”.

26-64-102. Definitions.

As used in this chapter:

(a)(1) “Mini-warehouse and self-storage rental services” means providing a secured area such as a building, a room in a building, locker, compartment, container, or a secured area within a building for the purpose of storing tangible personal property in which the consumer customarily stores and removes the consumer’s tangible personal property on a self-service basis. This term includes, but is not limited to, storage lockers or storage units in apartment complexes (if the locker or unit is utilized at the option of a tenant upon payment of a fee in addition to the apartment rental), amusement parks, water parks, recreational facilities, and other public locations where lockers are rented for self-storage.

(2) “Mini-warehouse and self-storage rental services” shall not include:

(A) General warehousing and storage, where the warehouse is engaged in the operation of receiving, handling, and storing property for others using the warehouse’s staff and equipment, and does not allow the consumer of the service separate access to the storage area used to hold the property; and

(B) Storage incidental to the lease of real property used for purposes other than the storage of tangible personal property.

(b) “Director” means the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration, or any of his or her authorized agents;

(c) “Gross receipts” or “gross proceeds” means the total amount of consideration for the sale of tangible personal property and such services as are provided for in this act, whether the consideration is in money or otherwise, without any deduction on account of the cost of the properties sold, labor service performed, interest paid, losses, or any expenses whatsoever.

26-64-103. Tax additional to other taxes.

The tax levied by this chapter shall be in addition to any other tax except as otherwise provided in this chapter.

26-64-104. Administration - Rules and regulations.

(a) The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall administer this chapter.

(b) The director shall prescribe forms and promulgate rules for the proper enforcement of this chapter, including without limitation the manner and time the taxes levied by this chapter shall be collected, reported, and paid, and how a sale will be sourced.

26-64-105. Disposition of taxes, interest, and penalties.

The taxes levied in this chapter, including any associated interest, penalties and costs levied pursuant to Arkansas law, shall be distributed as follows:

(a) Seventy-six and six-tenths percent (76.6%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall be deposited as general revenues;

(b) Eight and one-half percent (8.5%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the director shall be deposited into the Property Tax Relief Trust Fund; and

(c) Fourteen and nine-tenths percent (14.9%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the director shall be deposited into the Educational Adequacy Fund.

SUBCHAPTER 2 – REGISTRATION – DISCOUNT – EXEMPTION -- PROCEDURES.

26-64-201. Registration required.

(a) It is unlawful for any taxpayer to transact business within this state prior to registering with the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration.

(b) The director may promulgate rules to implement this section.

26-64-202. Discount for prompt payment.

A taxpayer filing a report for a tax due under this chapter is eligible for the discount for prompt payment pursuant to § 26-52-503.

26-64-203. Exemptions generally.

A tax levied by this chapter is exempted from taxation in the same manner as the gross receipts tax levied by the Arkansas Gross Receipts Act of 1941, § 26-52-101 et seq.

26-64-204. Applicability of tax procedure provisions.

Any proceeding related to the registration, collection, reporting, payment, or protest of the taxes levied under this chapter is governed by the Arkansas Tax Procedure Act, § 26-18-101 et seq.

SUBCHAPTER 3. SPECIAL EXCISE TAX ON MINI-WAREHOUSE AND SELF-STORAGE RENTAL SERVICES.

26-64-301. Tax Levied.

(a)(1) Beginning July 1, 2007, there is levied an excise tax on the gross receipts or gross proceeds derived from mini-warehouse and self-storage rental services at the rate of four and one-half percent (4.5%).

(2) Beginning July 1, 2008, the tax levied in subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be levied at the rate of three percent (3%).

(3) Beginning July 1, 2009, the tax levied in subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be levied at the rate of one and one-half percent (1.5%).

(4) Beginning July 1, 2010, the tax levied in subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be levied at the rate of zero percent (0%)."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 24 and 25, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 2. Effective July 1, 2007, Arkansas Code § 26-52-316(a) is amended to read as follows:"

AND

Page 2, line 18, add the following section:

"SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the Eighty-Sixth General Assembly that mini-warehouse and self-storage businesses provide the citizens of the State of Arkansas with an affordable, convenient alternative for safely storing family and business records, in effect creating an extension of the family home or apartment; that the gross receipts tax on such services unfairly targets the poor and middle classes of the State who are less able to safely store such items at their residences or at the site of their small businesses; that the gross receipts tax on such services in effect places a recurring tax burden for the storage of items on which the tax was long ago paid by the consumer; and that the rate reduction and eventual elimination provided by this special excise tax are necessary to alleviate this burden. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act, being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, shall become effective July 1, 2007."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 15 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 362 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 362

Amend Senate Bill No. 362 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 30, delete "$75,000" and insert therefore "$50,000".

(SIGNED) SENATOR JACK CRUMBLY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 362 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. JEFFRESS, Senate Bill No. 115 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 115

Amend Senate Bill No. 115 as engrossed, S2/28/07:

Page 2, delete line 29 and substitute the following:
"employer and employee contribution.

(C) Contributions to the system under this section shall be nonrefundable."

AND

Page 3, delete line 9 and substitute the following:
“employer and employee contribution.

(C) Contributions to the system under this section shall be nonrefundable.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 115 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 660 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 660

Amend Senate Bill No. 660 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 26 and substitute:

"~~four hundred dollars ($400)~~ one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) per month in"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL BOOKOUT

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 660 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 361 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 361

Amend Senate Bill No. 361 as originally introduced:

Delete Senators Crumbly and Madison as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 361 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 15, BY SENATOR GLOVER, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 15 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 115, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 147, BY SENATOR WILKINS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 115 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 147 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 182, BY SENATOR ALTES,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 182 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 196, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 196 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 306, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 362, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 638, BY SENATOR BROWN,
SENATE BILL NO. 760, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 306 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 362 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 638 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 760 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 361, BY SENATOR HORN, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 361 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 372, BY SENATOR BROWN, et al,
SENATE BILL NO. 373, BY SENATOR BROWN, et al,
SENATE BILL NO. 374, BY SENATOR BROWN, et al,
SENATE BILL NO. 375, BY SENATOR BROWN, et al,
SENATE BILL NO. 376, BY SENATOR BROWN, et al,
SENATE BILL NO. 377, BY SENATOR BROWN, et al,
SENATE BILL NO. 637, BY SENATOR BROWN,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 372 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 373 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 374 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 375 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 376 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 377 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Brown, Senate Bill No. 637 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 380, BY SENATOR SALMON,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 380 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 660, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 660 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 206, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012,
BY REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 259, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHAWN A. WOMACK
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 31, BY SENATOR SUE MADISON,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1455, BY REPRESENTATIVE BOND,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 368, BY SENATOR WILKINSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 588, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 600, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 765, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 767, BY SENATOR SALMON,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 16, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1 and No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 229, BY SENATOR FARIS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1439, BY REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 799
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE “TIRE SAFETY ACT OF 2007”; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 799 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 800

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WOMACK

BY: REPRESENTATIVE KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY TO WAIVE PERMIT FEES FOR PHARMACY TECHNICIANS WORKING AS VOLUNTEERS IN CHARITABLE CLINICS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 800 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 801

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HILL AND CAPPS

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SULLIVAN AND MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE FAIR AND LIVESTOCK SHOW ASSOCIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 801 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Concurrent Resolution 11 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
Arkansas Senate
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate
Senate Fiscal Officer
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

March 1, 2007

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Concurrent Resolution 11.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

Senator Whitaker discussed possible Senate rule changes to the Body.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, Senate Concurrent Resolution 13 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BREEDLOVE AND WALTERS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE CHARLES E. OSBORN AGENCY, INC., OF GREENWOOD, ARKANSAS, ON CELEBRATING ONE HUNDRED (100) YEARS IN THE INSURANCE BUSINESS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Luker, the rules were suspended in considering House Concurrent Resolution 1012 at this time.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAGLAND AND NORTON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE SEVENTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS; URGING RENEWED VIGILANCE IN THE PROTECTION OF PRIVATE PROPERTY RIGHTS; AND URGING FEDERAL AND STATE AGENCIES TO RESPECT THE VALUE AND AUTHORITY OF CONSERVATION DISTRICTS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012 was read the third time and concurred in by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 4
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BISBEE AND HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PACE, HARDWICK, HARRIS, BURKES, ET AL

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF JUDGE TERRY CRABTREE AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE JUDICIARY AND TO THE PEOPLE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 4 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 802
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY ACT TO CLARIFY THE POWERS OF THE AUTHORITY WITH RESPECT TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL SERVICES BUSINESSES, TECHNOLOGY-BASED ENTERPRISES, AND TOURISM ENTERPRISES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 802 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 803
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE VARIOUS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES FOR THE CREATION AND PRESERVATION OF JOBS AND ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY AND TO RETAIN BUSINESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 803 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 804
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR A DISABLED VETERAN OR THE SURVIVING SPOUSE OR DEPENDANT MINOR CHILD OF A DISABLED VETERAN TO CLAIM A PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION; CONCERNING THE DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR CERTAIN OTHER MILITARY RELATED PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 804 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 805
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCEDURES CONCERNING THE NONCONSENSUAL TOWING OF A VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 805 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 806
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING NOTIFICATION OF THE COUNTY CORONER OF CERTAIN DEATHS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 806 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 807
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY SCHOOL FACILITIES LAW FOR HIGH-GROWTH SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 807 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 808
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO USE NET ATHLETIC EVENT GATE RECEIPTS TO PURCHASE AWARDS FOR STUDENT PARTICIPATION IN SCHOOL ATHLETIC EVENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 808 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 809
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE ACADEMIC FACILITIES EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 809 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 5
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EDWARDS, L. SMITH & HOUSE

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF BRITTANEY ANN ALLEN AND HER SERVICE TO THE GREAT STATE OF ARKANSAS; IN RECOGNITION OF THE BRITTANEY ANN FOUNDATION: AND TO ENCOURAGE PARENTS TO EDUCATE THEIR CHILDREN ON SAFETY ISSUES RELATED TO DRIVING.

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 5 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 810
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE EITHER PARENT'S ABILITY TO PROVIDE HEALTH INSURANCE AS A MATERIAL CHANGE OF CIRCUMSTANCES FOR CHILD SUPPORT MODIFICATION PURPOSES; TO REQUIRE THE PAYOR OF LUMP-SUM PAYMENTS OWED TO A PARENT WHO OWES PAST DUE CHILD SUPPORT TO DEDUCT AN AMOUNT TO BE APPLIED TO ACCRUED ARREARAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 810 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 811
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE REFERRALS FOR THE CRIMINAL PROSECUTION OF CERTAIN CASES OF NONPAYMENT OF CHILD SUPPORT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 811 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 812

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND § 14-233-108 TO INCREASE THE PER DIEM ALLOWANCE FOR A DIRECTOR OF THE BOARD OF A SANITATION AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 812 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 813

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT DEBT CANCELLATION AGREEMENTS ARE NOT INCLUDED IN THE DEFINITION OF INSURANCE UNDER THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 813 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 814
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PETRUS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT IF FEDERAL LAW AUTHORIZES THE STATE TO COLLECT SALES AND USE TAX FROM SELLERS WHO HAVE NO PHYSICAL PRESENCE IN THE STATE THEN THE TAXES COLLECTED FROM THOSE SELLERS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED PURSUANT TO THIS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 814 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 815
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE ACT OF 2005 TO DISTINGUISH PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS WITH A DISTINCTIVE SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 815 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 816

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR PERSONAL REIMBURSEMENT TO STATE EMPLOYEES FOR THE PAYMENT OF TIPS WHILE TRAVELING ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 816 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 817

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FEDERAL REIMBURSEMENTS OF EXPENSES PAID IN ADVANCE BY THE STATE ON BEHALF OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT; TO ALLOW REIMBURSEMENTS BY VENDORS OR THEIR AGENTS ON WARRANTIES, PRODUCT REBATES, AND SERVICE ADJUSTMENTS TO BE PROCESSED AS REFUNDS TO EXPENDITURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 817 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 818
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE CERTAIN DISCLOSURES ON GIFT CARDS AND GIFT CERTIFICATES; TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR FAILURE TO MAKE THE REQUIRED DISCLOSURES; TO INCLUDE GIFT CARDS AND GIFT CERTIFICATES UNDER THE UNCLAIMED PROPERTY ACT; TO CREATE A MISCELLANEOUS FUND FOR UNCLAIMED GIFT CARDS AND UNCLAIMED GIFT CERTIFICATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 818 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 819
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.

Senate Bill No. 819 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 820
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR PUBLIC GUARDIANSHIP OF INCAPACITATED ADULTS WHO OTHERWISE WOULD HAVE NO ONE TO MAKE AND COMMUNICATE DECISIONS NECESSARY FOR THE ADULT'S HEALTH, SAFETY, AND WELFARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 820 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 821
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE TIME BY WHICH THE CODE REVISION COMMISSION IS REQUIRED TO FILE DRAFTS OF CORRECTIVE LEGISLATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 821 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 822
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BAKER, ARGUE & BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY, KEY, EVERETT & NORTON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE SECTION 529 PLAN REVIEW COMMITTEE TO CREATE A PILOT PROGRAM TO BE KNOWN AS THE "ASPIRING SCHOLARS MATCHING GRANT PROGRAM" TO MATCH THE CONTRIBUTION MADE INTO AN ACCOUNT FOR A DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY ESTABLISHED UNDER THE ARKANSAS TAX-DEFERRED TUITION SAVINGS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 822 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 823
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE MAILING PROCEDURES FOR CERTAIN NOTICES FROM SUBURBAN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 823 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1011

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PACE

BY: SENATOR SALMON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION CONCERNING BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMUNICATION BY ELECTRONIC MAIL WITH MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1011 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1085

As Engrossed: H2/8/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE §§ 24-12-121, 24-12-123, 24-12-124, AND 24-12-127 TO ALLOW FOR COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENTS FOR THOSE MAYORS, CITY CLERK-TREASURERS, RECORDER-TREASURERS, AND TREASURERS IN CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS AND CITIES OF THE SECOND CLASS WHO RETIRE UNDER *STATE-AUTHORIZED LOCAL PLANS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND* FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1085 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1144
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE THYER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE HOUSE MEMBERSHIP OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, THE LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE, AND THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT BY THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE IF CERTAIN OFFICERS HAVE NOT BEEN ELECTED WHO WOULD BE EX OFFICIO MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1144 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1345
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOOD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT THE ORDERS OF CHILD CUSTODY AND VISITATION FOR PARENTS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES ARE NOT PERMANENTLY MODIFIED FOR THE SOLE REASON OF THE PARENT'S MILITARY MOBILIZATION; TO ALLOW COURTS TO TEMPORARILY MODIFY ORDERS OF CHILD CUSTODY AND VISITATION FOR PARENTS WHO ARE MILITARY MOBILIZED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1345 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1373
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOND
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE TO RECONCILE INCONSISTENCIES REGARDING THE MINIMUM AGE TO MARRY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1373 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1529
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEFFREY
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

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

House Bill No. 1529 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1536
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, WELLS, GEORGE, ET AL
BY: SENATORS WILKINSON, LAVERTY, ALTES, BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, CRITCHER, GLOVER, HENDREN, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, MILLER, B. PRITCHARD, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, TRUSTY & WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LIMIT THE LOCATION OF ADULT-ORIENTED BUSINESSES IN PROXIMITY TO LOCATIONS FREQUENTED BY CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1536 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1586
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY PROVISIONS RELATED TO THE ADVERTISING AND PROMOTION TAXES LEVIED BY CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS WITH A POPULATION OF FEWER THAN FIVE THOUSAND (5,000) TO ENSURE THAT THE TAXES ARE LEVIED AND COLLECTED ON ALL ENTITIES THAT PROVIDE LODGING AND TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE REPRESENTATION AND PROCEDURES FOR FILLING THE VACANCIES THAT OCCUR ON THESE CITIES' ADVERTISING AND PROMOTIONS COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1586 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1589
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PACE, BLOUNT, BERRY, COOK, ET AL
BY: SENATORS BOOKOUT, CAPPS, GLOVER, HENDREN, B. JOHNSON, J. TAYLOR, TRUSTY & WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENABLE THE USE OF ELECTRIC UTILITY POWER LINES TO DEPLOY BROADBAND NETWORKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1589 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1607
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCEDURE FOR THE COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT MUNICIPAL, COUNTY, DISTRICT, OR RURAL WATER OR WASTEWATER BILLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1607 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1693
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 8-5-208 TO EXTEND THE TIME A WASTEWATER OPERATOR'S LICENSE IS VALID; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1693 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1700
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GIVE A PARTNER, PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION MEMBER, OR LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY MEMBER THE SAME RIGHT TO WAIVE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE AS A SOLE PROPRIETOR AND A CORPORATE OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1700 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1707

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FILING OF A STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL INTEREST BY A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTIVE OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1707 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1718

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, ABERNATHY, L. COWLING, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MOTOR VEHICLE CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT REGARDING FEES CHARGED FOR HANDLING AND PROCESSING THE SALE OR LEASE OF A NEW OR USED MOTOR VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1718 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1931
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER WORKSTATION SOFTWARE UPGRADE AND DB2 CONVERSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1931 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1732
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. EVANS AND WOOD
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENTS; TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS OF THE FEDERAL SAFE DRINKING WATER ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1732 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1789
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS AND HOUSE
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ADVERTISING AND PROMOTION COMMISSIONS TO PURCHASE AND OWN PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1789 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1869
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE STORAGE OF WARRANTS BY THE AUDITOR OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1869 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1890
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE AN ANNUAL PERFORMANCE EVALUATION FOR STATE EMPLOYEES; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE ANNUAL EVALUATION PROCESS FOR STATE EMPLOYEES BY THE OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT OF THE DIVISION OF MANAGEMENT SERVICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1890 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE ARKANSAS CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION SUPPORT THE REPEAL OF THE REAL ID ACT OF 2005.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 824

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WOMACK

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPOSE DUTIES AND RESTRICTIONS ON CHECK-CASHERS AS RELATED TO MILITARY CUSTOMERS AND THEIR SPOUSES; TO IMPOSE PENALTIES FOR ROLLOVERS; TO ENCOURAGE AND PERMIT NO-FEE EXTENDED PAYOUTS; TO RESTRICT COLLECTION PRACTICES; TO OTHERWISE ENSURE FAIRNESS IN CHECK-CASHING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 824 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 825

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS WILKINS AND CRUMBLY

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, E. BROWN, DAVIS, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE WITH FUNERAL COSTS FOR NEEDY ARKANSANS; TO CREATE A BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO STUDY METHODS FOR PROVIDING FUNERAL ASSISTANCE TO NEEDY ARKANSANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 825 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 826
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-17-811 CONCERNING INCENTIVES FOR TEACHER RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION IN HIGH-PRIORITY DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 826 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 827
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE REGIONAL WATER DISTRIBUTION DISTRICT ACT, ACT 114 OF 1957, § 14-116-101 ET SEQ.; TO PROVIDE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 827 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 828

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF AUTOMATED TELEPHONE SOLICITATION FOR DEBT COLLECTION PURPOSES; TO PROHIBIT COLLECTION CALLS TO PERSONS OTHER THAN A DEBTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 828 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 20 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 5. Withdraw Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 5 to SENATE BILL NO. 20

Amend Senate Bill No. 20 as engrossed S2/1/07:

Page 2, delete lines 2 and 3 and substitute the following:
"(2)(A) “Dispenser” means a person who delivers Schedule II narcotics or Schedule III narcotics."

AND

Page 2, delete line 6 and substitute the following:
"Schedule II narcotics and Schedule III narcotics:"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 8 and 9 and substitute the following:
"care;

(b) For outpatient services, except for a pharmacy owned by a hospital that has a retail pharmacy permit; and

(c) At the time of discharge from a hospital;"

AND

Page 2, lines 12 through 14 and substitute the following:
"Schedule II narcotics or Schedule III narcotics; or

(iv) A wholesale distributor of Schedule II narcotics and Schedule III narcotics;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 24 through 28 and substitute the following:
"Schedule II narcotics or Schedule III narcotics for whom a prescription is issued or for whom a drug is dispensed, or both; and

(6) "Schedule II narcotics" means controlled substances that are placed in Schedule II under §5-64-205; and

(7) "Schedule III narcotics" means controlled substances that are placed in Schedule III under §5-64-207."

AND

Page 2, delete line 34 and substitute the following:
"(A) Schedule II narcotics and Schedule III narcotics; and"
AND

Page 3, line 7 delete "State Board of Health" and substitute "Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 12 through 14 and substitute the following:
"(b)(1) Each dispenser shall submit to the division information regarding prescription drugs as specified by the Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy.

(2) The Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy shall define:

(A) The methods, including electronic means, by which information regarding each prescription included under subsection (a) of this section shall be submitted to the division; and

(B) The types of data that shall be submitted to the division.

(3) The data specified by the Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy under subdivision (b)(2)(B) of this section may include:"

AND

Page 3, line 15, delete "(1)" and substitute "(A)"

AND

Page 3, line 16, delete "(2)" and substitute "(B)"

AND

Page 3, line 17, delete "(3)" and substitute "(C)"

AND

Page 3, line 18, delete "(4)" and substitute "(D)"

AND

Page 3, line 19, delete "(5)" and substitute "(E)"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "(A)" and substitute "(i)"

AND

Page 3, line 21, delete "(B)" and substitute "(ii)"

AND

Page 3, line 22, delete "(C)" and substitute "(iii)"

AND

Page 3, line 24, delete "(D)" and substitute "(iv)"

AND

Page 3, line 25, delete "(E)" and substitute "(v)"

AND

Page 3, line 26, delete "(6)" and substitute "(F)"

AND

Page 3, line 27, delete "(A)" and substitute "(i)"

AND

Page 3, line 28, delete "(B)" and substitute "(ii)"

AND

Page 3, line 29, delete "(C)" and substitute "(iii)"

AND

Page 3, line 30, delete "(7)" and substitute "(G)"

AND

Page 3, line 31, delete "(8)" and substitute "(H)"

AND

Page 3, line 32, delete "(9)" and substitute "(I)"

AND

Page 3, line 34, delete "(10)" and substitute "(J)"

AND

Page 3, line 35, delete "(11)" and substitute "(K)"

AND

Page 4, delete line 3 and substitute the following:
"the Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 5 and 6 and substitute the following:
"required information at least every thirty (30) days, between the fifteenth and the last days of the month following the month the prescription was"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 16 through 20 and substitute the following:
"(a)(1) The prescription drug monitory program is a noncovered entity under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, 42 U.S.C. § 201, as it existed on January 1, 2007.

(2) However, to the extent not inconsistent with this subchapter, the requirements of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, 42 U.S.C. § 201, as it existed on January 1, 2007, apply to the prescription drug monitory program."

AND

Page 5, delete lines 11 through 28 and substitute the following:
"(7) If the local, state, and federal law enforcement or prosecutorial official presents a search warrant issued on probable cause by a court of competent jurisdiction, local, state, and federal law enforcement or prosecutorial officials engaged in the administration, investigation, or enforcement of the laws governing controlled substances.

20-7-506. Unlawful acts — Penalties — Exception."

AND

Page 5, delete line 30 and substitute the following:
"under this subchapter who knowingly discloses that information in a manner not authorized under this subchapter shall be"

AND

Page 6, delete line 6 and substitute the following:
"action by the dispenser's licensing board.

(e) Nothing in this section applies to a physician who does not use the program under this subchapter."

AND

Page 6, line 8, delete "20-7-508." and substitute "20-7-507."

AND

Page 6, line 17, delete "including, but not limited to," and substitute "including"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 19 through 22 and substitute the following:
"No. 109-60.

(d) The rules promulgated under this subchapter shall ensure that no costs of the program established under this subchapter are charged to pharmacists or pharmacies.

20-7-508. Fund availability.

This subsection shall take effect only if funds are available as provided in § 20-7-507(c)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALTES

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 20 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 300 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 300

Amend Senate Bill No. 300 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 25, delete "or demeaning"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 300 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, House Bill No. 1414 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1414

Amend House Bill No. 1414 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 10 and substitute the following:
"PERSONS CONVICTED OF DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED; AMENDING ARKANSAS CODE § 20-64-601 CONCERNING THE NAME OF THE BUREAU OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION;"

AND

Page 1, delete line 16 and substitute the following:
"DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED AND CHANGING THE NAME OF THE BUREAU OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION."

AND

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-65-109(a), concerning presentence screenings and assessment reports, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The court shall immediately request and the ~~Highway Safety Program~~ Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention or its designee shall provide a presentence screening and assessment report of the defendant upon a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to or a finding of guilt of violating § 5-65-103 or § 5-65-303.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 5-65-115(a), concerning alcohol treatment or education programs, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Any person whose driving privileges are suspended or revoked for violating § 5-65-103, § 5-65-303, § 5-65-310, or § 3-3-203 is required to complete an alcohol education program ~~or an alcoholism treatment program as approved by the Bureau of~~ provided by a contractor with the Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention of the Department of Health and Human Services or ~~a program required under § 5-65-104(b)(1), in addition to any other penalty provided by law~~ an alcoholism treatment program licensed by the Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention.

(2)(A) The alcohol education program may collect a program fee of up to one hundred twenty-five dollars ($125) per enrollee to offset program costs.

(B)(i) A person ordered to complete an alcohol education program ~~or alcoholism treatment program~~ under this section may be required to pay, in addition to the costs collected for education or treatment, a fee of up to twenty-five dollars ($25.00) to offset the additional costs associated with reporting requirements under this subchapter.

(ii) The alcohol education program shall report ~~semiannually~~ monthly to the ~~bureau~~ office all revenue derived from this fee.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 5-65-307 is amended to read as follows:

5-65-307. Alcohol and driving education program.

(a)(1)(A) Any ~~underage~~ person who has his or her driving privileges suspended, revoked, or denied for violating § 3-3-203, § 5-65-310, or § 5-65-303 is required to complete an alcohol and driving education program for underage drivers as prescribed and approved by the ~~Bureau~~ Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention of the Division of Behavioral Health Services of the Department of Health and Human Services or an alcoholism treatment program licensed by the Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention, or both, in addition to any other penalty provided in this ~~subchapter~~ chapter.

(B) If during the period of suspension or revocation in subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section the underage person commits an additional violation of ~~§~~ §§ 3-3-203 or 5-65-303, the underage person is also required to complete an approved alcohol and driving education program or alcoholism treatment program for each additional violation.

(2) The ~~bureau~~ Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention shall approve only those programs in alcohol and driving education that are targeted at the underage driving group and are intended to intervene and prevent repeat occurrences of driving under the influence or driving while intoxicated.

(3)(A)(i) The alcohol and driving education program may collect a program fee of up to one hundred twenty-five dollars ($125) per enrollee to offset program costs.

(ii) An underage person ordered to complete an alcohol and driving education program or an alcoholism treatment program under this section may be required to pay, in addition to the costs collected for the program, a fee of up to twenty-five dollars ($25.00) to offset the additional costs associated with reporting requirements under this subchapter.

(B) An approved alcohol and driving education program shall report ~~semiannually~~ monthly to the ~~bureau~~ Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention all revenue derived from these fees.

(b) Prior to reinstatement of a driver's license suspended or revoked under this subchapter, the driver shall furnish proof of attendance at and completion of the alcohol and driving education program or alcoholism treatment program required under subdivision (a)(1) of this section.

(c) The ~~bureau~~ Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention may promulgate rules ~~and regulations~~ reasonably necessary to carry out the purposes of this section regarding the approval and monitoring of the alcohol and driving education programs.

(d)(1)(A) A person whose license is suspended or revoked for violating § 5-65-303 or § 5-65-310 shall:

(i) Both:

(a) Furnish proof of attendance at and completion of the alcohol and driving education program or alcoholism treatment program required under subdivision (a)(1) of this section before reinstatement of his or her suspended or revoked driver's license; and

(b) Pay any fee for reinstatement required under § 5-65-119 or § 5-65-304; or

(ii) Furnish proof of dismissal or acquittal of the charge on which the suspension or revocation is based.

(B) An application for reinstatement shall be made to the Office of Driver Services.

(2) Even if a person has filed a de novo petition for review pursuant to § 5-65-402, the person is entitled to reinstatement of driving privileges upon complying with this subsection and is not required to postpone reinstatement until the disposition of the de novo review in circuit court has occurred.

(3)(A) A person suspended under this subchapter may enroll in an alcohol education program prior to disposition of the offense by the circuit court, district court, or city court, but is not entitled to any refund of fees paid if the charges are dismissed or if the person is acquitted of the charges.

(B) A person who enrolls in an alcohol education program is not entitled to any refund of fees paid if the person is subsequently acquitted.

(e) Any alcohol and driving education program ~~or alcoholism treatment program~~ shall remit the fees imposed under this section to the ~~bureau~~ Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 20-64-601 is amended to read as follows:

20-64-601. ~~Bureau~~ Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention - Creation.

(a) There is established within the ~~Department of Health~~ Division of Behavioral Health Services of the Department of Health and Human Services ~~a Bureau~~ an Office of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention to be located under the Office of the Director of the Department of Health and Human Services.

(b) The head of the office shall be appointed by the Director of the Department of Health and Human Services.

(c) Such personnel as are necessary shall be appointed by the office head to carry out the powers, duties, functions, and responsibilities of the bureau, in accordance with the requirements of law within the limits of available appropriations.

SECTION 5. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. The Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall make appropriate name changes in the Arkansas Code to implement the name change under Section 4 of this act."

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1414 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1360 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1360

Amend House Bill No. 1360 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Thompson and Luker as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 9 , delete lines 15 and 16 and substitute "decedent who dies more than three years after January 1, 2008, if"

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1360 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 209 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 209

Amend Senate Bill No. 209 as originally introduced:

Page 9, line 36, delete "private," and substitute "private~~,~~"

AND

Page 10, line 1, delete "nonprofit emergency" and substitute "~~nonprofit~~ emergency"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE KEY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 209, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 209 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 209

As Engrossed: H2/21/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS FARIS AND BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 209 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 209 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 268 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 268

Amend Senate Bill No. 268 as engrossed, S2/12/07:

Add Representative Sample as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add an additional section to the bill to read as follows:

"SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 5-73-402 is amended to read as follows:

5-73-402. Recognition of other states' permits~~ - Acts 1997, No. 1239~~.

(a) Any person in possession of a valid license issued by another state to carry a concealed handgun shall be entitled to the privileges and subject to the restrictions prescribed by Arkansas concealed handgun law~~, (~~§ 5-73-301 et seq.~~),~~ provided that the state that issued the license recognizes concealed handgun licenses issued under § 5-73-301 et seq.

(b) The Director of the Department of State Police shall:

(1) ~~make~~ Make a determination as to which states' permits will be recognized in Arkansas and provide that list to every law enforcement agency within the state~~. The director shall revise~~; and

(2) Revise the list from time to time and provide the revised list to every law enforcement agency in this state."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 268, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 268 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 268

As Engrossed: S2/12/07 H2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS FARIS, WILKINSON, *LAVERTY, GLOVER, & B. PRITCHARD*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, STEWART & *SAMPLE*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RECIPROCITY PROCEDURES ADMINISTERED BY THE ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONCEALED HANDGUN PERMITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 268 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 268 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Faris, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1426 at this time.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1426 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1426

Amend House Bill No. 1426 as engrossed, H2/15/07:

Delete everything after the ENACTING CLAUSE and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 23 is amended to add a new chapter to read as follows:

CHAPTER 114 CHARITABLE BINGO AND RAFFLES

SUBCHAPTER 1 GENERAL PROVISIONS

23-114-101. Short title.
This chapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Charitable Bingo and Raffles Enabling Act".

23-114-102. Definitions.
As used in this chapter:
(1)(A) "Authorized organization" means an organization eligible for a license to conduct games of bingo and raffles that is a nonprofit tax-exempt religious, educational, veterans, fraternal, service, civic, medical, volunteer rescue service, volunteer firefighters organization, or volunteer police organization that has been in continuing existence as a nonprofit tax-exempt organization in this state for a period of not less than five (5) years immediately prior to conducting the game of bingo or raffles.

(B) A nonprofit tax-exempt instrumentality of the United States Government is a service agency for the purpose of this subdivision (1);

(2)(A) "Bingo equipment" means equipment and supplies used, made, or sold for the purpose of use in bingo.

(B) "Bingo equipment" includes:

(i) A machine or other device from which balls or other items are withdrawn to determine the letters and numbers or other symbols to be called;

(ii) A bingo face;

(iii) A bingo ball;

(iv) Any other device commonly used in the direct operation of a bingo game.

(C) “Bingo equipment” is not intended and shall not be construed to permit the participants to play the game through:

(i) Any electronic device or machine; or

(ii) A pull-tab bingo ticket.

(D) "Bingo equipment" does not include:

(i) A bingo game set commonly manufactured and sold as a child's game for a retail price of twenty dollars ($20.00) or less, unless the set or a part of the set is used in a game of bingo subject to regulation under this chapter; or

(ii) A commonly available component part of bingo equipment such as a light bulb or fuse;

(E) “Bingo face” means a disposable flat piece of paper that may be used one (1) time and that cannot be reused after the game, in which the bingo face was used, is ended. The bingo face is marked off into any number of squares in any arrangement of rows, with each square being designated by number, letter, or combination of numbers and letters, and with one (1) or more squares designated as a “free” space with the word “Arkansas” and a facsimile outline of a map of Arkansas on the space;

(3) "Bingo session" means all activities incidental to the conduct of a series of bingo games by a licensed authorized organization, beginning when the first game of bingo of a bingo session is commenced by calling the first bingo ball drawn, such session not to exceed five (5) consecutive hours during any one (1) twenty-four-hour calendar day;

(4) "Charitable purpose" means a purpose described by § 23-114-504;

(5) “Department” means the Department of Finance and Administration;

(6) “Director” means the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration;

(7) “Distributor” means a person or business entity that sells, markets, or otherwise provides bingo equipment to a licensed authorized organization;

(8)(A) "Game of bingo" means a single game of the activity commonly known as “bingo” in which the participants pay a sum of money for the use of one (1) or more bingo faces.

(B) "Game of bingo" includes only a game in which the winner receives a pre-announced, fixed-dollar prize and in which the winner is determined by the matching of letters and numbers on a bingo face imprinted with at least twenty-four (24) numbers, with letters and numbers appearing on objects randomly drawn and announced by a caller, in contemporaneous competition among all players in the game;

(9) "Gross receipts" means the total amount received from the sale of raffle tickets and the sale, rental, transfer, or use of bingo faces and entrance fees charged at premises at which games of bingo or raffles are conducted without any deduction on account of prizes paid, losses, or any other expenses whatsoever;

(10) "Licensed authorized organization" means an authorized organization that holds a license to conduct games of bingo or raffles;

(11) "Manufacturer" means a person or business entity that produces finished bingo equipment from raw materials, supplies, or subparts and that sells, markets, or otherwise provides such equipment to a licensed distributor;

(12) "Person" means any individual, company, partnership, limited liability company, joint venture, joint agreement, association, mutual or otherwise, corporation, estate, trust, business trust, receiver, trustee, syndicate, or any other private entity;

(13) "Premises" means the area subject to the direct control of and actual use by a licensed authorized organization or group of licensed authorized organizations to conduct games of bingo. Premises includes a location or place;

(14) "Primary business office" means the Arkansas location at which all records relating to the primary purpose of a licensed authorized organization are maintained in the ordinary course of business;

(15) "Raffle" means the selling of tickets to win a prize awarded though a random drawing, provided that the term "raffle" shall not include any game played through the use of a machine or electronic device;

(16) "Responsible person" means the person or persons within a licensed authorized organization that is responsible for organizing, conducting and otherwise administering the licensed authorized organization's raffles or bingo sessions; and

(17) "Taxpayer" means a distributor of bingo equipment licensed under this chapter.

23-114-103. General provisions.

(a) The game of bingo or a raffle conducted by a licensed authorized organization shall not be a lottery prohibited by Arkansas Constitution, Article 19, Section 14, if all net receipts over and above the actual cost of conducting the game of bingo or raffle are used only for charitable, religious, or philanthropic purposes.

(b)(1) No net receipts from games of bingo or raffles shall be used to compensate in any manner any person who works for or is in any way affiliated with the licensed authorized organization.

(2)(A) Charitable bingo or raffles shall only be conducted by a licensed authorized organization through its bona fide officers and members who volunteer their time and receive no compensation for their services.

(B) A licensed authorized organization shall not conduct games of bingo or raffles through any agent or third party.

(c) The provisions of this chapter are not intended and shall not be construed to allow the play of games of bingo or raffles through any electronic device or machine.

23-114-104. Penalty.

(a)(1) A violation of this chapter by a licensed authorized organization is an unclassified misdemeanor and shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed five thousand dollars ($5,000).

(2) A second or subsequent offense is an unclassified misdemeanor and shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed ten thousand dollars ($10,000).

(b) A person who conducts a game of bingo or a raffle without a license under this chapter shall be subject to the same penalties as provided under § 5-66-118, concerning lotteries.

SUBCHAPTER 2 ADMINISTRATION

23-114-201. Control and supervision of games of bingo and raffles.

(a) The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall administer this chapter under the provisions of the Arkansas Tax Procedure Act, § 26-18-101 et. seq.

(b) The director has broad authority and shall exercise strict control and close supervision over all games of bingo and raffles conducted in this state so that bingo and raffles are fairly conducted and the proceeds derived from bingo and raffles are used only for an authorized purpose.

(c) The department may employ any inspectors or other personnel that the director determines are necessary to properly administer this chapter.

23-114-202. Approval of bingo faces and raffle tickets.

(a) The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration by rule shall provide procedures for the approval of bingo faces and raffle tickets.

(b)(1) A licensed authorized organization shall not use or distribute a bingo face unless the bingo face has been approved by the director.

(2)(A) All bingo faces must be purchased by the licensed authorized organization from a distributor licensed under this chapter.

(B) Only one (1) game shall be played on each bingo face.

(c) All bingo faces and raffle tickets must be pre-printed on paper or plastic in a form approved by the director. No electronic devices, machines, or facsimiles may be used as bingo faces, raffle tickets, or otherwise, by participants of games of bingo or raffles conducted under this chapter.

(d) All bingo faces and raffle tickets must be sequentially numbered at the time of printing.

23-114-203. Rulemaking authority.

The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration may adopt rules to aid in the enforcement and administration of this chapter.

SUBCHAPTER 3 LICENSING

23-114-301. Authorized organization license.

The Department of Finance and Administration may license an entity that is an authorized organization.

23-114-302. License fees – Authorized organizations.

(a) An authorized organization license to conduct games of bingo and raffles may be issued to an authorized organization and is subject to renewal on an annual basis. The annual fee for this license shall be one hundred dollars ($100).

(b) In lieu of the annual license issued under subsection (a) of this section, an authorized organization, at its request, may be issued one (1) or more of the following temporary authorized organization licenses:

(1) A temporary license to conduct one (1) bingo session. The fee for this temporary license is twenty-five dollars ($25.00);

(2) A temporary license, to be known as a Class I temporary raffle license, to conduct one (1) raffle, other than a raffle under subdivision (b)(3) of this section. The fee for this temporary license is twenty-five dollars ($25.00); and

(3) A temporary license, to be known as a Class II temporary raffle license, to conduct one (1) raffle in which the total prize package to be given away has been donated and has a total value of less than five hundred dollars ($500). The fee for this temporary license is ten dollars ($10.00).

23-114-303 License application – Authorized organizations.

(a) An applicant for an authorized organization license shall file a written, verified application with the Department of Finance and Administration on a form prescribed by the department.

(b) The license application shall include:

(1) The name and address of the applicant;

(2) A designation and address of the premises intended to be used for a raffle or bingo session;

(3) The name and address of the person or persons within the authorized organization who will be responsible for organizing, conducting, and otherwise administering the raffle or bingo sessions;

(4) If the premises upon which a raffle or bingo session will be conducted has been leased by the authorized agent, a copy of the lease agreement; and

(5) A statement that the applicant complies with the conditions for eligibility for the license.

(c) The responsible person within an authorized organization shall meet the following requirements:

(1) The responsible person shall not have been found guilty of or pleaded guilty or no contest to:

(A) Any felony by any court in the State of Arkansas; or

(B) Any similar offense by a court in another state or of any similar offense by a military or federal court;

(2)(A) In order to determine a responsible person's suitability to organize, conduct and administer raffles and bingo sessions, the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration may require that the responsible person be fingerprinted and the fingerprints forwarded for a criminal background check through the Department of Arkansas State Police.

(B) After the completion of the criminal background check through the Department of Arkansas State Police, the fingerprints shall be forwarded by the Department of Arkansas State Police to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for a national criminal history record check; and

(3) The responsible person shall sign a release that allows the Department of Arkansas State Police to release:

(A) An Arkansas noncriminal justice background check to the Department of Finance and Administration; and

(B) A fingerprint card of the applicant to the Federal Bureau of Investigation to allow a federal fingerprint-based background check to be performed.

(d)(1) Before the renewal of an annual license, the authorized organization shall report the following information:

(A) The amount of the total gross receipts derived from games of bingo and raffles;

(B) The net proceeds derived from games of bingo and raffles;

(C) The use to which the proceeds have been or are to be applied; and

(D) If requested by the director, a list of expenses paid or incurred.

(2) A licensed authorized organization shall maintain records to substantiate the contents of the report required by this subsection (d).

23-114-304 License application – Distributors and manufacturers.

(a) An applicant for a distributor license or a manufacturer license shall file a written verified application with the Department of Finance and Administration on a form prescribed by the department.

(b) The license application shall include:

(1) The name, address, and federal employer identification number of the applicant;

(2) The names and positions of the applicant's officers;

(3) The name and address of the person or persons who are responsible for the applicant's sales of bingo equipment; and

(4) A statement that the applicant complies with the conditions for eligibility for the license.

(c) The person or persons who are responsible for the applicant's sales of bingo equipment shall meet the following requirements:

(1) The person or persons shall not have been found guilty of, or pleaded guilty or no contest to:

(A) Any felony by any court in the state of Arkansas; or

(B) Any similar offense by a court in another state or of any similar offense by a military or federal court;

(2)(A) In order to determine the person's or persons' suitability to be involved in the sale of bingo equipment, the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration may require that the person or persons be fingerprinted and the fingerprints forwarded for a criminal background check through the Department of Arkansas State Police.

(B) After the completion of the criminal background check through the Department of Arkansas State Police, the fingerprints shall be forwarded by the Department of Arkansas State Police to the Federal Bureau of Investigation for a national criminal history record check; and

(3) The person or persons responsible for an applicant's sales of bingo equipment shall sign a release that allows the Department of Arkansas State Police to release the following:

(A) An Arkansas noncriminal justice background check to the Department of Finance and Administration; and

(B) A fingerprint card of the applicant to the Federal Bureau of Investigation to allow a federal fingerprint-based background check to be performed.

23-114-305. Denial, suspension, or revocation of licenses.

(a) All proceedings for the suspension and revocation of the license issued to a manufacturer, a distributor, or an authorized organization under this chapter shall be before the Department of Finance and Administration.

(b) The department may deny an application for a license, or for the renewal of a license issued under this chapter, if it determines that issuing the license would violate any provisions of this chapter.

(c) The proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the Arkansas Tax Procedure Act, § 26-18-101 et seq.

23-114-306. Display of license.

A licensed authorized organization shall conspicuously display a license issued under this chapter at the premises at which a raffle or a game of bingo is conducted at all times during the conduct of the raffle or the game of bingo.

23-114-307. Licenses and fees – Distributors and manufacturers.

(a) A distributor license may be issued to a distributor of bingo equipment and is subject to renewal on an annual basis. The annual fee for this license shall be two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500).

(b) A manufacturer license may be issued to a manufacturer of bingo equipment and is subject to renewal on an annual basis. The annual fee for this license shall be two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500).

23-114-308. Failure to file excise tax reports.

A distributor of bingo equipment licensed under this chapter shall not be eligible to renew its license unless all excise tax reports required under this chapter have been filed and all reported taxes are paid in full.

SUBCHAPTER 4 OPERATION OF GAMES OF BINGO AND RAFFLES

23-114-401. Bingo premises – Sale of raffle tickets.

(a)(1) Games of bingo shall not be conducted at more than one (1) premises on property owned or leased by a licensed authorized organization.

(2) The Department of Finance and Administration shall not license more than one (1) organization to conduct games of bingo at the same premises.

(3) Games of bingo under this chapter shall not be conducted through any system that links the games of bingo or participants at one (1) premises location to any other premises or participants.

(4) All participants in games of bingo shall be physically present in person at the authorized premises in a single facility in order to play a game of bingo under this chapter.

(b)(1) The conduct of raffles is not limited to property owned or leased by a licensed authorized organization, but shall be conducted pursuant to the rules of the Department of Finance and Administration.

(2) Raffle tickets may be sold:

(A) At the authorized premises of the licensed authorized organization; and

(B) Off the authorized premises of the licensed authorized organization, if the tickets are sold by uncompensated volunteers of the licensed authorized organization.

(3) No raffle ticket shall be sold through the mail or through the Internet, email, fax, telephone, or any other electronic means.

23-114-402. Restrictions on premises and equipment providers.

A person shall not lease or otherwise make a premises or equipment available for conducting a raffle or a game of bingo for any direct or indirect consideration in excess of the bona fide reasonable fair market rental value of the premises or equipment, and no portion of the consideration for premises or equipment shall be based upon a percentage or specified portion of the revenue or profit from games of bingo or raffles conducted by a licensed authorized organization.

23-114-403. Compensation prohibited.

No person may be compensated for organizing, promoting, conducting, or otherwise administering a charitable raffle or bingo event. The functions of organizing, promoting, conducting, or otherwise administering a charitable raffle or bingo event shall be performed by volunteers from the charitable organization.

23-114-404. Admission to games of bingo.

(a) A person shall not be denied admission to a raffle or a game of bingo or the opportunity to participate in a raffle or a game of bingo because of race, color, creed, religion, national origin, sex, or disability, or because the person is not a member of the licensed authorized organization conducting the raffle or game of bingo.

(b) No individual under eighteen (18) years of age may play a game of bingo or purchase raffle tickets from a licensed authorized organization.

23-114-405. Raffle and bingo records.

(a) A licensed authorized organization shall provide to the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration at the time of application for license the address of its primary business office. If the licensed authorized organization maintains its raffle and bingo records at a location other than the primary business office, the organization shall provide the address of the location where the records are maintained.

(b) Bingo and raffle records shall be maintained in Arkansas.

(c) The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration may provide by rule for different recordkeeping procedures for licensed authorized organizations based upon the amount of gross receipts of the licensed authorized organization.

23-114-406. Gift certificates.

(a) Nothing in this chapter prohibits a licensed authorized organization from selling or redeeming a gift certificate that entitles the bearer of the certificate to participate in a raffle or play a game of bingo.

(b) A licensed authorized organization that sells or redeems a gift certificate shall keep adequate records relating to the gift certificate.

23-114-407. Bingo sessions and number of raffles.

(a)(1) A bingo session begins when the first game of bingo of the bingo session is commenced by calling the first bingo ball drawn.

(2) A licensed authorized organization may conduct one (1) bingo session per calendar day and shall not exceed two (2) bingo sessions during any one (1) calendar week.

(b) A bingo session shall not exceed five (5) consecutive hours during any one (1) twenty-four-hour calendar day.

23-114-408. Prizes.

(a) A bingo prize shall not have a value of more than five hundred dollars ($500) for a single game.

(b) For the total prizes of all games of bingo, a licensed authorized organization shall not offer or award during a single bingo session prizes with an aggregate value of more than five thousand dollars ($5,000.)

(c) A licensed authorized organization shall not award or offer to award a door prize with a value of more than two hundred fifty dollars ($250) per bingo session. This door prize value shall not accrue against the bingo session prize limitation of five thousand dollars ($5,000).

(d) A bingo prize, other than cash, may be merchandise with a recognized wholesale cost not to exceed five hundred dollars ($500). A copy of the receipt for such merchandise shall be maintained in the licensed authorized organization's bingo records.

(e)(1) Except as otherwise provided in subdivision (e)(2) of this section, the total value of raffle prizes in a calendar year shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars ($50,000).

(2) If the prizes were donated to the licensed authorized organization, there is no total value limit on raffle prizes, except as applicable to a temporary license to conduct a raffle under § 23-114-302(b)(3).

(f) A raffle prize may not exceed five hundred dollars ($500) in cash. As used in this subsection (f) "cash" means coins, paper currency, or a negotiable instrument that represents and is readily convertible to coins or paper currency.

23-114-409. Purchase of bingo equipment.

Licensed authorized organizations shall purchase bingo equipment only from distributors licensed under this chapter. Distributors that wish to sell bingo equipment to licensed authorized organizations within this state shall purchase bingo equipment only from manufacturers licensed under this chapter.

SUBCHAPTER 5 RAFFLE AND BINGO ACCOUNTS

23-114-501. Bingo and raffle accounts.

(a)(1) A licensed authorized organization with gross receipts from raffles or bingo games in excess of five hundred dollars ($500) per month shall establish and maintain one (1) regular checking account designated as the bingo and raffle account.

(2) A licensed authorized organization may also maintain an interest-bearing savings account designated as the bingo and raffle savings account.

(b)(1) A licensed authorized organization shall deposit into the bingo and raffle account all funds derived from the conduct of games of bingo and raffles, less the amount awarded as cash prizes. Except as provided by subdivision (b)(2) of this section, a deposit shall be made not later than the next business day after the day of the raffle or bingo session on which the receipts were obtained.

(2) A licensed authorized organization may deposit funds derived from the conduct of a raffle or games of bingo that are paid through a debit card transaction into the bingo fund not later than seventy-two (72) hours after the transaction.

(c) A licensed authorized organization may lend money from its general fund to its bingo and raffle account if the organization requests and receives the prior approval of the Department of Finance and Administration. Except as provided by this section, no other funds may be deposited into the bingo and raffle account.

(d) A licensed authorized organization shall not commingle gross receipts derived from the conduct of games of bingo and raffles with other funds of the organization.

(e) Except as permitted, the licensed authorized organization shall not transfer gross receipts to another account maintained by the licensed authorized organization.

(f) A licensed authorized organization shall maintain all of its savings and checking accounts established under this section in a financial institution in this state.

23-114-502. Withdrawals from a bingo and raffle account.

(a)(1) Funds from the bingo and raffle account shall be withdrawn by preprinted, consecutively numbered checks or withdrawal slips, signed by an authorized representative of the licensed authorized organization and made payable to a person.

(2) A check or withdrawal slip shall not be made payable to "cash," "bearer," or a fictitious payee.

(3) The nature of the payment made shall also be noted on the face of the check or withdrawal slip.

(b) The checks for the bingo and raffle account shall be imprinted with the words "Bingo and Raffle Account" and shall contain the licensed authorized organization's bingo and raffle license number on the face of each check.

(c) A licensed authorized organization shall keep and account for all checks and withdrawal slips, including voided checks and withdrawal slips.

23-114-503. Authorized uses of a bingo and raffle account.

(a) A licensed authorized organization may draw a check on the organization’s bingo and raffle account only for:

(1) The payment of necessary and reasonable bona fide bingo and raffle related expenses;

(2) The disbursement of net proceeds derived from the conduct of games of bingo or raffles to charitable purposes; or

(3) The transfer of net proceeds derived from the conduct of games of bingo or raffles to the licensed authorized organization's bingo and raffle savings account pending a disbursement to a charitable purpose.

(b) A licensed authorized organization shall make the disbursement of net proceeds on deposit in the bingo and raffle savings account to a charitable purpose by transferring the intended disbursement back into the licensed authorized organization's bingo and raffle checking account and then withdrawing an amount by a check drawn on the bingo and raffle checking account.

23-114-504. Use of net proceeds for charitable purposes.

(a) A licensed authorized organization shall devote to the charitable purposes of the organization its net proceeds of games of bingo and raffles.

(b) Except as otherwise provided by law, the net proceeds derived from games of bingo and raffles are dedicated to the charitable purposes of the licensed authorized organization only if directed to a cause, need, or activity that is consistent with the federal tax exemption the licensed authorized organization obtained under 26 U.S.C. Section 501, as in existence on January 1, 2007, and under which the organization qualifies as a nonprofit organization as defined by law. If the licensed authorized organization is not required to obtain a federal tax exemption under 26 U.S.C. Section 501, as in existence on January 1, 2007, the licensed authorized organization's net proceeds are dedicated to the charitable purposes of the licensed authorized organization only if directed to a cause, need, or activity that is consistent with the purposes and objectives for which the licensed authorized organization qualifies as a licensed authorized organization.

(c)(1) The licensed authorized organization shall make mandatory annual or more frequent disbursements from the bingo and raffle account to the general fund of the licensed authorized organization after providing for appropriate reserves and funds necessary to pay for reasonable and necessary bingo and raffle expenses.

(2) Once funds are distributed to the licensed authorized organization general fund under subdivision (c)(1) of this section, no funds shall be returned to the bingo and raffle account except by means of a loan from the licensed authorized organization's general fund to the bingo and raffle account as evidenced by a written instrument.

23-114-505. Use of proceeds by a licensed authorized organization.

A licensed authorized organization shall not use the net proceeds from games of bingo or raffles directly or indirectly to:

(1) Support or oppose a candidate or slate of candidates for public office;

(2) Support or oppose a measure submitted to a vote of the people; or

(3) Influence or attempt to influence legislation.

23-114-506. Items of bingo and raffle expense.

(a) Expenses that are reasonable and necessary to lawfully conduct games of bingo or raffles are allowable and include expenses incurred for:

(1) Advertising, including the cost of printing bingo and raffle gift certificates;

(2) Repairs to premises and equipment;

(3) Bingo and raffle supplies and equipment;

(4) Prizes;

(5) Stated rental or mortgage and insurance expenses;

(6) License fees; and

(7) Bookkeeping or accounting services.

(b) No person may be compensated for organizing, promoting, conducting, or otherwise administering a raffle or bingo event. Any such compensation is prohibited under this chapter and is not an allowable expense.

23-114-507. Expenses paid from bingo and raffle account.

The following items of expenses incurred or paid in connection with the conduct of games of bingo or raffles must be paid from a licensed authorized organization's bingo and raffle checking account if the organization is required under § 23-114-501 to maintain such an account:

(1) Advertising, including the cost of printing bingo and raffle gift certificates;

(2) Repairs to premises and equipment;

(3) Bingo and raffle supplies and equipment;

(4) Prizes;

(5) Stated rental or mortgage and insurance expenses;

(6) Bookkeeping or accounting services; and

(7) License fees.

SUBCHAPTER 6 EXCISE TAX

23-114-601. Tax levied.

(a)(1) There is levied an excise tax of one cent (1¢) upon the sale of each bingo face sold by a licensed distributor to a licensed authorized organization in this state.

(2) There is levied an excise tax of ten percent (10%) of the gross receipts derived from the sale of all bingo equipment other than bingo faces by a licensed distributor to a licensed authorized organization in this state.

(b) Items taxed under subsection (a) of this section shall be exempt from the Arkansas Gross Receipts Tax Act of 1941 and the Arkansas Compensating Tax Act of 1949.

23-114-602. Payment and reporting of tax.

(a) The excise tax levied under this subchapter is due and payable by distributors that sold bingo faces and other bingo equipment to licensed authorized organizations in this state. The tax shall be reported and paid to the Department of Finance and Administration monthly on or before the fifteenth (15th) day of the month following the month of sale.

(b) The report shall be filed under oath on forms prescribed by the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration.

(c) The director shall adopt any rules necessary for the proper reporting and payment of the tax.

23-114-603. Information to be reported.

(a) The excise tax report required under § 23-114-602 shall include the following information:

(1) The total number of bingo faces and the gross receipts derived from the sale of other bingo equipment sold to all licensed authorized organizations in this state; and

(2) Any other information that the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration determines is necessary to properly administer the excise tax levied by this subchapter.

(b) A taxpayer shall maintain records to substantiate the contents of each report.

23-114-604. Record of prize winners.

The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration may require a licensed authorized organization to maintain records relating to prizes awarded at a raffle or bingo session.

23-114-605. Collection and disbursement of excise tax and license fees.

The Department of Finance and Administration shall deposit the revenue collected from the license fees levied under § 23-114-302, § 23-114-307, and the excise tax levied in § 23-114-601 to the credit of the General Revenue Fund Account of the State Apportionment Fund.

23-114-606. Non-filer tax assessments.

(a) If a distributor fails to file an excise tax report required under this chapter, the Department of Finance and Administration shall make an excise tax assessment for the period or periods for which the distributor failed to report.

(b) The estimate shall be based on any information covering any period possessed by the department.

(c) On the basis of the department's estimate, the department shall compute and determine the amount of excise tax required to be paid along with any applicable interest and penalties authorized under the Arkansas Tax Procedure Act.

SUBCHAPTER 7 ENFORCEMENT

23-114-701. Revocation of License – Licensed authorized organization.

The license issued to an authorized organization is subject to revocation under this chapter if the organization:

(1) Makes a false statement or material omission in an application for a license under this chapter;

(2) Fails to maintain records that fully and accurately record each transaction connected with:

(A) Conducting raffles or games of bingo; and

(B) Leasing of premises to be used for raffles or games of bingo.

(3) Falsifies or makes a false entry in a book or record if the entry relates in any way to the promotion, operation or administration of raffles or games of bingo;

(4) Diverts or pays a portion of the proceeds from a raffle or a game of bingo to a person except in furtherance of one (1) or more of the lawful purposes set forth in this chapter; or

(5) Violates this chapter or a term of a license issued under this chapter in any other way.

23-114-702. Revocation of License – Distributors and manufacturers.

The license issued to a distributor or manufacturer is subject to revocation under this chapter if the licensee:

(1) Makes a false statement or material omission in an application for a license under this chapter;

(2) Fails to maintain records that fully and accurately record all transactions connected with the distribution of bingo equipment;

(3) Falsifies or makes a false entry in a book or record if the entry relates in any way to the distribution of bingo equipment; or

(4) Violates this chapter or a term of a license issued under this chapter in any other way.

23-114-703. Inspection of premises.

The Department of Finance and Administration may enter and inspect the premises where:

(1) A raffle or a game of bingo is being conducted or intended to be conducted; or

(2) Equipment used or intended for use in a raffle or a game of bingo is located.

23-114-704. Injunction.

(a) If the Department of Finance and Administration has reason to believe that this chapter has been or is about to be violated, the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration may petition a court for injunctive relief to restrain the violation.

(b) Venue for an action seeking injunctive relief is in Pulaski County, Arkansas.

(c) If the court finds that this chapter has been violated or is about to be violated, the court shall issue a temporary restraining order and, after due notice and hearing, a temporary injunction, and after a final trial, a permanent injunction to restrain the violation.

23-114-705. Examination of records.

The Department of Finance and Administration is authorized to audit and examine the books, papers, records, equipment, and place of business of a licensed authorized organization, a licensed distributor, or a licensed manufacturer to verify compliance with the provisions of this chapter.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 5-66-118 is amended to read as follows:

5-66-118. Lottery, etc. - Tickets.

(a) ~~It~~ Except as authorized under § 23-114-101 et seq., it is unlawful for any person to:

(1) Keep an office, room, or place for the sale or disposition of a lottery, policy, and gift concert ticket or slip or like device;

(2) Vend, sell, or otherwise dispose of any lottery, policy, or gift concert ticket, slip, or like device;

(3) Possess any lottery, policy, or gift concert ticket, slip or like device, except a lottery ticket issued in another state where a lottery is legal; or

(4) Be interested either directly or indirectly in the sale or disposition of any lottery, policy, or gift concert ticket, slip or like device.

(b) In any prosecution or investigation under this section, it is no exemption for a witness that his or her testimony may incriminate himself or herself, but no such testimony given by the witness shall be used against him or her in any prosecution except for perjury, and the witness is discharged from liability for any violation of the law upon his or her part disclosed by his or her testimony.

(c)(1) The General Assembly recognizes that:

(A) The present laws relating to lotteries are vague in certain areas and, although designed to prohibit the operation of lotteries in the state, may be interpreted to prohibit even the printing of lottery tickets by companies in this state for distribution in other states where lotteries are legal;

(B) There are companies in this state that print various types of tickets, stamps, tags, coupon books, and similar devices and that may be interested in printing lottery tickets for states where lotteries are lawful; and

(C) It is the intent and purpose of this subsection to clarify the present law relating to lotteries to specifically permit businesses in Arkansas to print lottery tickets for use in states where lotteries are lawful.

(2)(A) The printing or other production of lottery tickets by a business located in Arkansas for use in a state where a lottery is permitted is declared to be lawful.

(B) Nothing contained in this section and § 5-66-119 or any other law shall be construed to make printing or production of lottery tickets described in subdivision (c)(2)(A) of this section unlawful.

(d)(1) Any person who violates any provision of this section is guilty of ~~a~~ an unclassified misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined ~~in any sum not less than fifty dollars ($50.00) nor more than five hundred dollars ($500)~~ an amount not to exceed ten thousand dollars ($10,000).

(2) A second or subsequent offense is a Class D felony."

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1426 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 785 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 785 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 309 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 309
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING PAPER BALLOTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 309 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 357 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 357

As Engrossed: S2/28/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF TIME ALLOTTED FOR *PRIVATE* AUDITS UNDER THE SELF-INSURED FIDELITY BOND PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 357 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 357 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 266 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 266

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

BY: REPRESENTATIVES S. PRATER AND HARDWICK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ADULT AND LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENT MALTREATMENT ACT; TO FURTHER PROTECT ENDANGERED SENIOR CITIZENS BY PROVIDING THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES WITH EXPANDED INVESTIGATIVE AUTHORITY; TO PROVIDE COURT PROCEDURES FOR OVERSEEING THE NEW INVESTIGATIVE AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 266 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 266 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 379 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 379

As Engrossed: S2/28/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS MILLER, ARGUE, BOOKOUT, CRITCHER, CRUMBLY, HORN, B. JOHNSON & MALONE

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ROSENBAUM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT GENERAL OMNIBUS BILL; TO UPDATE AND MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE; TO CONFORM THE EXAMINATION OF INSURERS, REINSURANCE REGULATION, CUSTODIED SECURITIES, AND BROKER'S CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS TO CURRENT INSURANCE PRACTICES; TO PROVIDE FOR EMPLOYER STOP-LOSS COVERAGE, WRITTEN MANAGEMENT AND SERVICE AGREEMENTS, AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT CHARITABLE ANNUITY PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 379 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 379, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 379 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 331 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 331
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENATIVE E. BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND GARRETT'S LAW RELATING TO CHILD MALTREATMENT PREVENTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 331 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Madison, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total 26

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Argue, Bryles, Capps, Hill, Luker, Malone, Steele, Whitaker, Womack.

Total 9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....26

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 331 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bisbee, Senate Bill No. 609 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 609
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATE EFFICIENCY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE - STAFF FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 609 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Argue.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 609, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Argue.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 609 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1197 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1197
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OPERATION OF MOTORBOATS ON THE ELEVEN POINT RIVER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1197 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1197 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Womack, House Bill No. 1526 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1526
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE NORTON
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT PROPERTY TAX PAYMENTS POSTMARKED BY OCTOBER 10 ARE TIMELY RECEIVED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1526 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1526 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1498 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1498
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT TO EXTEND THE TIME ALLOWED TO PROTEST AN ASSESSMENT OF TAX OR DENIAL OF A CLAIM FOR REFUND FROM 30 TO 60 DAYS; TO CLARIFY THE PERIOD OF TIME WITHIN WHICH THE TAXPAYER AND THE STATE MAY REQUEST THAT THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION REVISE THE DECISION OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1498 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1498 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Bill No. 1004 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1004
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WELLS, L. EVANS & GEORGE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ENHANCED PENALTIES FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF METHAMPHETAMINE IN THE PRESENCE OF CERTAIN PERSONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1004 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1004 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 296 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 296

As Engrossed: S2/27/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS WILKINS, MALONE, B. PRITCHARD, SALMON, CAPPS, T. SMITH, GLOVER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY CRITCHER, G. JEFFRESS, LAVERTY, MADISON, MILLER, STEELE, TRUSTY, WILKINSON & WOMACK

BY: REPRESENTATIVES DAVENPORT, HOYT, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR A REAL-TIME ELECTRONIC LOGBOOK FOR A PHARMACY TO RECORD PURCHASES OF EPHEDRINE, PSEUDOEPHEDRINE, AND PHENYLPROPANOLAMINE; TO REQUIRE A PHARMACY TO ENTER CERTAIN TRANSACTIONS INTO THE ELECTRONIC LOGBOOK; TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER TO MAINTAIN AND CONTROL ACCESS TO THE ELECTRONIC LOGBOOK; TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE AND ACCESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 296 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 296 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Bill No. 1507 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1507
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE §§ 16-12-102(c) AND 16-13-104 CONCERNING THE ELIGIBILTY OF AN APPOINTED COURT OF APPEALS JUDGE OR CIRCUIT JUDGE TO BE A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTION TO ANOTHER JUDGESHIP WHILE HOLDING OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1507 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1507 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1434 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1434
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1434 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1434 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1435 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1435
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE QUALIFICATIONS FOR MEDICATION ASSISTIVE PERSONS; TO REVISE PENALTIES FOR MEDICATION ASSISTIVE PERSONS; TO REVISE THE MEDICATION ASSISTIVE PERSON ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1435 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1435 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1436 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1436
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE THE PROCESS FOR DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1436 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1436 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1489 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1489

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOPER, CHEATHAM, EVERETT, ET AL

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF UNLAWFUL DOG ATTACK; TO PROTECT THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1489 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, Laverty, Madison, Miller, Salmon, R. Thompson, Womack.

Total 17

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, Argue, Bisbee, Brown, Bryles, Critcher, Horn, B. Johnson, Luker, Malone, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total 18

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 17

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1489 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 1, 2007.

Senator Miller moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1489 failed to pass be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Hill, House Bill No. 1484 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1484
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS INCOME TAX LAWS BY ADOPTING RECENT CHANGES TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1484 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1484 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Womack, House Bill No. 1458 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1458
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF SEX OFFENSE IN THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION ACT OF 1997; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1458 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1458 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1130 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1130

As Engrossed: H1/19/07 S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON AND *THYER*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADOPT THE UNIFORM STATUTORY RULE AGAINST PERPETUITIES; TO REPEAL THE COMMON LAW RULE AGAINST PERPETUITIES; TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES TO EXISTING LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1130 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1130, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1130 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Brown, House Bill No. 1510 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1510
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL OBSOLETE STATUTORY PROVISIONS IN THE OMNIBUS DWI ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1510 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1510 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1486 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1486
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CORNWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF § 16-21-2701 CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT OF INVESTIGATORS FOR THE TWENTY-SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1486 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1486 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1448 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1448
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 8-6-706(a)(1) TO CLARIFY THAT APPLICANTS FOR A SOLID WASTE LANDFILL PERMIT OR TRANSFER STATION PERMIT SHALL OBTAIN A CERTIFICATE OF NEED FROM THE APPROPRIATE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1448 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1448 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1449 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1449
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE THE AUTHORITY OF REGIONAL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT BOARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1449 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1449 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Womack, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

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

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 396 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 396

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 57 OF 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 396 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 396, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 396 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 20, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 300, BY SENATOR SALMON, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1360, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLS, et al,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1414, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,

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

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1426, BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, HOUSE Bill No. 1426 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 305, BY SENATOR BISBEE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ARGUE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1452, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARDY,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ARGUE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1479, BY REPRESENTATIVE WAGNER,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ARGUE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1632, BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ARGUE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1633, BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ARGUE
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 59 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 278 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 287 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 235 was returned from the House as passed as Amended.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 235 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 1, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 5, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
REPRESENTATIVES HARDWICK, KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 247, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 272, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
REPRESENTATIVE REEP,
SENATE BILL NO. 268, BY SENATORS FARIS, WILKINSON, et al,
REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE, et al,
SENATE BILL NO. 209, BY SENATORS FARIS, BROADWAY,

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 3:00 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY"HANK"WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 5

SENATE BILL NO. 247

SENATE BILL NO. 272

SENATE BILL NO. 268

SENATE BILL NO. 209

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 1st day of March, 2007, at 3:00 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Angela Tollette
Secretary

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 1, 2007

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 1, 2007, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-sixth General Assembly:

Senate Bill 024, - ACT 175,

Senate Bill 057, - ACT 176,

Senate Bill 090, - ACT 177,

Senate Bill 171, - ACT 178,

Senate Bill 279, - ACT 179,

Senate Bill 280, - ACT 180,

Senate Bill 281, - ACT 181,

Senate Bill 282, - ACT 182,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 266
SENATE BILL NO. 296
SENATE BILL NO. 309
SENATE BILL NO. 331
SENATE BILL NO. 357
SENATE BILL NO. 379
SENATE BILL NO. 396
SENATE BILL NO. 609

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1004
HOUSE BILL NO. 1197
HOUSE BILL NO. 1434
HOUSE BILL NO. 1435
HOUSE BILL NO. 1436
HOUSE BILL NO. 1448
HOUSE BILL NO. 1449
HOUSE BILL NO. 1458
HOUSE BILL NO. 1484
HOUSE BILL NO. 1486
HOUSE BILL NO. 1498
HOUSE BILL NO. 1507
HOUSE BILL NO. 1510
HOUSE BILL NO. 1526

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1130, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 59

SENATE BILL NO. 278

SENATE BILL NO. 287

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 235, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1085
HOUSE BILL NO. 1144
HOUSE BILL NO. 1345
HOUSE BILL NO. 1373
HOUSE BILL NO. 1529
HOUSE BILL NO. 1536
HOUSE BILL NO. 1586
HOUSE BILL NO. 1589
HOUSE BILL NO. 1607
HOUSE BILL NO. 1693
HOUSE BILL NO. 1700
HOUSE BILL NO. 1707
HOUSE BILL NO. 1718
HOUSE BILL NO. 1732
HOUSE BILL NO. 1789
HOUSE BILL NO. 1869
HOUSE BILL NO. 1890
HOUSE BILL NO. 1931

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1011

On motion of Senator Brown, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday, March 5, 2007.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 5, 2007

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

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

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

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Steele.

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

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

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 795 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 795

Amend Senate Bill No. 795 as originally introduced:

Page 5, delete line 26, and substitute the following:
"(A) Sixty-nine percent (69%) of the revenues shall be"

AND

Page 5, delete line 28, and substitute the following:
"(i) Twenty-nine percent (29%) for specialized women"

AND

Page 5, delete line 30, and substitute the following:
"(ii) Sixteen percent (16%) for adolescent"

AND

Page 5, delete line 32, and substitute the following:
"(iii) Nineteen percent (19%) for adult treatment"

AND

Page 6, delete line 1, and substitute the following:
"(C) Five percent (5%) of the revenues shall be deposited"

AND

Page 6, line 2, delete "; and" and substitute ";"

AND

Page 6, delete line 5, and substitute the following:
"Against Children Division; and

(E) Five percent (5%) of the revenues shall be deposited into the Special State Asset Forfeiture Fund for use in drug interdiction and eradication."

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 795 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 335 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 335

Amend Senate Bill No. 335 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsors: Wilkinson, Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 335 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 665 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 665

Amend Senate Bill No. 665 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsors: Wilkinson, Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 665 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 666 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 666

Amend Senate Bill No. 666 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsor: Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 666 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 667 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 667

Amend Senate Bill No. 667 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsors: Wilkinson, Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 667 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 668 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 668

Amend Senate Bill No. 668 as originally introduced:

Add the following House cosponsor: Ragland

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 668 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 669 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 669

Amend Senate Bill No. 669 as originally introduced:

Add the following House cosponsor: King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 669 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 670 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 670

Amend Senate Bill No. 670 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsors: Wilkinson, Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 670 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 671 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 671

Amend Senate Bill No. 671 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsor: Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 671 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 672 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 672

Amend Senate Bill No. 672 as originally introduced:

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 672 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 673 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 673

Amend Senate Bill No. 673 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsors: Wilkinson, Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 673 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 674 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 674

Amend Senate Bill No. 674 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsor: Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 674 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 675 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 675

Amend Senate Bill No. 675 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsors: Wilkinson, Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 675 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 676 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 676

Amend Senate Bill No. 676 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsors: Wilkinson, Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 676 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 687 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 687

Amend Senate Bill No. 687 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsors: Wilkinson, Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 687 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 688 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 688

Amend Senate Bill No. 688 as originally introduced:

Add the following House cosponsor: Ragland

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 688 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 689 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 689

Amend Senate Bill No. 689 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsors: Wilkinson, Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 689 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 690 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 690

Amend Senate Bill No. 690 as originally introduced:

Add the following House cosponsor: Ragland

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 690 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 691 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 691

Amend Senate Bill No. 691 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senate cosponsors: Wilkinson, Womack

AND

Add the following House cosponsors: Davenport, Overbey, Norton, Ragland, King

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 691 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 612 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 612

Amend Senate Bill No. 612 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
"

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Education - Arkansas State Library. The Department of Education - Arkansas State Library may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 612 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 613 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 613

Amend Senate Bill No. 613 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
"

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Arkansas Heritage. The Department of Arkansas Heritage may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 613 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 614 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 614

Amend Senate Bill No. 614 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
"

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Rural Services. The Department of Rural Services may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 614 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 615 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 615

Amend Senate Bill No. 615 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
"

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Aeronautics. The Department of Aeronautics may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 615 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 616 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 616

Amend Senate Bill No. 616 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
"

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Arkansas Natural Resources Commission. The Arkansas Natural Resources Commission may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 616 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 617 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 617

Amend Senate Bill No. 617 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
"

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Emergency Management. The Department of Emergency Management may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 617 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 618 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 618

Amend Senate Bill No. 618 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
"

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Arkansas Heritage. The Department of Arkansas Heritage may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 618 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 619 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 619

Amend Senate Bill No. 619 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
"

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Higher Education. The Department of Higher Education may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 619 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 620 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 620

Amend Senate Bill No. 620 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
"

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Economic Development. The Department of Economic Development may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 620 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 621 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 621

Amend Senate Bill No. 621 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
"

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Parks and Tourism. The Department of Parks and Tourism may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 621 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 622 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 622

Amend Senate Bill No. 622 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
"

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GRANTS. The grants authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other grant programs currently administered by the Department of Health and Human Services - Division of Aging and Adult Services. The Department of Health and Human Services - Division of Aging and Adult Services may adopt rules and regulations to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the grant appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 622 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 370 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 370

Amend Senate Bill No. 370 as originally introduced:

Page 7, delete line 19 and substitute:

"SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 9-27-303, regarding the definitions in the Arkansas Juvenile Code of 1989, § 9-27-301 et seq., is amended to add an additional definition to read as follows:

(61) "Safety plan" means a plan ordered by the court to be developed for an adjudicated delinquent sex offender who is at moderate or high risk of re-offending for the purposes of § 9-27-352.

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 9-27-303(49), regarding the definitions in the"

AND

Page 13, line 29, delete "(13)(A)(i)" and substitute "(13)(A)"

AND

Page 13, delete lines 34 through 36 entirely

AND

Page 14, delete lines 1 through 4 entirely

AND

Page 14, delete line 16 and substitute:

"(14) When a juvenile is committed to a youth services center or detained in a juvenile detention facility and the juvenile is covered by private health insurance, order the parent or guardian to provide information on the juvenile's health insurance coverage, including a copy of the health insurance policy and the pharmacy card when available, to the juvenile detention center or youth services center that has physical custody of the juvenile;

~~(14)(A)~~(15)(A) Order the Department of Finance and Administration to"

AND

Page 15, delete lines 32 through 36 and substitute:

"~~(3) Grant permanent custody to an individual upon proof:~~

~~(A) That the parent or guardian from whom the juvenile has been removed has not complied with the orders of the court; or~~

~~(B) That no reunification services should be required to reunite the juvenile with his or her parent or parents and that no further services or periodic reviews are required;~~

~~(4)(A)~~(3)(A) Order that the parent, both parents, or the guardian of"

AND

Page 16, delete lines 1 through 2 entirely

AND

Page 16, line 8, delete "(5)" and substitute "~~(5)~~(4)"

AND

Page 16, line 10, delete "(6)" and substitute "~~(6)~~(5)"

AND

Page 16, line 15, delete "(7)" and substitute "~~(7)~~(6)"

AND

Page 16, line 25, delete "(8)" and substitute "~~(8)~~(7)"

AND

Page 17, line 13, delete "(9)" and substitute "~~(9)~~(8)"

AND

Page 17, line 16, delete "(10)" and substitute "~~(10)~~(9)"

AND

Page 17, delete line 21 and substitute:

"contempt sanctions.

SECTION 19. Arkansas Code § 9-27-333(f), regarding the dispositions of families in need of services matters, is amended to read as follows:

(f) Custody of a juvenile may be transferred to a relative or other individual only after a home study of the placement is conducted by the ~~department~~ Department of Health and Human Services or a licensed ~~certified~~ social worker who is approved to do home studies and submitted to the court in writing and the court determines that the placement is in the best interest of the juvenile."

Page 18, delete lines 19 through 25 and substitute:

"~~(3) If it is in the best interest of the juvenile, grant permanent custody to an individual upon proof that the parent or guardian from whom the juvenile has been removed has not complied with the orders of the court or upon proof that no reunification services should be required to reunite the juvenile with his or her parent or parents and that no further services or periodic reviews are required; or~~

~~(4)(A)~~(3)(A) Order that the parent, both parents, or the guardian of"

AND

Page 18, delete line 36 and substitute:

"guardian to contempt sanctions.

SECTION 21. Arkansas Code § 9-27-335(d), regarding the disposition of dependent-neglected matters, is amended to read as follows:

(d) Custody of a juvenile may be transferred to a relative or other individual only after a home study of the placement is conducted by the ~~department~~ Department of Health and Human Services or a licensed ~~certified~~ social worker who is approved to do home studies and submitted to the court in writing and the court determines that the placement is in the best interest of the juvenile.

SECTION 22. Arkansas Code § 9-27-335(e)(2), regarding the disposition of dependent-neglected matters, is amended to read as follows:

(2) If the court finds that reasonable efforts to deliver family services could have been made with the juvenile safely remaining at home but were not made, the court may:

(A) ~~Dismiss the petition;~~

~~(B)~~ Order family services reasonably calculated to prevent the need for out-of-home placement; or

~~(C)~~(B) Transfer custody of the juvenile despite the lack of reasonable efforts by the ~~department~~ Department of Health and Human Services ~~to prevent the need for out-of-home placement~~ if the transfer is necessary and in the best interest of juvenile:

(i) To protect the juvenile's health and safety; or

(ii) To prevent the removal of the juvenile from the jurisdiction of the court."

AND

Page 23, line 29, delete "then" and substitute "then remain or"

AND

Page 25, delete lines 4 through 36 and substitute:

"(d)(1) The director is authorized to establish a program to represent indigent parents or guardians in dependency-neglect cases.

(2) The court shall appoint counsel in compliance with federal law, ~~and~~ § 9-27-316(h), and Supreme Court Administrative Order No. 15 in all proceedings to remove custody or to terminate parental rights.

~~(3) With the advice of judges who hear dependency-neglect cases, the Arkansas Supreme Court shall adopt standards of practice and qualifications for service for attorneys who seek to be appointed to provide legal representation for indigent parents or guardians in dependency-neglect cases.~~

~~(4)~~(3)(A) When attorneys are appointed under subdivision (d)(2) of this section, ~~the fees for services and~~ court-appointed attorney fees and reasonable expenses shall be reimbursable ~~expenses~~ as set forth in the Administrative Office of the Courts reimbursement guidelines which shall include contracts with attorneys for such fees and reasonable expenses.

(B) Funding for contracts shall be administered from the state or funds shall be provided to the judicial district for the county to administer the contracts.

(C) All contracts shall be paid from funds appropriated for that purpose ~~to the office~~ of this section.

~~(5)~~(4) When a court orders the payment of funds for the fees and expenses authorized by this subsection, the attorney shall transmit a copy of the order to the office or county~~, which is~~ authorized to pay the funds.

~~(6)~~(5) The court may also require the parties to pay all or a portion of the expenses, depending on the ability of the parties to pay.

~~(7)~~(6) The office shall establish guidelines to provide a maximum amount of expenses and fees per hour and per case that will be paid under this section.

~~(8)~~(7) In order to ensure that each judicial district will have an appropriate amount of funds to utilize indigent parent or guardian representation in dependency-neglect cases, the funds appropriated shall be apportioned based upon a formula developed by the office and approved by the committee.

(8) The Administrative Office of the Courts shall not be liable directly to any attorney or indirectly to the Arkansas State Claims Commission for the payment of attorney fees or expenses except to the extent specific funding is appropriated and available for the purpose of providing indigent parent counsel in dependency-neglect cases."

AND

Page 26, delete lines 1 through 4 entirely

AND

Renumber the sections of the bill in consecutive order

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 370 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 145 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 145

Amend Senate Bill No. 145 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 5 and substitute the following:
"By: Womack"
AND

Page 2, delete lines 16 and 17and substitute the following:
"vertebral column, its immediate articulations, including spinal adjustments, spinal manipulations, and spinal"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 19 and 20 and substitute the following:
"movement, singular or plural, applied to the spinal vertebrae or ~~their~~ adjacent articulations by hand or mechanical device or by other"

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete "17-102-102" and substitute "17-102-311"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 8 through 11 and substitute the following:
"diagnose, and having received a degree of Doctor of Chiropractic from a Council on Chiropractic Education-accredited college or university at which"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PRITCHARD

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 145 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 145, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,

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

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 145 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 335, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 612, BY SENATOR WOMACK,
SENATE BILL NO. 613, BY SENATOR WOMACK,
SENATE BILL NO. 614, BY SENATOR WOMACK,
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SENATE BILL NO. 617, BY SENATOR WOMACK,
SENATE BILL NO. 618, BY SENATOR WOMACK,
SENATE BILL NO. 619, BY SENATOR WOMACK,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 335 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 612 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 613 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 614 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 615 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 616 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 617 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 618 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 619 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 620, BY SENATOR WOMACK,
SENATE BILL NO. 621, BY SENATOR WOMACK,
SENATE BILL NO. 622, BY SENATOR WOMACK,
SENATE BILL NO. 665, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 666, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 620 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 621 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 622 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 665 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 666 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 667, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 668, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 669, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 670, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 671, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 672, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 667 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 668 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 669 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 670 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 671 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 672 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 673, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 674, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 675, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 676, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 687, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 688, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 689, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 690, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 691, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV

CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 673 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 674 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 675 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 676 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 687 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 688 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 689 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 690 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 691 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 370, BY SENATOR MADISON, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 370 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 795, BY SENATOR WILKINS, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 795 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 8, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 196, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 805, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 686, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1011,
BY REPRESENTATIVE PACE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1342, BY REPRESENTATIVE SULLIVAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1410, BY REPRESENTATIVE PACE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1469, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1580, BY REPRESENTATIVE ROSENBAUM,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, the rules were suspended to allow family of the Brittaney Ann Allen in the Senate Chamber.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution 5 was called up for a third reading and adopted.

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 5
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EDWARDS, L. SMITH & HOUSE

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF BRITTANEY ANN ALLEN AND HER SERVICE TO THE GREAT STATE OF ARKANSAS; IN RECOGNITION OF THE BRITTANEY ANN FOUNDATION: AND TO ENCOURAGE PARENTS TO EDUCATE THEIR CHILDREN ON SAFETY ISSUES RELATED TO DRIVING.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 334 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 334

Amend Senate Bill No. 334 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 27, delete "Budget Stabilization Trust Fund" and insert therefore "Higher Education Grants Fund Account".

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEELE

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 334 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 206 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3. Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 206 was withdrawn.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 206

Amend Senate Bill No. 206 as engrossed, S2/12/07:

Page 1, delete line 9 of the TITLE and substitute:
"AN ACT TO REGULATE OIL PRODUCTION; TO"

AND

Page 1, delete the SUBTITLE in its entirety and substitute:
"TO REGULATE OIL PRODUCTION AND TO LIMIT COMPENSATION FOR SPILL DAMAGES TO THE SURFACE ESTATE."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 25 through 35 and substitute the following:

"(a) A surface owner or surface tenant is entitled to reasonable compensation where a spill of crude oil or produced water has occurred and has caused damages to real property, growing crops, trees, shrubs, fences, roads, structures, improvements, livestock, personal property or measurable damage to the productive capacity of the soil.

(b) In addition to any compensation or damages paid by the operator under subsection (a) of this section, the operator shall restore the damaged land in accordance with all applicable rules and regulations of the:

(1) Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality; or

(2) Oil and Gas Commission.

(c) Any rules or regulations adopted by the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality or the Oil and Gas Commission pertaining to spills of crude oil or produced water shall:

(1) Provide, as nearly as practicable, for remediation of any spill of crude oil or produced water to the condition of the real property before the spill; and

(2) Specify a reasonable time frame for commencing and completing remediation of any spill of crude oil or produced water to the condition of the real property before the spill.

(d) If the party responsible for damage to real property caused by a spill of crude oil or produced water fails to restore the real property in accordance with applicable rules and regulations, then the surface owner or surface tenant may bring an action for restoration or remediation:

(1) In that action, if the surface owner or surface tenant proves by a preponderance of the evidence that the party responsible for the damage has failed to restore and remediate the real property, then the surface owner or surface tenant is entitled to an order requiring restoration or remediation to appropriate standards of the applicable agency; and

(2) In addition to the relief provided in subdivision (d)(1) of this section, the surface owner or surface tenant may be allowed a reasonable attorney's fee together with costs associated with maintaining an action for restoration or remediation.

(e) The provisions of this act shall only take effect upon the final adoption of rules and regulations governing the remediation of spills of crude oil or produced water and are applicable to spills of crude oil and produced water that occur after the effective date thereof.

(f) Nothing contained herein is intended to limit or restrict the rights of any surface owner or surface tenant to maintain a cause of action for any damage to real property that is not addressed by the rules and regulations adopted by the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality or the Oil and Gas Commission pertaining to spills of crude oil or produced water.

(g) Nothing contained herein shall alter, affect or modify the terms of any oil lease pertaining to restoration or remediation of damaged real property that are more stringent than the provisions of this section.

(h) The provisions of this act are remedial in nature."

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 206 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1439 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1439

Amend House Bill No. 1439 as engrossed, H2/15/07:

Page 1, line 21, delete "sixteen (16)" and substitute "twenty-four (24)"

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete lines 9 through 11 and substitute the following:
"Health and Human Services or his or her designee;

(12) The Director of the Department of Veterans' Affairs or his or her designee;

(13) One (1) member shall be appointed by the Arkansas Chapter of the National Association for Housing and Redevelopment Officials;

(14) One (1) member shall be appointed by the Arkansas Home Builders Association; and

(15) One (1) member shall be appointed from each of the six (6) Continuum of Care organizations serving the homeless in Arkansas.

(c) The task force membership shall consist of at least one (1) representative from each of the four (4) congressional districts in Arkansas."

AND

Page 2, line 12, delete "(c)" and substitute "(d)"

AND

Page 2, line 14, delete "(d)" and substitute "(e)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 16 and substitute the following:
"(f)(1) The members of the taskforce shall select a chair.

(2) The chair shall not be an elected state official or the head of a state agency."

AND

Page 2, line 17, delete "(f)" and substitute "(g)"

AND

Page 2, line 19, delete "(g)" and substitute "(h)"

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete "(h)" and substitute "(i)"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "(i)" and substitute "(j)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MILLER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1439 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, House Bill No. 1619 was placed back on second reading for purpose of amendment.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1619

Amend House Bill No. 1619 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Whitaker as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR WHITAKER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1619 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, House Bill No. 1620 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1620

Amend House Bill No. 1620 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Whitaker as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR WHITAKER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1620 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1479 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1479

Amend House Bill No. 1479 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 36 through page 2, line 5 and substitute the following:

"(3) Any school district that entered into contracts with classified personnel prior to the effective date of this act and the contracts provided for a higher employer contribution funding amount than is paid for certified personnel in the school district shall freeze the employer contribution funding amount for classified employees until such time as the funding amount contributed for certified personnel equals or exceeds the funding amount provided for classified employees."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BRYLES

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1479 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1632 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1632

Amend House Bill No. 1632 as engrossed, H2/23/07:

Add Senators G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, Capps, Laverty, J. Taylor, Salmon, Miller, and Hendren as cosponsors of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1632 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1633 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1633

Amend House Bill No. 1633 as originally introduced:

Add Senators G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, Capps, Laverty, J. Taylor, Salmon, Miller, and Hendren as cosponsors of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1633 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 229 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 229

Amend Senate Bill No. 229 as engrossed, S2/12/07 :

Add Representative Dunn as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 24, line 11, delete "§ 17-26-322" and substitute "~~§ 17-26-322~~ this chapter"

AND

Page 29, line 16, delete "course or academic"

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 229, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 229 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 229

As Engrossed: S2/12/07 H2/15/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS ARKANSAS LAWS PERTAINING TO THE STATE BOARD OF COSMETOLOGY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 229 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 229 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

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

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

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 76 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 76

JBC 03/01/07 (1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 76 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 7 in its entirety and substitute the following:

" SECTION 7. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. Arkansas Code § 17-24-305 concerning the use of State Board of Collection Agencies fees is amended to read as follows:

17-24-305. Fees - Disposition.

(a) The State Board of Collection Agencies may charge an annual license fee not to exceed one hundred twenty-five dollars ($125) for licensing each collection agency and an annual fee of fifteen dollars ($15.00) for licensing each employee of the licensed collection agency who as an employee solicits, collects, or attempts to collect any delinquent account or accounts by telephone, mail, personal contact, or otherwise.

(b) All income from fees imposed under this section shall be distributed as follows:

~~(1) Beginning July 1, 2005 the first one hundred and fifteen thousand dollars ($115,000) shall be remitted in one payment by the board to the Treasurer of State for the Department of Health and Human Services - Division of Medical Services and deposited into a paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State to be used in accordance with Arkansas Code 20-10-705.~~

~~(2) All funds remaining after the distribution in subdivision (b)(1) of this section received during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006, shall be remitted by the board to the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences for deposit in a financial institution in accordance with the policies of the University of Arkansas. The funds shall be expended for the College of Pharmacy and the College of Nursing in accordance with § 6-64-417; and~~

~~(3)~~ (1)(A) Beginning July 1, 2006 and each July 1 thereafter, the first one hundred and fifteen thousand dollars ($115,000) in fees received by the board shall be remitted in one payment by the board to the Treasurer of State for the Department of Health and Human Services - Division of Medical Services and deposited into a paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State to be used in accordance with Arkansas Code 20-10-705.

(B) The funds remaining after the distribution in subdivision ~~(3)~~(1)(A) for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007 and funds each July 1 thereafter received by the board in an amount not to exceed six hundred thousand dollars ($600,000) each fiscal year shall be remitted by the board to the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences for deposit into a financial institution in accordance with the policies of the University of Arkansas. The funds shall be expended for the College of Pharmacy and the College of Nursing in accordance with § 6-64-417.

(C) The funds remaining after the distributions in subdivisions (b)(1)(A) and (b)(1)(B) for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007 and funds received by the board each July 1 thereafter in an amount not to exceed two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) each fiscal year shall be remitted by the board to Arkansas State University - Mountain Home – for deposit into the Arkansas State University – Mountain Home Fund. The funds shall be expended exclusively for the Arkansas State University – Mountain Home Nursing Program.

~~(C)~~ (D) Funds remaining after the distributions in subdivisions ~~(b)(3)(A) and (b)(3)(B)~~ (b)(1)(A), (b)(1)(B) and (b)(1)(C) of this section shall be deposited to the State Board of Collection Agencies account in some bank authorized to do business in this state. ”

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 76 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 218 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 218

JBC 03/01/07 (1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 218 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 23 of the bill in its entirety and substitute the following:
" SECTION 23. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SPECIAL PROVISIONS FOR SHIFT DIFFERENTIAL AND WEEKEND PAY FOR ~~PERSONNEL AT HUMAN DEVELOPMENT CENTERS.~~ BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SHIFT DIFFERENTIAL. Personnel employed in areas providing critical support and care to Patient Units at the Arkansas State Hospital and Arkansas Health Center during evening and night shifts shall be eligible to receive up to twenty percent (20%) of the hourly rate paid as a shift differential. Personnel required to provide critical and support care to client units during weekend hours shall be eligible to receive up to twenty percent (20%) of the hourly rate paid as a weekend differential. When facilities use shifts other than traditional eight-hour shifts, shift differential may be paid for those shifts exceeding the normal day shift of the facility. When shift and weekend differentials are provided to employees as herein described, the total compensation may exceed the maximum annual rate for the assigned pay grade for those positions included in this Act.

The Agency shall identify the shift(s) and job classifications applicable for the differential and the shift differential percentage for which each classification is eligible within each shift. The shift schedule, job classification listing ~~the job titles~~ and the percentage of shift differential for which the job titles will be eligible shall be submitted to the Office of Personnel Management for approval by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State. Subsequent changes to the shift schedule, job classifications and shift differential percentages must receive prior approval by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009.".

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 218 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 261 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4 and No. 5.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 261

JBC 03/01/07 (1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 261 as engrossed, S2/26/07:

Page 1, line 34, delete "675,000 675,000" and substitute "825,000 825,000"

And

Page 2, line 3, delete "100,000,000 100,000,000" and substitute "111,000,000 111,000,000"

And

Page 2, line 8, delete "750,000 750,000" and substitute "1,200,000 1,200,000"

And

Page 2, line 14, delete "3,500,000 3,500,000" and substitute "6,500,000 6,500,000"

And

Page 2, line 17, delete "10,000,000 10,000,000" and substitute "14,870,625 15,316,744"

And

Page 2, line 19, delete "4,929,270 4,929,270" and substitute "5,529,270 5,529,270"

And

Page 2, line 20, delete "7,058,100 7,586,200" and substitute "8,803,208 10,231,111"

And

Page 2, delete line 21 in its entirety

And

Page 2, line 23, delete "1,292,896 1,292,896" and substitute "1,422,896 1,422,896"

And

Page 2, line 33, delete "3,881,500 4,631,500" and substitute "4,843,500 6,093,500"

And

Page 2, line 36, delete "22,850,000 22,925,000" and substitute "22,965,000 23,160,000"

And

Page 3, line 1, delete "36,878,600 36,878,600" and substitute "37,066,600 37,273,600"

And

Page 3, line 3, delete "11,514,482 11,650,982" and substitute "13,385,831 13,516,231"

And

Page 3, line 9, delete "7,181,815 7,181,815" and substitute "10,252,118 10,252,118"

And

Page 3, line 13, delete "1,832,136,000 1,851,336,000" and substitute "1,829,484,377 1,849,348,996"

And

Page 3, line 14, delete "50,000,000 50,000,000" and substitute "53,780,000 54,851,000"

And

Page 3, line 20, delete "1,600,000 1,600,000" and substitute "2,100,000 2,100,000"

And

Page 3, line 22, delete "1,602,678 1,602,678" and substitute "3,602,678 3,602,678"

And

Page 3, delete lines 25 and 26 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"(63) YOUTH SHELTERS 165,000 165,000
(64) ALTERNATIVE PAY 2,500,000 2,500,000
(65) TRAVELING TEACHERS 500,000 500,000
(66) 98% URT ACTUAL COLLECTION
ADJUSTMENT 13,435,165 14,268,625
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED $2,564,490,661 $2,595,188,611"

And

Appropriately renumber the Item Nos. in SECTION 1

And

Add the following new sections immediately following SECTION 27 to read as follows:

"SECTION 28. Arkansas Code §6-17-1117(B) is hereby repealed.
~~(B) Notwithstanding the special language provision in the department's appropriation act granting transfer authority or any other law to the contrary, appropriation and funding provided for the purposes of this section shall not be transferred by the department for any other purpose.~~

SECTION 29. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL, AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUNDING TRANSFERS.

(a) On July 1, 2007 the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall transfer on his books and those of the State Treasurer and the State Auditor, twenty-one million seven hundred three thousand seven hundred ninety dollars ($21,703,790) from the General Revenue Allotment Reserve Fund to the Department of Education Public School Fund Account for the purpose of funding the Ninety-eight Percent (98%) Uniform Rate of Tax (URT) Actual Collection Adjustment for fiscal year 2007-08 and fiscal year 2008-09 as appropriated herein.

(b) The Department of Education shall create a sub-fund within the Department of Education Public School Fund Account to receive this transfer of twenty-one million seven hundred three thousand seven hundred ninety dollars ($21,703,790) from the General Revenue Allotment Reserve Fund, and shall use these funds exclusively for the payment of the 98% URT Actual Collection Adjustment and the study of the implementation of the 98% URT Actual Collection Adjustment."

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 5 to SENATE BILL NO. 261

Amend Senate Bill No. 261 as engrossed, S2/26/07:

Page 3, delete line 13 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(51) STATE FOUNDATION FUNDING (OF THE TOTAL APPROPRIATION IN ITEM (50) ABOVE, $23,465,304 IN FY2007-08 AND $40,359,648 IN FY2008-09 IS PROVIDED FOR ENHANCED EDUCATIONAL FUNDING)" 1,829,484,377 1,849,348,996

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 261 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 262 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 262

JBC 03/1/07 (1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 262 as originally introduced:

Add a new section immediately following Section 26 to read as follows:

"SECTION 27. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE
ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.
LIMITATIONS AND REPORTING. Disbursement of funds authorized by Section 17 of this Act shall be subject to the following limitations:

(1) No part of these funds shall be used to coerce, influence, or provide incentive to local school districts to select or deselect a Medicaid provider;

(2) The Department of Education shall report annually to the House and Senate Public Health, Welfare and Labor Committees that the funds are not being used in a manner prohibited by this Act and how they are being expended;

(3) If any part of this section requires the state plan for the Arkansas Medicaid Administration Claiming Program to be renegotiated with the federal Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services or would cause in any way the loss of federal funds, this section shall be declared void and be severed from this Act."

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 262 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 283 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 283

(ERROR CORRECTION)

Amend Senate Bill No. 283 as originally introduced:

Page 5, line 23, delete "$ 0 $ 0" and substitute "$ 77,131 $ 77,131"

And

Page 5, line 26, delete "77,131 77,131" and substitute "0 0"

And

Page 33, line 10, delete "Department of Workforce Education" and substitute "Arkansas Agriculture Department - Livestock and Poultry Commission"

And

Page 33, line 11, delete "Department of Workforce" and substitute "Arkansas Agriculture Department - Livestock and Poultry Commission"

And

Page 33, line 12, delete "Education"

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 283 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 323 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 323

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Amend Senate Bill No. 323 as originally introduced:

Page 21, line 29, delete "8,050,635 8,050,635" and insert therefor "7,625,635 7,625,635";

Page 21, line 35, delete "$ 185,572,673 $ 188,198,600" and insert therefor "$ 185,147,673 $ 187,773,600";

Following Section 10, insert a new section:

" SECTION 11. APPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS SCHOOL OF LAW. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the University of Arkansas Fund, from special revenues received from additional uniform filing fees in circuit court as authorized by Arkansas Code Annotated 16-10-314, for expenses of the University of Arkansas School of Law for the biennial period ending June 30, 2009, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEARS 2007-2008	2008-2009
(01)	UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS SCHOOL OF LAW EXPENSES	$ 800,000	$ 800,000

";

Renumber the sections following the above insertion.

(SIGNED) SENATOR WOMACK

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 323 was ordered engrossed.

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

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

On motion of Senator Womack, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 259 at this time.

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 259 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 259

As Engrossed: S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE OPERATIONS AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 259 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 259, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 259 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

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

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

On motion of Senator Womack, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1931 at this time.

On motion of Senator Womack, House Bill No. 1931 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1931
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER WORKSTATION SOFTWARE UPGRADE AND DB2 CONVERSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1931 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1931, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1931 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 382 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 382
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND § 26-57-1305 CONCERNING THE REPORTING OF INFORMATION AND ESCROW INSTALLMENTS UNDER THE TOBACCO MASTER SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 382 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 382 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 765 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 765
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 1366 OF 2003, CONCERNING HOMELAND SECURITY AND THREAT ASSESSMENT PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 765 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 765, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 765 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 767 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 767
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON CRITERIA AND QUALIFICATIONS FOR CHIEFS OF POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 767 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 767 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1479 at this time.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1479 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1479

Amend House Bill No. 1479 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 36 through page 2, line 5 and substitute the following:

"(3) Any school district that entered into contracts with classified personnel prior to the effective date of this act and the contracts provided for a higher employer contribution funding amount than is paid for certified personnel in the school district shall freeze the employer contribution funding amount for classified employees until such time as the funding amount contributed for certified personnel equals or exceeds the funding amount provided for classified employees."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BRYLES

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1479 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 588 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 588
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING THE AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS RACING COMMISSION TO ENABLE THE COMMISSION TO SET LICENSE FEES AND CONDUCT CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS ON LICENSE APPLICANTS AND EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 588 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 588, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 588 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 31 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 31

As Engrossed: S1/30/07 S2/6/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS MADISON AND *SALMON*

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON AND BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT REFERRALS TO WEBSITES OF TEXTBOOK *RETAILERS* THAT ARE NOT REQUIRED TO COLLECT AND DO NOT AGREE TO PAY ARKANSAS SALES AND USE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 31 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 31, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 31 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, Senate Bill No. 368 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 368
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS WILKINSON, BAKER & SALMON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES THYER, ROSENBAUM, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE BANK DEPARTMENT TO OWN, ACQUIRE, OR CONSTRUCT SUITABLE OFFICES; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE BANK DEPARTMENT TO OBTAIN THE NECESSARY FUNDS FOR THE ACQUISITION OR CONSTRUCTION OF SUITABLE OFFICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 368 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 368, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 368 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 300 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 300

As Engrossed: S3/1/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE ENFORCEMENT OF ADULT MALTREATMENT PROTECTION LAWS BY AMENDING THE ADULT MALTREATMENT CUSTODY ACT REGARDING THE DEFINITION OF ABUSE AND PROVISIONS REGARD EMERGENCY CUSTODY, PROBABLE CAUSE HEARINGS, AND THE AVAILABILITY OF CUSTODY AND PROTECTIVE SERVICES RECORDS; TO AMEND THE ADULT AND LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENT MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 300 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 300 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate Bill No. 600 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 600
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A LICENSED SURVEYOR TO FILE A PLAT AFTER RECEIVING PAYMENT FOR THE SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 600 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Luker, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Whitaker, Wilkins, Womack.

Total 20

NEGATIVE: Broadway, Madison, Trusty.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Brown, Bryles, Hill, G. Jeffress, Laverty, T. Smith, Steele, Wilkinson.

Total 12

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 23

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 600 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1489 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1489

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOPER, CHEATHAM, EVERETT, ET AL

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF UNLAWFUL DOG ATTACK; TO PROTECT THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1489 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1489 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Womack, House Bill No. 1362 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1362

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON AND WALTERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING BENEFICIARY DEEDS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECOVERY OR DISCLAIMER OF REIMBURSEMENT OF BENEFITS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1362 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1362 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1475 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1475

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE JURISDICTION OF JUVENILE COURTS TO ENSURE THAT A FELONY OR MISDEMEANOR THAT IS COMMITTED BY A JUVENILE BEFORE THE JUVENILE IS EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF AGE MAY BE PROSECUTED IN THE JUVENILE DIVISION OF CIRCUIT COURT WHEN THE JUVENILE IS EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1475 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1475, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1475 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Womack, House Bill No. 1523 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1523
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PERMIT CITIES AND COUNTIES TO REQUIRE ELECTRONIC DATA TRANSFER OF PAWNSHOP RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1523 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1523, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1523 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Trusty, House Bill No. 1502 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1502
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE, BERRY, GEORGE, ET AL
BY: SENATORS WHITAKER AND TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CHANGING THE NAME OF ARKANSAS VALLEY TECHNICAL INSTITUTE OF ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY TO ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY – OZARK CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1502 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1502, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1502 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 1444 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1444

As Engrossed: H2/21/07 H2/23/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, E. BROWN CHESTERFIELD, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MINIMIZE THE SPREAD *OF THE COMMUNICABLE DISEASE OF HUMAN IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS (HIV) CARRIED BY INMATES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; TO REQUIRE TESTING OR SCREENING OF INMATES UNDER CERTAIN* CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1444 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1444 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Womack, House Bill No. 1414 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1414

As Engrossed: S3/1/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ALCOHOL EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR *PERSONS CONVICTED OF DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED; AMENDING ARKANSAS CODE § 20-64-601 CONCERNING THE NAME OF THE BUREAU OF ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION;* AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1414 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1414 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 680 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 680
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE APPLICATION TO TAKE THE OPTOMETRIST EXAMINATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 680 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 680, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 680 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1360 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1360

As Engrossed: S3/1/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS AND MALOCH

BY: SENATORS R. THOMPSON AND LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADOPT THE UNIFORM ESTATE TAX APPORTIONMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1360 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1360 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1378 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1378
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING COUNTY CONTINUING EDUCATION FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1378 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1378 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1492 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1492
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COUNTY ASSESSORS' CONTINUING EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1492 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1492 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1284 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1284

As Engrossed: S2/22/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, HYDE, ADCOCK, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE DEMOLITION WORK UNDER THE CONTRACTORS LICENSING LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1284 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1284 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1442 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1442

As Engrossed: H2/15/07 S2/26/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SUMPTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS FOR BEER KEGS SOLD FOR OFF-PREMISES CONSUMPTION BY ALLOWING THE IDENTIFICATION LABEL TO BE COPIED RATHER THAN PRODUCED IN TRIPLICATE; TO REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT THAT THE DEALER COLLECT A REGISTRATION DEPOSIT ON EACH KEG OF BEER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1442 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Bisbee, Bookout, Broadway, Brown, Bryles, Capps, Critcher, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hill, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson, Womack.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Hendren, Trusty.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1442 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended No. 1.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1460 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1460
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PICKETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE ACCOUNTABILITY AND REVIEW REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING ATHLETIC EXPENDITURES BY PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1460 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Argue, Baker, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Hill, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, Luker, Madison, Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total 25

NEGATIVE: Bookout, Laverty, Steele, J. Taylor.

Total 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bisbee, Brown, Critcher, Horn, B. Johnson, Womack.

Total 6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....29

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1460 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1632, BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNY, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1633, BY REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 59, BY SENATORS FARIS, BAKER, GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 278, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 287, BY SENATOR MADISON,
REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS,

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 9:55 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY"HANK"WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 59
SENATE BILL NO. 278
SENATE BILL NO. 287

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 5th day of March, 2007, at 9:55 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Angela Tollette
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 261, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Womack, Senate Bill No. 261 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 4
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. RICHARD OTTO ROHWEDDER AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO HISTORY AND TO HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 4 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 6
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF DR. JOHN ALVIN VAUGHN AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 6 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 829
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT PROPERTY OWNERS FROM CONTAMINATION BY MANUFACTURING OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES; TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY TO CREATE A PROGRAM FOR REMEDIATION OF CONTAMINATED PROPERTY; TO REQUIRE PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF CONTAMINATED PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 829 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. 830
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CREATION AND OPERATION OF RESEARCH PARK AUTHORITIES FOR THE PURPOSES OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; TO PRESCRIBE THE POWERS, DUTIES, AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF RESEARCH PARK AUTHORITIES; TO AMEND THE INTERLOCAL COOPERATION ACT TO SPECIFY RESEARCH PARKS; TO EXTEND THE CURRENT INCENTIVE FOR A DONATION TO A UNIVERSITY TO INCLUDE RESEARCH PARK AUTHORITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 830 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 831
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE CONSISTENCY IN THE STATUTORY LANGUAGE REGARDING PRIOR ALCOHOL-RELATED OFFENSES TO CONSIDER WHEN SUSPENDING OR REVOKING DRIVING PRIVILEGES; TO TREAT CONVICTIONS FOR ALCOHOL-RELATED OFFENSES IN OTHER STATES THAT ARE REPORTED UNDER THE RECIPROCAL SYSTEM AS IF THE OFFENSE HAD HAPPENED IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 831 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 832

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS WILKINS, BOOKOUT, CAPPS, GLOVER & TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS WIRELESS INFORMATION NETWORK FOR ALL STATE, COUNTY, AND MUNICIPAL AGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 832 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 833

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE EIGHTY-SIXTH SESSION PROJECTS ACCOUNT WITHIN THE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT FUND; TO DEFINE THE MONIES TO BE AVAILABLE IN SUCH ACCOUNT; AND TO DEFINE THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH MONIES MAY BE MADE AVAILABLE FROM THE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT FUND SO THAT ADDITIONAL FUNDS CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR THE STATE BUDGET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 833 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 834
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS REVENUE STABILIZATION LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 834 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 835
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF "SCHOOL BUS" AS USED IN THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 835 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 836
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE WORKERS' COMPENSATION FUNERAL BENEFITS; TO ADD A ONE-TIME DEATH BENEFIT; TO AMEND A PORTION OF ARKANSAS CODE WHICH RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1948; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 836 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. 837
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ARGUE AND BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE UP TO TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE (275) ARKANSAS GOVERNOR'S DISTINGUISHED SCHOLARSHIPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 837 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 838
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ARGUE AND BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FREE TUITION AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN OF DISABLED VETERANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 838 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 839
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ARGUE AND BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 839 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 840

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS GLOVER, CRITCHER, BOOKOUT, CAPPS, HENDREN, B. JOHNSON, J. TAYLOR, TRUSTY, WILKINS & BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO ISSUE FEDERAL HIGHWAY GRANT ANTICIPATION AND TAX REVENUE BONDS FOR THE PURPOSES OF CONSTRUCTING AND RENOVATING ROADS AND HIGHWAYS; PROVIDING FOR A STATEWIDE ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF ISSUING BONDS; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 840 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 841

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CREATION OF DISTANCE LEARNING CHARTER SCHOOLS; TO ESTABLISH OPERATING, RECORD KEEPING, ACCOUNTABILITY, AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR DISTANCE LEARNING CHARTER SCHOOLS; TO PROVIDE STATE FUNDING FOR DISTANCE LEARNING CHARTER SCHOOLS; TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND CHARTER SCHOOLS TO OPERATE BLENDED SCHOOL PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 841 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 842
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BISBEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A FUNDING FORMULA FOR PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION THAT USES PERFORMANCE MEASURES; TO CREATE THE HIGHER EDUCATION PERFORMANCE MEASURE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 842 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 843
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS TRAVELING TEACHER PROGRAM TO ASSIST RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN PROVIDING APPROPRIATELY CERTIFIED LICENSED TEACHERS TO TEACH REQUIRED COURSES IN KINDERGARTEN AND GRADES NINE THROUGH TWELVE (9-12); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 843 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 844

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RESTRICT THE ELIGIBILITY FOR PAROLE OR COMMUNITY CORRECTION TRANSFER OF PERSONS SENTENCED TO ENHANCED PENALTIES UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 844 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 845

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A CHEMICAL TEST OF THE BLOOD, BREATH, OR URINE OF THE DRIVER OF A MOTOR VEHICLE INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT RESULTING IN A DEATH BASED ON REASONABLE SUSPICION THAT THE DRIVER IS UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL OR DRUGS OR BOTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 845 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 846
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON RFID TECHNOLOGY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 846 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 847
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A MODEL ACT TO GUARANTEE SEXUAL ASSAULT VICTIMS ACCESS TO EMERGENCY CONTRACEPTION IN HOSPITAL EMERGENCY DEPARTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 847 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. 848
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR REPORTING AND REMITTING INCOME TAX ON WINNINGS PAID BY ELECTRONIC GAMES OF SKILL AT OAKLAWN JOCKEY CLUB AND SOUTHLAND GREYHOUND PARK; TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT ON WHICH THE FRANCHISE HOLDER IS REQUIRED TO WITHHOLD INCOME TAX ON WINNINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 848 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 849
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED § 26-18-303 TO ALLOW THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TO OBTAIN FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION INFORMATION RELATED TO ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 849 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PETRUS

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MARCH 30, 2007; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNTIL 12:00 NOON, APRIL 27, 2007; TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, BY JOINT PROCLAMATION, TO RECONVENE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE 12:00 NOON, APRIL 27, 2007, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES, CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS, COMPLETING ITS WORK ON PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, AND CONSIDERING THE NEED FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OR TO ADJOURN THE EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE THAT DATE IF THEY DETERMINE THAT THERE IS NO NEED TO RECONVENE; TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, APRIL 27, 2007, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1374

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1374 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1392

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES AND DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM/SERVICES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1392 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1433
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR FIVE ADDITIONAL CIRCUIT JUDGESHIPS FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1433 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1438
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, ET AL
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR FILING INSTRUMENTS WITH A COUNTY RECORDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1438 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1446

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES REYNOLDS, HAWKINS, HOYT, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS REGARDING RIGHTS TO LOWER ASSESSMENTS ON THE TAXPAYER'S HOMESTEAD USED AS A PRINCIPAL PLACE OF RESIDENCE AS CONTAINED IN THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1446 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1465

As Engrossed: H2/20/07 H3/1/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WEBB, T. BAKER, T. BRADFORD, ET AL

BY: SENATORS MADISON, BISBEE & HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE LANDFILLS TO OFFER STYROFOAM RECYCLING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1465 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR .

HOUSE BILL NO. 1474
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HALL, ANDERSON, T. BAKER, ET AL
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE SALE AND USE OF ROTATING, FLASHING, OR OSCILLATING BLUE LIGHTS FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1474 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1521
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE THE REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT PLANS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS; TO ENCOURAGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO DEVELOP PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT PLANS THAT FACILITATE BETTER COMMUNICATION, SUPPORT FOR PARENTING SKILLS, INTEGRATION OF PARENTS INTO STUDENT LEARNING, VOLUNTEERING, AND COLLABORATION BETWEEN SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1521 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1575

As Engrossed: H2/28/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SUMPTER, SHELBY, *ET AL*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TRAUMA SYSTEM ACT, § 20-13-801 ET SEQ.; TO CREATE THE TRAUMA SYSTEM REVOLVING TRUST *FUND; TO FUND THE STATEWIDE TRAUMA SYSTEM;* AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1575 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1713

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR MANUFACTURING, DELIVERING, OR POSSESSING WITH INTENT TO MANUFACTURE OR DELIVER CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES IN SCHEDULE VI UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1713 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1716

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PATE AND D. EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A SIGNAL OF INTENTION TO CHANGE LANES IN A VEHICLE BEFORE CHANGING LANES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1716 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 1726

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KENNEY AND ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT IN CONCORDANCE WITH THE 2006 ACT 57 STUDY; TO ASSIST SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH THE TRANSITION BETWEEN LEVELS OF CATEGORICAL FUNDING FOR NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH STUDENTS BY PROVIDING A METHOD OF TRANSITIONAL FUNDING DURING A THREE-YEAR PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1726 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1731
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 21-4-505 ALLOWING TWO-YEAR COLLEGES TO COMPENSATE ALL EMPLOYEES FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE AT RETIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1731 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2220
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME UP TO ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY (180) DAYS TO FILE CERTAIN TAX RETURNS; TO PROVIDE AN ADDITIONAL EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE AN ARKANSAS CORPORATE INCOME TAX RETURN; TO CONFORM THE INCOME TAX FILING DATE FOR EXEMPT ORGANIZATIONS WITH THE CORRESPONDING FEDERAL FILING DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2220 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: COMMENDING THE PATRIOT GUARD RIDERS FOR THEIR SUPPORT FOR OUR FALLEN MILITARY HEROES AND THEIR FAMILIES.

Senate Resolution No. 11 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 850
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-21-403 OF THE FREE TEXT BOOK ACT OF 1975; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 850 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 851
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE THE PENALTY FOR PASSING A SCHOOL BUS; TO SIMPLIFY THE REPORTING OF VIOLATIONS OF THE PASSING OF A SCHOOL BUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 851 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 852
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR ADVERTISING AND HOLDING A PUBLIC HEARING PRIOR TO AN ISSUANCE OF BONDS UNDER THE JOINT COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL ACT; TO CLARIFY PUBLIC HEARING REQUIREMENTS FOR BONDS; TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 852 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 853
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE REFERRING A DEBTOR TO A COLLECTION AGENCY OR CONSUMER REPORTING AGENCY WITHOUT ADDRESS VERIFICATION AND NOTICE TO THE DEBTOR'S LAST KNOWN ADDRESS A DECEPTIVE AND UNCONSCIONABLE TRADE PRACTICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 853 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 854
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE POWERS OF THE GOVERNOR AND LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS DURING A STATE OF INSURRECTION OR EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 854 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 855
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER
BY: REPRESNTATIVES E. BROWN AND HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING PROCEDURES AND DEADLINES FOR ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 855 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES ANND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 856
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTS TO CHANGE A NAME ON A DRIVER'S LICENSE BY PROVIDING A LIST OF ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 856 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 857
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE DISCLOSURE OF CERTAIN INFORMATION IN A PETITION FOR AN ORDER OF PROTECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 857 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 858
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING DISCRETIONARY TRANSFER TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION BY THE PAROLE BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 858 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

SENATE RESOLUTION COMMENDING JOHN C. WYVILL UPON HIS DEPARTURE FROM THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION.

Senate Resolution No. 12 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 17

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON MARCH 30, 2007; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNTIL 12:00 NOON, APRIL 27, 2007; TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, BY JOINT PROCLAMATION, TO RECONVENE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE 12:00 NOON, APRIL 27, 2007, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES, CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS, COMPLETING ITS WORK ON PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, AND CONSIDERING THE NEED FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OR TO ADJOURN THE EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE THAT DATE IF THEY DETERMINE THAT THERE IS NO NEED TO RECONVENE; TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, APRIL 27, 2007, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 17 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 18
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING ALPHA PHI ALPHA FRATERNITY, INC. FOR ONE HUNDRED (100) YEARS OF COMMUNITY SERVICE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 18 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 859
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PROPERTY SUBJECT TO FORFEITURE UNDER THE UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 859 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 860

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 16 TO CREATE JUVENILE DRUG COURTS; TO ESTABLISH JUVENILE DRUG COURT PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 860 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 861

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CHILD HEALTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE; TO AMEND THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE CHILD HEALTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 861 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. 862
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS TAXPAYER'S PROTECTION ACT; TO REQUIRE AN ELECTION BY COUNTY ELECTORS OR MUNICIPAL ELECTORS PRIOR TO A COUNTY OR MUNICIPALITY ENACTING A REAL PROPERTY TRANSFER TAX; TO PROVIDE FOR A DEVELOPMENT IMPACT FEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 862 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 863
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS; TO AMEND SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 2000; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 863 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND ALBOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 864
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THE RIGHT TO NOTICE OF DEFICIENCIES TO LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENTS AND THEIR RESPONSIBLE PARTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 864 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. 865
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DUTIES, COMPOSITION, AND AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS TOWING AND RECOVERY BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSE.

Senate Bill No. 865 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 866
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES SHALL BE ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN ALL STATE ENTITIES THAT DEAL WITH PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES AND ALL ENTITIES THAT CONTRACT WITH THE STATE TO PROVIDE SERVICES TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 866 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. 867
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ARKANSAS STUDENTS ATTENDING CHARTER SCHOOLS AN OPTION TO OBTAIN AN EDUCATION IN A GENDER-SPECIFIC LEARNING ENVIRONMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 867 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 868
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE HUMAN SERVICES WORKERS IN THE SCHOOLS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 868 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. 869
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE COMPONENTS OF THE CITY MANAGER FORM OF GOVERNMENT UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 869 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 870
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 20, CHAPTER 22, SUBCHAPTER 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE; CONCERNING FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, FIXED FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS, AND FIRE PROTECTION SPRINKLER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 870 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 871
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS TRUSTY AND B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PREVENT FORCED ABORTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 871 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. 872
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF AN ALDERMAN'S OATH OF OFFICE BY A MAYOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 872 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 873
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE COLLECTION OF A DNA SAMPLE FOLLOWING AN ARREST OR CRIMINAL CHARGE FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES; TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR THE COLLECTION, MAINTENANCE, AND DISSEMINATION OF DNA SAMPLES SUBMITTED FOLLOWING AN ARREST OR CRIMINAL CHARGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 873 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 874
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ALLOWING THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO SUSPEND A SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT'S LICENSE FOR THREE (3) CONSECUTIVE AUDIT REPORTS IDENTIFYING THE SAME ISSUE; TO ALLOW THE SUSPENSION OF A SUPERINTENDENT'S LICENSE FOR FAILURE TO USE THE COMPETITIVE BID PROCESS; TO PROVIDE FOR AN APPEAL AND HEARING ON A REVOCATION OR SUSPENSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 874 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 875
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CHEATHAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING A MERGER OF THE DEPARTMENTS OF THE ASHLEY COUNTY DISTRICT COURT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 875 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 876

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT REPAIR OR REPLACEMENT PARTS FOR FARM EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY FROM THE GROSS RECEIPTS AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 876 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 877

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TREAT ALL SPECIAL REVENUES AS GENERAL REVENUES; TO AMEND THE PURPOSE FOR THE SPECIAL FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 877 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 878
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT FROM SALES AND USE TAX THE RETAIL SALE OF RENEWABLE RESOURCE EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 878 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 879
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE THRESHOLD AGE OF CHILDREN PROTECTED UNDER THE OFFENSE OF SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE FOURTH DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 879 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 880

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A BUSINESS OR INDIVIDUAL THAT PURCHASES RENEWABLE RESOURCE EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 880 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 881

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE SAFETY ON ROADS AND HIGHWAYS BY ADDRESSING ISSUES RELATED TO IMPAIRED DRIVERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 881 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 882
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DUTIES OF THE OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE IN HANDLING CORPORATE FRANCHISE TAX REPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSE.

Senate Bill No. 882 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 883
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING THE ELECTION LAWS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS CONCERNING DESIGNATED BEARERS, AUTHORIZED AGENTS, AND ADMINISTRATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 883 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 884
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE E. BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF ELECTION OFFICIALS AND ELECTION OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 884 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 885
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ARGUE AND BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE STATE TEACHER ASSISTANCE RESOURCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 885 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 886
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ARGUE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHICAL CRITICAL NEEDS MINORITY TEACHER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM ACT OF 2001; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 886 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 887
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ARGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A STANDARDIZED CHART OF ACCOUNTS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT FINANCIAL REPORTING TO THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 887 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 888
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ARGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR IMPROVED TIMELINESS, SECURITY, AND QUALITY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL DATA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 888 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 889
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ARGUE AND BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KENNEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TEACHER OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 889 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 890
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT A WATER AUTHORITY'S PROJECTS AND INCOME FROM ALL EXCISE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 890 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 20
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE, L. SMITH, CASH, ET AL

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS TO IDENTIFY THEIR INVESTMENTS IN COMPANIES THAT ARE OPERATING IN SUDAN; TO DIVEST ANY INVESTMENT IN A COMPANY OPERATING IN SUDAN; AND TO PREVENT ANY FUTURE INVESTMENT IN A COMPANY OPERATING IN SUDAN UNTIL THE GENOCIDE IN DARFUR, SUDAN, HAS ENDED.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 20 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 21
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 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.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 21 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 19
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ARGUE, BAKER, BISBEE, BROADWAY, BRYLES, HENDREN, J. JEFFRESS & G. JEFFRESS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING, IN CONCORDANCE WITH THE 2006 ACT 57 ADEQUACY STUDY, THAT THE SENATE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND THE HOUSE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION CONDUCT A STUDY TO DETERMINE THE ESSENTIAL COMPONENTS OF AN EXEMPLARY STATEWIDE TEACHER SUPPORT SYSTEM AND THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PREPARE A PLAN FOR IMPLEMENTING AN EXEMPLARY STATEWIDE TEACHER SUPPORT SYSTEM.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 19 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Senate Bill No. 396 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 7
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MADISON, BROWN, HORN, SALMON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, R. THOMPSON, & LUKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF JUDGE ELSIJANE TRIMBLE ROY AND IN RECOGNITION OF HER MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, AND HER LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 891
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE LICENSURE AS AN ACUPUNCTURIST WITHOUT EXAMINATION TO NATIONALLY CERTIFIED ACUPUNCTURISTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 891 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. 892
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH MINIMUM HABITABILITY STANDARDS FOR RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 892 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 893
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING TIMES AND PROCEDURES FOR CERTAIN ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 893 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 894
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CAPITAL CREDITS OF RURAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COOPERATIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 894 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 895
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS AND GASKILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PATIENT CHOICE ACT; TO ALLOW ARKANSAS PATIENTS MORE CHOICE IN THEIR PRESCRIPTION DRUG BUYING PURCHASES BY REGULATING THE DISPENSING OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS BY CERTAIN MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 895 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. 896
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY AND SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RICE RESEARCH AND PROMOTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 896 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 897
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE GUIDELINES FOR HEALTHY VENDING BEVERAGES IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 897 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 898
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE ARKANSAS ENERGY OFFICE TO PROMOTE ENERGY EFFICIENCY IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 898 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 899
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION TO REVIEW STATUTES, RULES, AND REGULATIONS FOR ENERGY-RELATED CONTENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 899 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 900
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STATE SURVEYOR TO REFER A COMPLAINT ABOUT A SURVEYOR TO THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 900 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 22
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO URGE CONGRESS AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY TO ADD CRITICAL PRIVACY AND CIVIL LIBERTY SAFEGUARDS TO THE REAL ID ACT OF 2005 AND TO FULLY FUND OR SUSPEND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE REAL ID ACT.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 22 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 901
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING NOTES OR BONDS OF A SUBURBAN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 901 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 902
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOND ACT, § 14-164-302 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 902 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 903
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MERGE THE ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT DIVISIONS OF THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL DIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 903 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 904
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 28-48-102 TO CLARIFY THE EFFECT OF A PROBATE ORDER AND THE PURPOSE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 904 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 905
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 16-116-102 CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "SUPPLIER"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 905 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 906
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 4-86-102 TO CLARIFY THE LIABILITY OF SUPPLIERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 906 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 907

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTORY FORECLOSURE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 907 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 908

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE SEVERANCE TAX ON NATURAL GAS; TO CREATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT VARIOUS STATE, COUNTY, OR LOCAL NEEDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 908 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 909
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT-EAST FROM A DIVISION A TO A DIVISION B JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 909 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 910
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS WILKINS, BROWN, CRUMBLY & STEELE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SUMPTER, KEY, COOPER, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT CONSUMERS BY PROHIBITING THE AUTOMATIC RENEWAL OF PROFESSIONAL HOME SECURITY SERVICES CONTRACTS; TO PROVIDE THE CONSUMER WITH THE OPTION OF MONTHLY RENEWALS TERMINABLE AT WILL WITHOUT PENALTY; TO PROVIDE THE CONSUMER WITH CONSPICUOUS NOTICE OF THE RIGHT OF TERMINATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 910 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 911
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT OR REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF MERCURY IN CHILDHOOD VACCINES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 911 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 912
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A MINIMUM TWO-YEAR WAITING PERIOD FOR RECONSIDERATION BY THE PAROLE BOARD OF A TRANSFER TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR OFFENDERS SENTENCED FOR SERIOUS OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 912 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 913
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DAVENPORT, RAGLAND & OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EQUALIZE FOUNDATION FUNDING FOR SPECIAL NEEDS PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 913 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 914
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT AUTOMATED TELEPHONE SOLICITATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 914 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 13
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

SENATE RESOLUTION DESIGNATING "STARS OF LIFE DAY" AND RECOGNIZING THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF CERTAIN EMS PROFESSIONALS.

Senate Resolution No. 13 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 23
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING THE ARKANSAS GAME AND FISH COMMISSION TO USE REVENUES GENERATED BY THE FAYETTEVILLE SHALE PLAY TO INCREASE HUNTING ACCESSIBILITY FOR HANDICAPPED ARKANSANS AND TEACH SAFE HUNTING PRACTICES TO CHILDREN.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 23 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 915
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE CONTRACTORS TO SUBMIT PROOF OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE WHEN APPLYING FOR A LICENSE OR A RENEWAL OF A LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 915 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 916
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE WORKERS' COMPENSATION; TO REQUIRE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE OF ALL WORKERS; TO AMEND A PORTION OF THE ARKANSAS CODE THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1948; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 916 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 917
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE PURCHASE AND SALE OF PROPANE GAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 917 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 918
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES TO USE OR PERMIT THE USE OF ELECTRONIC RECORDS AND ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES NO LATER THAN JUNE 30, 2008; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 918 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 919
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DAVENPORT, RAGLAND & OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EQUALIZE FOUNDATION FUNDING FOR SPECIAL NEEDS PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 919 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 920
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ARGUE AND BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR IMPROVED PROCESSES TO ENSURE THE QUALITY, SECURITY, VALIDATION, AND TIMELINESS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL DATA IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL COMPUTER NETWORK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 920 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 921

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF STATE AGENCIES' RULES AND PROCEDURES THAT RELATE TO CHILDREN AND FAMILIES OF INCARCERATED PARENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 921 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 922

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ARGUE AND BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR MONTHLY REPORTING OF SELECTED DATA FROM THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL COMPUTER NETWORK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 922 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 923
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPOSE DUTIES AND RESTRICTIONS ON CHECK-CASHERS AS RELATED TO MILITARY CUSTOMERS AND THEIR SPOUSES; TO IMPOSE PENALTIES FOR ROLLOVERS; TO ENCOURAGE AND PERMIT NO-FEE EXTENDED PAYOUTS; TO RESTRICT COLLECTION PRACTICES; TO OTHERWISE ENSURE FAIRNESS IN CHECK-CASHING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 923 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 924
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CREATION AND OPERATION OF THE CONNECT ARKANSAS NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION TO PROMOTE BROADBAND EDUCATION AND DEPLOYMENT IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 924 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 925
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE DELIVERY OF BROADBAND INTERNET TO CITIZENS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 925 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS was placed on third reading and.

SENATE BILL NO. 926
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONFORM THE LIST OF INTERIM COMMITTEES TO THE LISTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND SENATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 926 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 927
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 1974 OF 2005 TO IMPROVE RETENTION AND GRADUATION RATES AT PUBLIC COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 927 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 928
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE TEMPORARY LICENSING OF ELECTRICIANS FOR WORK ON INDUSTRY PROJECTS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGISTRATION OF ELECTRICAL APPRENTICES FOLLOWING COMPLETION OF APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 928 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 929

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 6 CONCERNING OPEN-ENROLLMENT CHARTER SCHOOLS AND CONVERSION CHARTER SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 929 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 930

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 930 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 931
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PREPAID AFFORDABLE COLLEGE TUITION PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 931 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 932
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 6 CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 932 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 933
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 933 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 934
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ACT TO REVISE VARIOUS LAWS CONCERNING OFFENSES, SENTENCING, ALTERNATIVE SENTENCING, FINES, AND GENERAL REFORMS TO THE JUSTICE AND JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 934 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 935
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE GENERAL REFORMS TO THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM AND THE JUSTICE SYSTEM AND TO REVISE VARIOUS LAWS CONCERNING OFFENSES, SENTENCING, ALTERNATIVE SENTENCING, AND FINES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 935 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 936
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 6 RELATING TO CONVERSION CHARTER SCHOOLS AND OPEN-ENROLLMENT CHARTER SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 936 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 937

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A GRAIN ASSESSMENT TO PROMOTE GRAIN PRODUCTION THROUGH BIOFUEL INCENTIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 937 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 938

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE THE VOLUNTARY CREATION OF ADMINISTRATIVELY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICTS OR ADMINISTRATIVELY ANNEXED SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 938 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 939
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO EVALUATE THE SERVICES DELIVERED BY SUPPLEMENTAL EDUCATION SERVICE PROVIDERS BASED UPON SPECIFIED DATA SUBMITTED ANNUALLY BY SUPPLEMENTAL EDUCATION SERVICE PROVIDERS TO THE DEPARTMENT AND PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

Senate Bill No. 939 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 940
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-16-104 TO ALLOW EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENTS TO BE OFFERED IN AN ALTERNATIVE LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 940 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 941

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES AND WILKINS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT POVERTY FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS CORRESPONDS TO THE LEVEL OF POVERTY IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 941 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 942

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE TASK FORCE ON SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 942 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 11 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 43 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 240 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 242 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 243 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 277 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 286 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 292 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 299 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 302 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 285 was returned from the House as passed as amended No. 1.

Senate Bill No. 285 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 76, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 218, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 262, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 283, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 323, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 76 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 218 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 262 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 283 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 323 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 334, BY SENATOR STEELE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 334 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1619, BY SENATOR BURRIS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1479, BY REPRESENTATIVE WAGNER,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1439, BY REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN, et al,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 1439 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1620, BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRIS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 206, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 943

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE INDUSTRIAL REVENUE BOND GUARANTY LAW TO SPECIFY THAT THE PREMIUM PAYMENT MAY BE MADE AT THE TIME OF CLOSING; TO AMEND THE ELIGIBILITY OF COMPANIES THAT CAN APPLY FOR BOND GUARANTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 943 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 5, 2007

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 5, 2007, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-sixth General Assembly:

Senate Bill 005 -- ACT 196
Senate Bill 209 -- ACT 197
Senate Bill 268 -- ACT 198
Senate Bill 272 -- ACT 199

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

SENATE BILL NO. 944

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS WOMACK, CRITCHER, CRUMBLY, HORN, WILKINS & ALTES

BY: REPRESENTATIVES R. GREEN, KEY, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE QUALIFICATIONS AND REIMBURSEMENT OF PROVIDERS OF MENTAL HEALTH CARE ASSISTANCE TO INDIGENT PERSONS; TO ESTABLISH CRITERIA FOR THE ADMISSION OF INDIGENT PERSONS TO MENTAL HEALTH CARE PROGRAMS; TO ENSURE NONDISCRIMINATION AND CHOICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 944 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 945

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS WOMACK, CRITCHER, CRUMBLY, HORN, WILKINS & ALTES

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PACE, R. GREEN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE PER DIEM RATE PAYABLE TO A PROGRAM PROVIDER OF INDIGENT MENTAL HEALTH CARE ASSISTANCE; TO REQUIRE ACCREDITATION FOR CERTAIN PROGRAM PROVIDERS OF INDIGENT MENTAL HEALTH CARE ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 945 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 946
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT; TO ALLOW TAXPAYERS TO FILE AMENDED RETURNS AND CLAIMS FOR REFUNDS FOR AS LONG AS THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR ASSESSMENT IS OPEN TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION; TO CLARIFY THAT TAXPAYERS MAY SEEK JUDICIAL RELIEF UPON A FINDING OF A CREDIT OWING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 946 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 947
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS GLOVER, BISBEE & HILL
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LAMOUREUX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT PROVISIONS AFFECTING THE RECORDS AND MEETINGS OF PUBLIC WATER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 947 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 948

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A FUNDING MECHANISM TO SUPPORT A COMPUTER AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT RECYCLING PROGRAM; TO EXTEND THE DATE FOR BANNING THE DISPOSAL OF SUCH EQUIPMENT IN A LANDFILL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 948 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 949

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP OF POULTRY OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 949 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 950
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A REAL-TIME ELECTRONIC LOGBOOK TO DOCUMENT PURCHASES OF EPHEDRINE, PSEUDOEPHEDRINE, AND PHENYLPROPANOLAMINE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 950 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 951
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES E. BROWN AND FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS EVALUATION CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 951 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 952
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW TO CLARIFY A SCHOOL DISTRICT'S USE OF NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH ACT STUDENT FUNDING FOR TEACHER'S SALARIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 952 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 953
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO HELP ENSURE THE PROPER ADMINISTRATION OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS BY REQUIRING THE PRESENCE OF AN ADMINISTRATOR AT SCHOOL FACILITIES UNLESS ABSENT ON SCHOOL BUSINESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 953 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 954
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DIVISION OF HEALTH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO PROVIDE VACCINATIONS AGAINST THE HUMAN PAPILLOMA VIRUS TO EACH GIRL TWELVE (12) YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 954 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 955
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE FOSTER PARENT SUPPORT AND FOSTER CHILDREN PROTECTION ACT OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 955 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 956
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY LICENSING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 956 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 957
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.

Senate Bill No. 957 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 958
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT CONFIDENTIAL DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES INFORMATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 958 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2007

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 261, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHAWN WOMACK
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 959
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT THE CHILDREN WHO ARE MOST VULNERABLE BY CLARIFYING THE PUBLIC POLICY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS REGARDING THE PLACEMENT OF CHILDREN WITH AN ADOPTIVE OR FOSTER PARENT; TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO PROMULGATE RULES AND REGULATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 959 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 960
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC FACILITIES CONTINGENCY FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 960 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1016
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, SULLIVAN, STEWART & MOORE
BY: SENATOR HILL

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DECLARING "ARKANSAS'S" AS THE CORRECT SPELLING OF THE POSSESSIVE FORM OF THE NAME OF OUR STATE.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1017
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SCHULTE AND L. EVANS
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING JACKIE AND GEORGE BINDERIM OF CABOT, ARKANSAS, FOR THEIR SERVICE TO THE HUNGRY IN LONOKE COUNTY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1017 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1717
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PATE AND D. EVANS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE AWARD OF THE PISTOL CARRIED BY A MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICER UPON RETIREMENT; TO ALLOW A RETIRING MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICER TO PURCHASE HIS OR HER DUTY SHOTGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1717 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1651
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WELLS, HALL, ADCOCK, ET AL
BY: SENATORS T. SMITH AND WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE FREE TRADE AMONG IN-STATE AND OUT-OF-STATE SMALL WINERIES; TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM IN ARKANSAS; TO LICENSE SMALL FARM WINERIES; TO ALLOW SMALL FARM WINERIES TO OBTAIN OFF-PREMISES RETAIL SALES OUTLETS IN WET COUNTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1651 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1698

As Engrossed: H3/2/07

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, MEDLEY, ANDERSON, ET AL

BY: SENATORS STEELE, WILKINS, ALTES, BAKER, BISBEE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, B. JOHNSON, MADISON, MALONE, B. PRITCHARD, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, R. THOMPSON & WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE THE REGIONAL MOBILITY AUTHORITY ACT BY PLACING IT IN A STAND-ALONE CHAPTER IN THE ARKANSAS CODE AND BY ADDING THE NECESSARY PROVISIONS TO MAKE IT FEASIBLE FOR COUNTIES AND CITIES TO UTILIZE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1698 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2214

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW PERTAINING TO THE PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2214 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 2218
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A SUBCHAPER S CORPORATION TO ATTACH A COPY OF ITS FEDERAL INCOME TAX RETURN TO ITS ARKANSAS INCOME TAX RETURN; TO REQUIRE THAT SUBCHAPTER S ELECTION AND SHAREHOLDER CONSENT BE FILED ON FORMS PRESCRIBED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 2218 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2219
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 16-60-111 CONCERNING VENUE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2219 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2221
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CORNWELL, ALLEN, T. BAKER, ET AL
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, BAKER, BOOKOUT, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, HENDREN, LUKER, SALMON, STEELE & R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UTILITY FACILITY ENVIRONMENTAL AND ECONOMIC PROTECTION ACT; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC UTILITY INTERLOCAL COOPERATION ACT OF 2003; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2221 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2243
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE PRIORITY OF PRIMARY MOTOR VEHICLE LIABILITY INSURANCE COVERAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2243 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 5
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS WOMACK, FARIS & LAVERTY

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. J. E. DUNLAP, JR., AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 5 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 968
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PENALTY CLASSIFICATION FOR THE OFFENSE OF BATTERY IN THE FIRST DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 968 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 961
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PERMITTING THE SALE OF GOAT MILK AT PUBLIC MARKET FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 961 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 962
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY AND BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF ACADEMIC FACILITIES WEALTH INDEX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 962 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 969
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING NONCONSENT TOWING AND RECOVERY OF VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 969 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 970
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICTS TO PROVIDE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE, MONITORING, AND INSPECTIONS FOR CONTAMINATION FROM VARIOUS SOURCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 970 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 963
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO CONDUCT A STUDY TO REVISE THE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 963 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 964
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT OF INVESTIGATORS FOR THE TWENTY-THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 964 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 971
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPOSIT OF RENT INTO THE REGISTRY OF THE COURT PENDING THE DETERMINATION OF A FORCIBLE ENTRY AND DETAINER COMPLAINT OR UNLAWFUL DETAINER COMPLAINT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 971 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 972
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND STATUTES CONCERNING THE CITY MANAGER FORM OF MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 972 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 965

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ALTES, WILKINSON, WHITAKER & HILL

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MEDLEY, PENNARTZ, GLIDEWELL, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ANNUAL LEAVE AND SICK LEAVE PAYMENTS FOR CERTAIN FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICE EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 965 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 966

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ISSUE ELECTIONS IN CITIES HAVING THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 966 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 973
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 25 TO ADD AN ADDITIONAL CHAPTER TO ESTABLISH THE DAISY GATSON BATES HOLIDAY COMMITTEE TO DEVELOP AND COORDINATE APPROPRIATE CEREMONIES AND ACTIVITIES THROUGHOUT THE STATE RELATING TO THE OBSERVANCE OF DAISY GATSON BATES HOLIDAY; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 25-16-903 TO SET A STIPEND FOR THE COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 973 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 974
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE ARKANSAS TASK FORCE ON RACIAL PROFILING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 974 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 967
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY WHEN TOWING VEHICLES LICENSED IN OTHER STATES ARE AUTHORIZED TO TOW VEHICLES IN ARKANSAS; TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS TOWING AND RECOVERY BOARD TO MAKE RULES FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF § 27-35-112; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 967 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 975
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REALLOCATE A PORTION OF THE BAIL BOND FEES UNDER ARKANSAS CODE § 17-19-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 975 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 976

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THE FAIR TREATMENT OF LITIGANTS IN ARKANSAS COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 976 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 977

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR ARKANSAS DRUG COURTS; TO AMEND SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 2000; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 977 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 978
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL EXCISE TAX ON THE SALE OF DISTILLATE SPECIAL FUEL SOLD IN THIS STATE OR PURCHASED FOR SALE OR USE IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 978 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 979
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WOMACK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE CIVIL JUSTICE REFORM ACT OF 2003; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 979 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 980
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HORN AND CRITCHER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ELIMINATE THE JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE ON HEALTH INSURANCE AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 980 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 981
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: ACCESS TO POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION ACT OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 981 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 982
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LOCAL OPTION ELECTIONS TO DISALLOW ELECTRONIC GAMES OF SKILL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 982 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 983
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT RELATING TO FUNDING OF PUBLIC ART IN STATE FUNDED FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 983 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 984
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE INCLUSION OF TORNADO AND STORM SHELTERS IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF ALL NEW PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 984 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 985
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER CERTAIN FUNDS TO THE RED RIVER WATERWAYS PROJECT TRUST FUND FROM THE GENERAL REVENUES OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 985 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 986
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS OF THE TEACHER FAIR DISMISSAL ACT OF 1983, § 6-17-1501 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 986 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 24
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING MR. CHARLES L. ROBINSON AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND THE DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 24 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 987

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK AND STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RATE OF PAYMENT FOR TEACHERS FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEDULED OUTSIDE OF THE NORMAL BASE CONTRACT PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 987 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 988

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH CRITERIA FOR PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE VOLUNTARY EMBEDDING OF CHIPS FOR EQUINE MONITORING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 988 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 989
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CERTAIN FEES CHARGED BY THE ARKANSAS HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 989 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 990
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LEVY A TAX OF THREE PERCENT (3%) ON WINNINGS PAID BY ELECTRONIC GAMES OF SKILL AT OAKLAWN JOCKEY CLUB AND SOUTHLAND GREYHOUND PARK; TO PROVIDE FOR WITHHOLDING AND REPORTING TAX ON GAMING WINNINGS; TO PROVIDE THAT NO CREDIT FOR THE AMOUNT DEDUCTED AND WITHHELD SHALL BE ALLOWED UNDER THE ARKANSAS INCOME TAX ACT, § 26-51-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 990 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 991
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 6 TO CREATE A TASK FORCE ON TEACHER COMPENSATION; TO PILOT AND IMPLEMENT A PROGRAM FOR TEACHER COMPENSATION REFORM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 991 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 992
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING POLLING SITES FOR EARLY VOTING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 992 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 993
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICTS TO CONDUCT INSPECTIONS FOR CONTAMINATION FROM VARIOUS SOURCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 993 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 994
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A STATEWIDE PERMIT FOR PROPANE DEALERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 994 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 995
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE EXEMPTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS CLEAN INDOOR AIR ACT OF 2006; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 995 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 996
EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES OVERSIGHT BOARD; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 996 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 997

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ALTES, B. JOHNSON, ARGUE, BROADWAY & BRYLES

BY: REPRESENTATIVES DICKINSON, ABERNATHY, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BY CREATING A SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND MATH FUND TO INCREASE THE STATE'S ABILITY TO COMPETE FOR JOBS IN THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 997 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 998

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ALTES, B. JOHNSON, ARGUE, BROADWAY & BRYLES

BY: REPRESENTATIVES DICKINSON, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE TASK FORCE FOR THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY ECONOMY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 998 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 999

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ALTES, B. JOHNSON, ARGUE, BROADWAY & BRYLES

BY: REPRESENTATIVES DICKINSON, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY TO SUPPORT AN ALLIANCE OF RESEARCH UNIVERSITIES, CHANCELLORS AND PRESIDENTS, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE PRIVATE BUSINESS SECTOR FOR THE PURPOSE OF CREATING JOBS, INCREASING RESEARCH, AND ENCOURAGING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 999 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 1000

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ALTES, B. JOHNSON, ARGUE, BROADWAY & BRYLES

BY: REPRESENTATIVES DICKINSON, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT FOR THE PURPOSE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND CREATING HIGH-PAYING JOBS; TO AUTHORIZE THE CREATION OF THE ARKANSAS RISK CAPITAL MATCHING FUND TO ASSIST IN THE DEVELOPMENT AND RETENTION OF TECHNOLOGY-BASED ENTERPRISES IN ARKANSAS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND OVERSIGHT OF THE ARKANSAS RISK CAPITAL MATCHING FUND; TO PROVIDE FOR THE ARKANSAS RISK CAPITAL MATCHING FUND TO BE HELD IN THE ARKANSAS VENTURE CAPITAL INVESTMENT TRUST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

Senate Bill No. 1000 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, ECONOMIC & INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 1001

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE TRAVEL OF VEHICLES WITH MORE THAN TWO (2) AXLES IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1001 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 1002

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING OUTSIDE EMPLOYMENT BY STATE EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1002 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 1003

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW DENTISTS TO DISPENSE LEGEND DRUGS AFTER OBTAINING A PERMIT FROM THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS; AUTHORIZING THE BOARD TO COLLECT A FEE FOR THE PERMIT; AUTHORIZING THE BOARD TO ADOPT RULES GOVERNING PERMITS FOR AND THE DISPENSING OF LEGEND DRUGS BY DENTISTS IN ORDER TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1003 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 1004

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE RETAIL BEER TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1004 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1692

EIGHTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING EMPLOYEES OF OR PERSONS CONTRACTING WITH AGENCIES PROVIDING SERVICES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OR OTHER ENTITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1692 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

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SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1016
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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1018

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 6, 2007.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE