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TWENTY-SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

Little Rock, Arkansas

February 2, 2015

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:

BLEDSOE, BURNETT, CALDWELL, CHEATHAM,
CHESTERFIELD, CLARK, COLLINS-SMITH, COOPER,
DISMANG, ELLIOTT, ENGLISH, FILES, FLIPPO,
FLOWERS, HENDREN, HESTER, HICKEY,
HUTCHINSON, INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON,
D. JOHNSON, KING, LINDSEY, MALOCH, PIERCE,
RAPERT, RICE, SAMPLE, SANDERS, STUBBLEFIELD,
TEAGUE, WILLIAMS, WOODS.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Flippo.

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

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

On motion of Senator Cooper, **Senate Bill No. 4** was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 4

Amend **Senate Bill No. 4** as engrossed, S1/22/15:

Page 2, line 17, delete ", and devices" and substitute ", or devices"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 34 through 36 and substitute "(4) "Terminal illness means an incurable and irreversible condition that without the administration of life-sustaining treatment will, in the opinion of the patient's physician, result in death within a relatively short time."

AND

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

"(2) Has a determination from a qualified physician that the patient has no comparable or satisfactory treatment options approved by the United States Food and Drug Administration available to treat the terminal illness and that the probable risk to the patient from the investigational drug, biological product, or device is not greater than the probable risk from the terminal illness;"

AND

Page 3, line 14, delete "prescription or recommendation" and substitute "prescription"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 30 through 35 and substitute the following:

"(a) A manufacturer of an investigational drug, biological product, or device may:

(1) Provide an investigational drug, biological product, or device to an eligible patient without receiving compensation; or

(2)(A) Require an eligible patient to pay the costs associated with the manufacture of the investigational drug, biological product, or device.

(B) As used in this section, "costs associated with the manufacture of the investigational drug, biological product, or device" means the actual out-of-pocket costs incurred in providing the investigational drug, biological product, or device to the patient in the specific case.

(b) If a patient dies while being treated by an investigational drug, biological product, or device, the patient's heirs are not liable for any outstanding debt to the manufacturer related to the investigational drug, biological product, or device."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 2 through 3 and substitute the following:

"An insurance company:

(1) May, but is not required to, provide coverage for an investigational drug, biological product, or device; and

(2) Shall not deny coverage for an item or service that is:

(A) Otherwise covered by an insurance contract between the eligible person and an insurance company; and

(B) Used separately or in conjunction with an investigational drug, biological product, or device."

AND

Page 4, line 5 through 9 and substitute the following:

"20-15-2008. Prohibited sanctions.

The recommendation, prescription, treatment, or participation in the treatment of a terminal illness with an investigational drug, biological product, or device shall not permit:

(1) A licensing board to revoke a license, fail to renew a license, or take any other action against a physician's license;

(2) A state agency or licensing board to revoke a license, fail to renew a license, or take any other action against:

(A) A medical professional licensed under state law; or

(B) A hospital licensed under § 20-9-213; or

(3) An action against a hospital's Medicare certification."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 12 through 14 and substitute the following:

"The counseling, advice, or recommendation by a medical professional who is licensed under the state law is not a violation of this subchapter."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 17 through 24 and substitute the following:

"(a) Except in the case of gross negligence or willful misconduct, a person or entity that manufacturers, imports, distributes, prescribes, dispenses, administers, or is otherwise involved in the care of an eligible patient using an investigational drug, biological product, or device is immune from civil liability for any loss, damage, or injury arising out of, relating to, or resulting from the investigational drug, biological product, or device so long as the person or entity is substantially complying in good faith with this subchapter.

(b) This subchapter does not require a medical professional who is licensed under the laws of this state to counsel, advise, prescribe, dispense, administer, or otherwise be involved in the care of an eligible patient using an investigation drug, biological product, or device.

(c) This subchapter does not require a hospital licensed under § 20-9-213 to provide any service related to an investigational drug, biological product, or device."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN COOPER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 4 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Woods, Senate Bill No. 79 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 79

Amend Senate Bill No. 79 as engrossed, S1/26/15:

Page 2, line 5, delete "maintaining their reputations and" and substitute "maintaining"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 1 through 3, and substitute the following:
"damages from a person or obtain any other legal or equitable remedy on the claim for a commercial use prohibited by this subchapter unless the person knew of the claim of the successor in interest before the person undertook efforts or expense to make the commercial use."

AND

Page 5, line 33, delete "(a) Subject" and substitute "Subject"

AND

Page 5, delete line 36 and substitute the following:

"(2) The"

AND

Page 6, line 2, delete "ten (10) years" and substitute "fifty (50) years"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 3 through 8

AND

Page 6, delete line 20, and substitute the following:

"(c) Unless an individual's likeness or photograph is used to represent the individual as a member of a definable group solely as a result of being present at the time the photograph was taken and does not single out the individual for a commercial use prohibited by this subchapter, the fact that an individual is shown as a member of a definable"

AND

Page 7, line 26, delete "(f)(1)(A)" and substitute "(f)(1)"

AND

Page 7, line 28, delete "(i)" and substitute "(A)"

AND

Page 7, line 30, delete "(ii)" and substitute "(B)"

AND

Page 7, line 32, delete "(B)" and substitute "(2)"

AND

Page 7, line 34, delete "(C)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 8, delete lines 1 through 10

AND

Page 8, delete lines 15 through 18, and substitute the following:

"(a)(1) It is a fair use and not a violation of this subchapter if a name, voice, signature, photograph, or likeness is used:

(A) In connection with a news, public affairs, or sports broadcast or account of public interest, or a political campaign; or

(B) In:

(i) A play, book, magazine, newspaper, musical composition, audiovisual work, or radio or television program if it is fictional or nonfictional entertainment, or a dramatic, literary, or musical work;

(ii) A single and original work of art that is not a portrait, photograph, or likeness of an individual;

(iii) A work of political or newsworthy value; or

(iv) An advertisement or commercial announcement for any of the works described in this subdivision (a)(1)(B).

(2) The use of an individual's name, voice, signature, photograph, or likeness within a work that is protected under subdivision (a)(1) of this section is not a fair use protected by subdivision (a)(1) of this section if the claimant proves that the use is so directly connected with a product, article of merchandise, good, or service as to constitute an act of advertising, selling, or soliciting purchases of the product, article of merchandise, good, or service by the individual without the prior consent required by this subchapter."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 28 through 30 and substitute the following:
"question of fact.

4-75-1011. Exclusive remedies.

(a) The remedies granted by this subchapter shall constitute the exclusive basis for asserting a claim for the unauthorized commercial use of an individual's name, voice, signature, photograph, or likeness.

(b) Except as provided in this subchapter, a right of publicity in the use of an individual's name, voice, signature, photograph, or likeness does not exist.

4-75-1012. Construction."

AND

Page 9, line 4, delete "4-7-1012" and substitute "4-75-1013"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JON WOODS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 79 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 2, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 4, BY SENATOR JOHN COOPER,

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) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Cooper, **Senate Bill No. 4** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 2, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 79, BY SENATOR JON WOODS,

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) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Woods, **Senate Bill No. 79** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 2, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 38, BY SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 75, BY SENATOR UVALDE LINDSEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 80, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON, CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

SENATE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE VICTORIA ALEXANDRA MALOCH FOR HER ELECTION TO THE 2014-2015 NATIONAL FFA OFFICER TEAM AS NATIONAL SECRETARY AND THE FIRST FEMALE NATIONAL FFA OFFICER FROM ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2
 NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: SENATOR A. CLARK
 BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAMMER

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION - AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS
 CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 SHALL SERVE NO MORE THAN FIVE TERMS IN THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF
 REPRESENTATIVES AND THREE TERMS IN THE ARKANSAS SENATE BUT IN
 NO EVENT SHALL SERVE MORE THAN SIXTEEN YEARS, WHETHER
 CONSECUTIVE OR NONCONSECUTIVE.

Subtitle

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION
 CONCERNING TERM LIMITS FOR MEMBERS OF THE
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETIETH GENERAL
 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND BY THE HOUSE OF
 REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH
 HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

THAT the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the
 State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval
 or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a
 majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the
 amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of Amendment 73 of the Arkansas Constitution is
 amended to read as follows:

§ 2. Legislative Branch.

(a) The Arkansas House of Representatives shall consist of members to be
 chosen every second year by the qualified electors of the several counties.

(b) The Arkansas Senate shall consist of members to be chosen every four
 years by the qualified electors of the several districts.

(c) Except as provided in subsection (d) of this section, a member of the
 General Assembly shall serve no more than:

(1) Five (5) terms in the Arkansas House of Representatives; and

(2) Three (3) terms in the Arkansas Senate.

~~(e)(d)~~(1) A In no event shall a member of the General Assembly shall serve
 no more than sixteen (16) years, whether consecutive or nonconsecutive.

(2) A member who completes his or her sixteenth year of service during a term of office for which he or she has been elected may serve until the completion of that term of office.

(3) The years of service in both the Senate and the House of Representatives shall be added together and included to determine the total number of years in office.

~~(4)(e)~~ A partial legislative term served as a result of a special election under Article 5, § 6, or a two-year term served as a result of apportionment of the Senate shall not be included in calculating the total number of:

(1) Terms served in the Arkansas House of Representatives and the Arkansas Senate; and

(2) ~~years~~ Years served by a member of the General Assembly.

SECTION 2. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this Joint Resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be "An Amendment to the Arkansas Constitution Reducing the Amount of Time a Member of the General Assembly May Serve in Any One Chamber to Five (5) Terms in the Arkansas House of Representatives and Three (3) Terms in the Arkansas Senate and Providing That No Member Shall Serve More Than Sixteen (16) Years in the General Assembly, Whether Consecutive or Nonconsecutive".

Senate Joint Resolution No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR E. WILLIAMS

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION - AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO ALLOW THE GOVERNOR TO RETAIN HIS OR HER POWERS AND DUTIES WHEN ABSENT FROM THE STATE.

Subtitle

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO ALLOW THE

GOVERNOR TO RETAIN HIS OR HER
POWERS AND DUTIES WHEN ABSENT
FROM THE STATE.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Section 4 of Amendment 6 to the Arkansas Constitution is amended to read as follows:

§ 4. Lieutenant Governor acting as Governor.

In case of the impeachment of the Governor, or his or her removal from office, death, inability to discharge the powers and duties of the said office, or resignation ~~or absence from the State~~, the powers and duties of the office, shall devolve upon the Lieutenant Governor for the residue of the term, or until the disability shall cease. ~~But when~~ When the Governor shall, with the consent of the Legislature, be out of the State, in time of war, at the head of a military force thereof, he or she shall continue commander-in-chief of all the military force of the State.

SECTION 2. BALLOT TITLE AND POPULAR NAME. When this proposed amendment is submitted to the electors of this state on the general election ballot:

(1) The title of this Joint Resolution shall be the ballot title; and

(2) The popular name shall be "A Constitutional Amendment to Allow the Governor to Retain His or Her Powers and Duties When Absent From the State."

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 177
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. WOODS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SABIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PLACE PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE INDEPENDENT CITIZENS COMMISSION CREATED UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 19, SECTION 31; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 19, SECTION 31, UNDER THE AUTHORITY GRANTED IN ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 19, SECTION 31, SUBSECTION (L); TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 177 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 178
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR A. CLARK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO END ENROLLMENT IN THE HEALTH CARE INDEPENDENCE PROGRAM; TO TERMINATE COVERAGE UNDER THE HEALTH CARE INDEPENDENCE PROGRAM ON DECEMBER 31, 2016; TO RESTORE MEDICAID WAIVER PROGRAMS PREVIOUSLY ENDED DUE TO THE HEALTH CARE INDEPENDENCE PROGRAM; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 178 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 179
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, J. ENGLISH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COZART, GATES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A SCHOOL DISTRICT SUBJECT TO A DESEGREGATION ORDER TO NOTIFY THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND TO PROVIDE A COPY OF THE DESEGREGATION ORDER; TO AMEND THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT OF 2013; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 179 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 180
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR E. WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH FLEXIBILITY IN DETERMINING WHETHER OR NOT TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY INCLEMENT WEATHER DAY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 180 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 181
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR E. WILLIAMS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LEMONS, JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE FOUNDATION REPAIR CONTRACTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 181 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 182
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS E. WILLIAMS, BLEDSOE, HICKEY, D. SANDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE ELIGIBILITY OF CERTAIN RETIREES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 182 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 183
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR E. WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE PROCEDURES FOR OVERSIGHT OF FOSSIL-FUEL-FIRED ELECTRIC GENERATING UNITS; TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY TO PERFORM STUDIES RELATED TO A STATE PLAN TO REGULATE CARBON DIOXIDE EMISSIONS; TO CREATE PROCEDURES FOR APPROVAL OF THE STATE PLAN BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 183 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 184
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE RETIREMENT AND PENSIONS OF JUDGES AND COURT EMPLOYEES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RETIREMENT OF DISTRICT JUDGES UNDER TITLE 24 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 184 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 185
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 185 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 186
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO REVISE THE LAW CONCERNING RETIREMENT AND PENSIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 186 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 187
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 187 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 188
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 188 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 189
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 189 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 190
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 190 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 191
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE LOCAL POLICEMEN'S PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS AND LOCAL FIREMEN'S RELIEF AND PENSION FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 191 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 192
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 192 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT & SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 193

NINETIETH 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 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 193 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 194
NINETIETH 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 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 194 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 195
NINETIETH 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 SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 195 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 196
NINETIETH 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 SAU-TECH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 196 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 197
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS J. COOPER, BURNETT, J. ENGLISH, J. HENDREN, HESTER,
 J. HUTCHISON, K. INGRAM, IRVIN, B. JOHNSON, RAPERT, TEAGUE
 BY: REPRESENTATIVES JETT, E. ARMSTRONG, BAINE, BALLINGER, BALTZ,
 BROADAWAY, BROWN, COLLINS, COZART, DOTSON, D. DOUGLAS, DROWN,
 FARRER, D. FERGUSON, L. FITE, HAMMER, HILLMAN, G. HODGES,
 M. HODGES, LADYMAN, LOWERY, LUNDSTRUM, MAGIE, D. MEEKS, NICKS,
 B. OVERBEY, PETTY, SCOTT, B. SMITH, SORVILLO, SULLIVAN, TALLEY,
 TOSH, VINES, WALLACE, WOMACK, WRIGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT CERTAIN CUSTOMER AND CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE RECORDS OF MUNICIPALLY OWNED UTILITY SYSTEMS FROM DISCLOSURE UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 197 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 198
 NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: SENATOR J. WOODS
 BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ALLOWING THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION TO PARTICIPATE IN A PRIVATE SECTOR PRISON INDUSTRY ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 198 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 199
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. WOODS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ABILITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION TO ISSUE AN ARREST WARRANT; TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 199 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 200
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. WOODS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR ADMINISTRATIVE TRANSFER OF AN INMATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 200 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 201
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. WOODS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ELECTRONIC MONITORING OF PAROLEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 201 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1025
NINETIETH 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 STATE DEPARTMENT FOR SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION DISABILITY DETERMINATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1025 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1086
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BRANSCUM, B. OVERBEY, GOSSAGE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR SPECIAL NEEDS LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ISOLATED FUNDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. .

House Bill No. 1086 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1159
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BALTZ

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LICENSURE OF A MANUFACTURER, IMPORTER, DISTRIBUTOR, JOBBER, RETAILER, OR SHOOTER OF FIREWORKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1159 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 202

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ORDINANCES OF CITIES AND COUNTIES BY CREATING THE INTRASTATE COMMERCE IMPROVEMENT ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 202 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 203
NINETIETH 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 PARKS AND TOURISM - ARKANSAS HISTORY COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 203 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 204
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. ENGLISH, CALDWELL, J. HUTCHINSON, E. WILLIAMS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE TRANSPARENCY IN PRIVATE ATTORNEY CONTRACTS ACT; TO REGULATE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S PROCUREMENT OF CERTAIN CONTRACTS WITH PRIVATE ATTORNEYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 204 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.



STATE OF ARKANSAS

Asa Hutchinson

Governor

January 30, 2015

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on January 30, 2015, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Ninetieth General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 073 - ACT 18
Senate Bill No. 074 - ACT 19

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON, GOVERNOR

SENATE BILL NO. 205
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RICE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RICHMOND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT A SCHOOL DISTRICT CAN DONATE BUILDINGS OR REAL PROPERTY TO AN INCORPORATED TOWN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 205 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.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1003

HOUSE BILL NO. 1002

HOUSE BILL NO. 1005

HOUSE BILL NO. 1012

HOUSE BILL NO. 1073

HOUSE BILL NO. 1076

HOUSE BILL NO. 1178

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1002

HOUSE BILL NO. 1005

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1073

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1178

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED

TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1003

On motion of Senator Dismang, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday,
February 3, 2015.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE