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SEVENTY-FIFTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

Little Rock, Arkansas
March 27, 2015

The Senate was called to order at 9:00 o'clock a.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 Ronald Caldwell.

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 Chesterfield, and without objection, [Senate Bill No. 815](#) was recommended for study in the interim by the SENATE INTERIM COMMITTEE on JUDICIARY and the SENATE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN & YOUTH.

Without objection, [Senate Bill No. 388](#) was withdrawn by the author, Senator Bill Sample.

On motion of Senator Elliott, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of recognizing Captain Floyd Burns, the first Black fire-fighter in Little Rock.

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

On motion of Senator Williams, [Senate Bill No. 214](#) was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Williams, and without objection, [Senate Bill No. 214](#) was recommended for study in the interim by the SENATE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Resolution No. 17** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 17
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE**

SENATE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE HEATHER JACKSON AS A RECIPIENT OF A PRUDENTIAL SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY AWARD.

Senate Resolution No. 17 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Flowers, and without objection, the Senate was requested to return **Senate Bill No. 484** for further consideration.



STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

March 27, 2015

Sherry Stacks
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Mrs. Stacks:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate of [Senate Bill 484](#).

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate



STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GENERAL ASSEMBLY
LITTLE ROCK, AR 72201

March 26, 2015

Ann Cornwell
Director, Arkansas Senate
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol Building, Room 320
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House of **House Bill No. 1491**.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) Sherri Stacks

Sherri Stacks
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

House Bill No. 1491 was returned to the House as requested.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 20, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 51, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 97, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 98, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 99, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 100, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 108, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 109, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 110, 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 they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 226 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 231 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 305 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 316 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 366 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 371 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 535 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 569 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 751 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 773 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 775 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 827 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 848 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 966 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 982 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 987 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 5 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
Senate Bill No. 49 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
Senate Bill No. 528 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
Senate Bill No. 543 was returned from the House as passed as amended.
Senate Bill No. 591 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Bill No. 5 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Irvin, Senate Bill No. 49 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Burnett, Senate Bill No. 528 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 543 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Clark, Senate Bill No. 591 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1293

As Engrossed: H3/11/15 H3/16/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE LAW REGARDING LICENSURE OF SOCIAL WORKERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1293 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1390

As Engrossed: H3/26/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF "CHURCH" FOR PURPOSES OF RETAIL LIQUOR PERMITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1390 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1413

As Engrossed: H3/10/15 H3/18/15 H3/23/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLAINE, ET AL.

BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ORGANIZATION AND OPERATION OF A QUORUM COURT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1413 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1425

As Engrossed: H3/6/15 H3/19/15 H3/26/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE TUCKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE REPORTING AND DISCLOSURE OF ELECTIONEERING COMMUNICATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1425 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1633

As Engrossed: H3/20/15 H3/24/15 H3/26/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SABIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A UTILITY TO ENTER INTO A POWER PURCHASE AGREEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1633 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1668

As Engrossed: H3/17/15 H3/19/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. DOUGLAS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE COLLECTION ACTIVITIES AND THE PRACTICES OF COLLECTION AGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1668 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1730

As Engrossed: H3/11/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ELIMINATE EXCESSIVE GOVERNMENT REGULATION; TO CREATE SYSTEMATIC REVIEW OF OLD RULES; TO PREVENT RULES FROM BECOMING ANTIQUATED; TO REQUIRE APPROVAL OF OLD RULES BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL IN ORDER TO RETAIN THE FORCE AND EFFECT OF THE RULES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1730 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1779

As Engrossed: H3/13/15 H3/23/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE TOSH, DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE WAY THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM — PART 2 AWARD AMOUNTS ARE DISTRIBUTED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1779 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1844

As Engrossed: H3/25/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES GILLAM, *ET AL.*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A STATE BUSINESS PORTAL WITHIN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE; TO PROMOTE EFFICIENT INTERACTIONS BETWEEN BUSINESS AND STATE GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1844 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1851

As Engrossed: H3/17/15 H3/26/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE NEAL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING APPOINTMENTS TO CERTAIN BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES, AND OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE BODIES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MEMBERSHIP ON CERTAIN BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES, AND OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE BODIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1851 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1854

As Engrossed: H3/17/15 H3/24/15 H3/26/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE M.J. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS PERTAINING TO THE MARKETING, LABELING, AND IDENTIFICATION OF CATFISH AND CATFISH-LIKE SPECIES AND PRODUCTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1854 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1934

As Engrossed: H3/16/15 H3/24/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. DOUGLAS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PROHIBITIONS ON PRODUCTS IMPORTED INTO AND EXPORTED FROM ARKANSAS; TO REGULATE THE IMPORTATION OF WINE FROM STATES THAT IMPOSE CERTAIN AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION STANDARDS ON ARKANSAS PRODUCERS OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS THAT ARE IMPORTED INTO THOSE STATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1934 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1751

As Engrossed: H3/17/15 H3/25/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOUSE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF A LETHAL INJECTION AT THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1751 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Woods, Senate Bill No. 636 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 636

Amend Senate Bill No. 636 as engrossed, S3/4/15:

Page 1, line 31, delete "and make"

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "permanent"

AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "permanent" and substitute "designated"

AND

Page 3, line 5, delete "should" and substitute "should continue to"

AND

Page 3, line 6, delete "permanent"

AND

Page 3, line 14, delete "permanent" and substitute "designated"

AND

Page 3, line 16, delete "permanently"

AND

Page 7, delete line 23, and substitute the following:
"and shall be used as provided in this subchapter.

12-8-608. Sunset.

This subchapter shall expire twenty (20) years from the effective date of this act."

AND

Page 9, line 12, delete "permanent"

AND

Page 9, line 13, delete "permanent"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE JANA DELLA ROSA

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 636, 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 Woods, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Woods, **Senate Bill No. 636** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 636
As Engrossed: H3/4/15 H3/19/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. WOODS, HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DELLA ROSA

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HEADQUARTERS FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT FINANCING ACT; TO PROVIDE FUNDING UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HEADQUARTERS FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT FINANCING ACT; TO MAKE RELATED CHANGES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 636 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 636**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 636 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Cooper, **Senate Bill No. 716** was called up for the purpose of considering **Amendment No. 1** thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 716

Amend **Senate Bill No. 716** as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 17, and substitute the following:

"records that are required to be:

(1) Filed with the Secretary of State; and

(2) Maintained under §§ 7-6-203 and 7-6-207."

AND

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

"records of statements of financial interest that are filed with the Secretary of State under this section."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE B. SMITH

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 716, 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 Cooper, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Cooper, **Senate Bill No. 716** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 716
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
As Engrossed: H3/20/15
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE SECRETARY OF STATE IS THE OFFICIAL CUSTODIAN OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTION RECORDS AND STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL INTEREST; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CERTAIN RECORDS CONCERNING ETHICS; TO AMEND A PORTION OF THE LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1999 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 716 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Cooper moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 716**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 716**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 716 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Rice, **Senate Bill No. 727** was called up for the purpose of considering **Amendment No. 2** thereto, adopted by the House.

**HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 727

Amend **Senate Bill No. 727** as originally introduced:

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

"23-4-501. ~~Legislative findings and intent~~ Authority to recover costs through interim rate schedule.

~~(a)(1) It is recognized that legislative or administrative regulations impose certain legal requirements upon public utilities relating to the protection of the public health, safety, or the environment, and that:~~

~~(1) In order to comply with such legislative or regulatory requirements, utilities are required to make substantial additional investments or incur additional expenses with respect to existing facilities used and useful in providing service to the utility's customers; and~~

~~(2) Although such additional investments and expenses are necessary in order to provide service to the utility's customers, such additional investments and expenses are not included in the utility's rates and cannot be recovered in a prompt and timely fashion under existing regulatory procedures.~~

~~(b) It is intended by the General Assembly that utilities be permitted to recover in a prompt and timely manner all such costs incurred by utilities in order to comply with such legislative or regulatory requirements through an interim surcharge which, if approved, shall be effective until the implementation of new rate schedules in connection with the next general rate filing of the utility wherein such additional investments or expenses can be included in the utility's base rate schedules. Upon a proper filing with the Arkansas Public Service Commission, a public utility shall be permitted to recover in a prompt and timely manner all investments and expenses through an interim surcharge, if the investments or expenses:~~

~~(A) Are not currently being recovered in existing rates;~~

~~(B) Are reasonably incurred;~~

~~(C) Were not reasonably known and measurable at a time that allowed for a reasonable opportunity for the inclusion and consideration of the investments or expenses for recovery in the public utility's last general rate case;~~

~~(D) Are incurred by the public utility to comply with legislative or administrative rules, regulations, or requirements;~~

~~(E) Relate to the protection of the public health, safety, or the environment;~~

~~(F) Cannot otherwise be recovered in a prompt and timely manner; and~~

~~(G) Are any of the following:~~

~~(i) Mandatory;~~

~~(ii) A condition of continued operation of a utility facility;~~

or

(iii) Previously approved by the commission.

(2) The interim surcharge shall be effective until the implementation of new rate schedules in connection with the next general rate filing of the public utility in which such investments or expenses can be included in the public utility's base rate schedule."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 18

AND

Page 2, line 19, delete "(2)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 2, line 20, delete "subdivision (b)(1)" and substitute "subdivisions (a)(1) and (2)"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "(c)(1)" and substitute "(b)(1)"

AND

Page 2, line 32, delete "(c)(1)" and substitute "(b)(1)"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 2 through 6, and substitute the following:
"investments and expenses reasonably incurred by such a utility as a direct result of legislative or regulatory requirements relating to the protection of the public health, safety, and the environment described in § 23-4-501 by filing with the"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 30 through 36, and substitute the following:

(1) The expenditures investments or expenses were not made for the purposes set forth in § 23-4-501 or were not reasonably incurred or were not substantiated to comply with legislative or administrative rules, regulations, or requirements;

(2) The amount of the surcharge has been erroneously calculated investments or expenses do not relate to the protection of the public health, safety, or the environment; or

(3) The allocation of the surcharge among the customers of the utility is unreasonable investments or expenses were not substantiated;

(4) The amount of the surcharge has been erroneously calculated;

(5) The investments or expenses are already being recovered in existing rates;

(6) The investments or expenses were reasonably known and measurable at a time that allowed for a reasonable opportunity for their inclusion and consideration for recovery in the public utility's last general rate case;

(7) The investments or expenses were not reasonably incurred;

(8) The investments or expenses can otherwise be recovered in a prompt and timely manner;

(9) The allocation of the surcharge among the customers of the public utility is unreasonable; or

(10) The investments or expenses were not:

(A) Mandatory;

(B) A condition of continued operation of a utility facility; or

(C) Previously approved by the commission."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 4

AND

Page 4, delete line 11, and substitute the following:

"under subdivision (a)(1) subsection (a), or (2) of"

(SIGNED) Representative Baine

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 727, 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 Rice, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Rice, **Senate Bill No. 727** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 727

As Engrossed: H3/19/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR RICE

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BAINE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE REGULATION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES BY THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 727 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rice moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 727**.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

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ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 727**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 727 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 757 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 757

Amend Senate Bill No. 757 as engrossed, S3/17/15:

Page 3, delete lines 16 through 19, and substitute the following:

"as if the regulatory program is not in effect and the fair market value of the real property determined as if the regulatory program is in effect.

(3) To assert that a taking has occurred, the regulatory program must have been implemented at the time the owner acquired title or after the effective date of this subchapter, whichever is later."

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "(3)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 26 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(A) Pay compensation for the reduction in fair market value caused by the regulatory program; or

(B) Invalidate all or part of the regulatory program.

(2) Compensation is required under this section only when the fair market value of the real property is reduced by at least twenty percent (20%).

(3) If a governmental unit elects to pay compensation to the private real property owner under subdivision (c)(1)(A) of this section:

(A) The court that rendered the judgment in the lawsuit or the state agency that issued the final order or decision in the case shall withdraw the part of the judgment or final decision or order rescinding the regulatory program;

(B) The governmental unit shall pay to the owner the damages determined in the judgment or final order by the thirtieth day after the date the judgment is rendered or the final decision or order is issued; and

(C) When more than one (1) governmental unit is involved, the court shall determine the proportion each governmental unit shall be required to contribute to the compensation."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 9

AND

Page 4, line 21, delete "Commission" and substitute "Commission, the Arkansas Public Service Commission"

AND

Page 6, delete line 22, and substitute the following:

"utility that:

(1) Is not a municipally owned utility system;"

AND

Page 6, line 23, delete "(1)" and substitute "(2)"

AND

Page 6, line 25, delete "(2)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 6, line 25, delete "electricity" and substitute "electricity and does not generate or distribute electricity"

AND

Page 6, line 26, delete "(3)" and substitute "(4)"

(SIGNED) Representative Gonzales

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 757, 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 Hendren, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hendren, **Senate Bill No. 757** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 757

As Engrossed: S3/17/15 H3/24/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS J. HENDREN, FILES, HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RESTRICT THE ABILITY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND OTHER ENTITIES TO REGULATE PRIVATE PROPERTY RIGHTS; TO PROTECT PRIVATE PROPERTY RIGHTS; TO CREATE THE PRIVATE PROPERTY PROTECTION ACT; TO REGULATE THE POWER OF EMINENT DOMAIN BY CERTAIN PUBLIC UTILITIES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 757 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hendren moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 757**.

Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total31

NEGATIVE: Burnett, K. Ingram.

Total2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Maloch.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast33

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 757**, 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: Bledsoe, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total31

NEGATIVE: Burnett, K. Ingram.

Total2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Maloch.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 757 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Woods, **Senate Bill No. 809** was called up for the purpose of considering **Amendment No. 1** thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 809

Amend **Senate Bill No. 809** as engrossed, S3/11/15:

Page 2, delete line 23, and substitute the following:

"(b) The ~~director~~ the Director of the Department of Human Services may enter into cooperative agreements with"

AND

Page 6, line 30, delete "State" and substitute "State Police"

AND

Page 7, line 4, delete "State" and substitute "State Police"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 809, 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 Woods, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Woods, **Senate Bill No. 809** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 809
As Engrossed: S3/11/15 H3/20/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. WOODS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH DUAL AUTHORITY AND RESPONSIBILITY OVER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES AND THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 809 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Woods moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 809**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 809**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 809 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Sanders, **Senate Bill No. 855** was called up for the purpose of considering **Amendment No. 1** thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 855

Amend **Senate Bill No. 855** as engrossed, S3/16/15:

Add Representatives Jean, Ballinger, M.J. Gray as cosponsors of the bill

AND

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

"(e)(1) Subsections (a)-(c) of this section do not apply to the circumstances set forth in subdivision (e)(2) and subdivision (e)(3) of this section."

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete "district; or" and substitute "district;"

AND

Page 2, delete line 3, and substitute:

"the first class or city of the second class; or

(E) The claim or right of any person, his or her heirs, successors, assigns, or tenants who use the unpaved road as a means of ingress and egress to lands owned or leased by that person, his or her heirs, successors, assigns, or tenants."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 12 and 13, and substitute:

(b) This section does not apply to the circumstances set forth in § 18-61-101(e)(2) and (3)."

(SIGNED) Representative Jean

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 855, 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 Sanders, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Sanders, **Senate Bill No. 855** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 855
As Engrossed: S3/16/15 H3/23/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SANDERS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES JEAN, BALLINGER, M. J. GRAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE ABANDONMENT OF UNPAVED ROAD EASEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 855 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sanders moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 855**.
Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 855 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Hester, Senate Bill No. 1044 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 1044

Amend Senate Bill No. 1044 as originally introduced:

Add Representative G. Hodges as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:
"AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS WIRELESS
INFORMATION NETWORK FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS WIRELESS
INFORMATION NETWORK FUND."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 31 and 32 and substitute:
"Arkansas Wireless Information Network."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE G. HODGES

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 1044, 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 Hester, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hester, **Senate Bill No. 1044** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1044
As Engrossed: H3/23/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HESTER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE G. HODGES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS WIRELESS INFORMATION NETWORK FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1044 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hester moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 1044**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1044 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, **Senate Bill No. 459** was 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. 459

Amend **Senate Bill No. 459** as engrossed, S3/18/15:

Delete SECTION 19 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 20 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 21 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 22 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 23 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 24 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 25 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 26 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 29 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 30 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 32 in its entirety

AND

Renumber the sections accordingly

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 459 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, **Senate Bill No. 1037** was 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. 1037

Amend **Senate Bill No. 1037** as engrossed, S3/18/15:

Add Senators Bledsoe, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, B. Johnson, Rice, D. Sanders as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives C. Armstrong, Baltz, Bentley, C. Douglas, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richmond, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Tosh as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1037 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 943 at this time.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 943 was 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. 943

Amend Senate Bill No. 943 as engrossed, S3/26/15:

Amend Senate Bill No. 943, as engrossed, S3/26/15:

Page 1, line 34, delete "2015" and substitute "2016"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 943 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Cheatham, **House Bill No. 1527** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to House BILL NO. 1527

Amend **House Bill No. 1527** as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 4, delete "and no more than sixty (60) minutes."

AND

Page 2, line 6, delete "and no more than sixty (60) minutes."

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "and no"

AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "more than (60) minutes," and substitute "~~(60) minutes~~"

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "and no more than"

AND

Page 3, line 5, delete "sixty (60) minutes," and substitute "~~sixty (60) minutes~~"

(SIGNED) SENATOR EDDIE CHEATHAM

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House No. 1527 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator King, **House Bill No. 1688** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

**ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1688

Amend **House Bill No. 1688** as originally introduced:

Add Senator B. King as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 9, delete "INITIATIVE AND"

AND

Page 1, line 10, delete "INITIATIVE AND"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MUNICIPAL REFERENDUM PETITIONS; AND TO EXTEND THE TIME FOR CIRCULATION OF MUNICIPAL REFERENDUM PETITIONS."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 14-47-124, concerning municipal initiative and referendum petitions, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(c) Except for a municipal referendum petition concerning a municipal bond, a sponsor shall be given sixty (60) days to circulate a municipal referendum petition.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 14, Chapter 55, Subchapter 3, is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

14-55-303. Municipal referendum petition.

Except for a municipal referendum petition concerning a municipal bond, a sponsor shall be given sixty (60) days to circulate a municipal referendum petition."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BRYAN KING

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1688 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Rice, **House Bill No. 1807** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1807

Amend **House Bill No. 1807** as engrossed, H3/23/15:

Page 2, delete lines 14 through 18, and substitute:

"(b) Upon approval by the ~~risk manager~~ State Risk Manager, other state agencies may participate in the trust fund."

AND

Delete Section 3 of the bill in its entirety

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "SECTION 4" and substitute "SECTION 3"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1807 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Woods, [House Bill No. 1945](#) was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
[Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1945](#)

Amend [House Bill No. 1945](#) as engrossed, H3/17/15:

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 21-1-603, concerning certain prohibited public employer conduct, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(e) A public employer shall not take an adverse action against a public employee because of a report of a loss of public funds under § 25-1-124.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 21-1-607 is amended to read as follows:
21-1-607. Protection of confidentiality.

(a) This subchapter shall not be construed to permit a disclosure which would diminish or impair the rights of any person or any public official to the continued protection of confidentiality of records or working papers where a statute or the common law provides for protection.

(b)(1) All materials and documentation, including without limitation notes, memoranda, recordings, preliminary drafts of investigation reports, and other data gathered in connection with a communication regarding the existence of waste or of a violation are privileged and confidential and are exempt from the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq., except as provided in subdivisions (b)(2) and (b)(3) of this section.

(2) Final reports issued by a public employer or an appropriate authority concerning a communication regarding the existence of waste or of a violation and any supporting documentation shall be open to public inspection and copying, except for documents that are exempt from disclosure under other law.

(3) This section does not apply to the name and identifying information of a state employee eligible to receive a reward under § 21-1-610 who does not request confidentiality under § 21-1-610(g).

(c) This section applies without limitation to communications regarding the existence of waste or of a violation received by a telephone hotline allowing for the reporting of fraud, waste, or abuse in government.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 21-1-608 is amended to read as follows:
21-1-608. Notification of rights.

(a) A public employer shall use appropriate means to notify its public employees of their protection and obligations under this subchapter.

(b)(1) A public employer shall post in a conspicuous place a printed sign at least eight and one-half inches by eleven inches (8 1/2" x 11") in size that:

(A) Informs a public employee of the provisions of this subchapter;

(B) Describes an appropriate authority to whom the public employee may communicate in good faith regarding the existence of waste or of a violation; and

(C) If a telephone hotline exists for the reporting of fraud, waste, or abuse in government, contains the number of the telephone hotline.

(2) Arkansas Legislative Audit shall:

(A) Prepare the printed sign under subdivision (b)(1) of this section; and

(B) Make the sign available electronically on its Internet website in a format that allows it to be printed by a public employer for posting in compliance with subdivision (b)(1) of this section.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 21-1-610(h), concerning rewards to state employees when communications of waste or a violation result in a savings of state funds, is amended to read as follows:

(h)(1) Except as provided in ~~subdivision~~ subdivisions (h)(2) and (h)(3) of this section, a reward under this section shall not be payable for a communication made by a state employee in the normal course of the state employee's job duties.

(2) If a communication in the normal course of a state employee's job duties detailing waste or a violation is not acted upon by the state employer within ninety (90) days, the state employee may make a communication under § 21-1-603 to an appropriate authority and be eligible for a reward under this section.

(3) A report by a state employee of a loss of public funds under § 25-1-124 shall be considered a communication in the normal course of the state employee's job duties if the state employee:

(A) Handles or exerts control over the funds of the state employer;

(B) Participates in making decisions or recommendations concerning the deposit, investment, or expenditure of the funds of the state employer; or

(C) Is responsible for auditing the funds of the state employer.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code Title 25, Chapter 1, Subchapter 1, is amended to add additional sections to read as follows:

25-1-123. Criminal background checks for public employees controlling public funds.

(a) As used in this section, "public employer" means any of the following:

(1) An agency, department, board, commission, division, office, bureau, council, authority, or other instrumentality of the State of Arkansas, including the offices of the various Arkansas elected constitutional officers and the General Assembly and its agencies, bureaus, and divisions;

(2) A state-supported college, university, technical college, community college, or other institution of higher education or department, division, or agency of a state institution of higher education;

(3) The Supreme Court, the Court of Appeals, the Administrative Office of the Courts, the circuit courts, and the prosecuting attorneys' offices;

(4) An office, department, commission, council, agency, board, bureau, committee, corporation, or other instrumentality of a county government or a municipality or a district court, a county subordinate service district, a municipally owned utility, or a regional or joint governing body of one (1) or more counties or municipalities; or

(5) A public school district, school, or an office or department of a public school district in Arkansas.

(b)(1) A public employer shall obtain a state criminal background check to be conducted by the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police before finalizing the hiring of an applicant for an employment position with supervisory fiduciary responsibility over all fiscal matters.

(2) The applicant shall sign a release of information to the public employer.

(3) The public employer may:

(A) Choose to be responsible for the payment of any fee associated with the state criminal background check; or

(B) Provide that the applicant is responsible for the payment of any fee associated with the criminal background check.

(4) Upon completion of the criminal background check, the Identification Bureau shall forward to the public employer all releasable information obtained concerning the applicant.

25-1-124. Reporting by public employee.

(a) As used in this section:

(1) "Public employee" means a person who performs a full or part-time service for wages, salary, or other remuneration for a public employer; and

(2) "Public employer" means any of the following:

(A) An agency, department, board, commission, division, office, bureau, council, authority, or other instrumentality of the State of Arkansas, including the offices of the various Arkansas elected constitutional officers and the General Assembly and its agencies, bureaus, and divisions;

(B) A state-supported college, university, technical college, community college, or other institution of higher education or department, division, or agency of a state institution of higher education;

(C) The Supreme Court, the Court of Appeals, the Administrative Office of the Courts, the circuit courts, and the prosecuting attorneys' offices;

(D) An office, department, commission, council, agency, board, bureau, committee, corporation, or other instrumentality of a county government or a municipality or a district court, a county subordinate service district, a municipally owned utility, or a regional or joint governing body of one (1) or more counties or municipalities; or

(E) A public school district, school, or an office or department of a public school district in Arkansas.

(b)(1) A public employee with supervisory fiduciary responsibility over all fiscal matters of a public employer shall report a loss of public funds to Arkansas Legislative Audit, including without limitation:

(A) Apparent unauthorized disbursements of public funds; or

(B) The apparent theft or misappropriation of public funds or property.

(2) A report under subdivision (b)(1) shall be made within five (5) business days of the date the public employee learns of the loss of public funds.

(c) A public employee with supervisory fiduciary responsibility over all fiscal matters who purposely fails to comply with subsection (b) of this section is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JON WOODS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1945 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, **Senate Bill No. 389** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 389
As Engrossed: S3/26/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS ELECTION LAWS CONCERNING PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 389 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: Bledsoe, Caldwell, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, Irvin, B. Johnson, B. King, Rapert, Rice, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total20

NEGATIVE: Burnett, K. Ingram, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce.

Total5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, D. Johnson, B. Sample, Teague.

Total9

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EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast25

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 389 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sanders, Senate Bill No. 617 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Hendren, **Senate Bill No. 761** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 761
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. DOUGLAS, BRAGG**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING THE PAYMENT OF FEES AND EXPENSES RESULTING FROM CIVIL LITIGATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 761 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hutchinson spoke against the Bill.

Senator Collins-Smith spoke for the Bill.

Senator Hendren closed for his Bill.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Caldwell, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, E. Williams.

Total19

NEGATIVE: Burnett, E. Cheatham, Elliott, S. Flowers, J. Hutchinson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Teague.

Total11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: J. English, G. Stubblefield, J. Woods.

Total3

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: L. Chesterfield.

Total	1
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. 761 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator David Johnson, Senate Bill No. 869 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 869
As Engrossed: S3/24/15
 NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
 BY: REPRESENTATIVE SABIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ENABLING LEGISLATION FOR ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT BONDS ISSUED BY A MUNICIPALITY OR COUNTY UNDER ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 89; TO CREATE THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT BOND ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 869 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator D. Johnson moved that the Body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 869. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 869 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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* * * * * **EXPUNGED** * * * * *

On motion of Senator King, **Senate Bill No. 963** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 963
As Engrossed: S3/24/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. KING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COMPLAINTS FILED WITH AND INVESTIGATIONS PERFORMED BY THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS OF VIOLATIONS OF ELECTION LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 963 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator King moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 963**.
Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total31

NEGATIVE: U. Lindsey, Maloch.

Total2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers.

Total1

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * **EXPUNGED** * * * * *

The record pertaining to the vote by which **Senate Bill No. 963** passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 27, 2015.

Senator King moved that the record by which **Senate Bill No. 963** was passed be expunged.

On motion of Senator King, **Senate Bill No. 963** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 963
As Engrossed: S3/24/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. KING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COMPLAINTS FILED WITH AND INVESTIGATIONS PERFORMED BY THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS OF VIOLATIONS OF ELECTION LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 963 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator King moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 963**.
Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total32

NEGATIVE: Maloch.

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers.

Total1

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 963 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator King, Senate Bill No. 993 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 993

As Engrossed: S3/24/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. KING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTION VIOLATIONS BY COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO REQUIRE REPORTING OF CERTAIN IRREGULARITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 993 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator King moved that the Body roll the vote on Senate Bill No. 993. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total32

NEGATIVE: U. Lindsey.

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers.

Total1

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 993 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Sanders, **Senate Bill No. 1039** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1039
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. SANDERS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CONFLICTS OF INTEREST OF MEMBERS AND FORMER MEMBERS OF CERTAIN STATE ENTITIES; TO PROVIDE CONFLICT OF INTEREST PROVISIONS FOR MEMBERS AND FORMER MEMBERS OF CERTAIN STATE ENTITIES; TO ALLOW THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION TO REGULATE AND ENFORCE THE CONFLICTS OF INTEREST PROVISIONS FOR MEMBERS AND FORMER MEMBERS OF CERTAIN STATE ENTITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1039 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sanders moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 1039**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1039 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hutchinson, Senate Bill No. 1042 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1042
As Engrossed: S3/24/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PRISON OVERCROWDING; CONCERNING PAROLE AND PAROLE ELIGIBILITY AND PROCEDURES; CONCERNING PROBATION AND PROBATION ELIGIBILITY AND PROCEDURES; CONCERNING CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1042 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hutchinson moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 1042**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers.

Total1

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 1042**, 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:

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AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flipppo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers.

Total1

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1042 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 39, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 52, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 84, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 91, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 576, BY SENATOR DAVID BURNETT
SENATE BILL NO. 614, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 650, BY SENATOR JOHN COOPER,
SENATE BILL NO. 711, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 712, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,

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 8:35 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 39,
SENATE BILL NO. 52,
SENATE BILL NO. 84,
SENATE BILL NO. 91,
SENATE BILL NO. 576,
SENATE BILL NO. 614,
SENATE BILL NO. 650,
SENATE BILL NO. 711,
SENATE BILL NO. 712,

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 27th day of
March, 2015 at 8:35 a.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON,
GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) ANGIE DOVER
SECRETARY

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 459, BY SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 1037, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,

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) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1527, BY REPRESENTATIVE GOSSAGE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1688, BY REPRESENTATIVE BALLINGER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1807, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. DOUGLAS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1945, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMER,

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) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 943, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,

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 Elliott, **Senate Bill No. 943** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 484 was returned from the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Flowers, and without objection, **Senate Bill No. 484** was recommended for study in the interim by the Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senator Dismang was recognized for the House Bills calendar. After discussion of the House Bills calendar, and without objection, the following House Bills are to be considered in a block vote, and the bills are voted in a block.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1218** at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **House Bill No. 1218** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1218

As Engrossed: H2/18/15 H3/12/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BAINE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO REQUIRE AN EMPLOYEE OF A NONPROFIT CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION TO REPORT CHILD MALTREATMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1218 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
EXCUSED:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
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. 1218 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1308** at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **House Bill No. 1308** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1308
As Engrossed: H3/23/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO STAY THE COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES PENDING APPEAL OF THE PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1308 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
EXCUSED:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
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. 1308 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1343 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1343 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE LAW REGARDING HEARING INSTRUMENT DISPENSERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1343 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1401 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1401 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1401
As Engrossed: H2/26/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOVE, ET AL.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DEATH BENEFITS FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1401 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast	34
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. 1401 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1405 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1405 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1405
As Engrossed: H3/24/15
 NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: REPRESENTATIVE BENTLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING FEES AND COSTS COLLECTED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1405 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1405 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1453** at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **House Bill No. 1453** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1453
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MILLER**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS CONCERNING THE STATE KIDNEY DISEASE COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1453 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
EXCUSED:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
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. 1453 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1523** at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **House Bill No. 1523** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1523
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SULLIVAN**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PRISON INDUSTRIES, PRISON-MADE GOODS, AND DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION PROCUREMENT; 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
EXCUSED:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	34
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. 1523 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1530** at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **House Bill No. 1530** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1530
As Engrossed: S3/26/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PREVENT ADVERTISING FOR AND PROVIDING ACTIVITIES INVOLVING OR LEADING TO TRAFFICKING OF PERSONS; TO PROHIBIT HUMAN TRAFFICKING TOURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1530 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0
 Total number of votes cast34
 Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1530 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1562 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1562 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1562
As Engrossed: H3/13/15 S3/26/15
 NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. MEEKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE LAW REGARDING MASSAGE THERAPISTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1562 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1562 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1597 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1597 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1597
As Engrossed: S3/26/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. DOUGLAS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE SICK LEAVE THAT IS TRANSFERRED WHEN AN EMPLOYEE CHANGES SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO BE USED FIRST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1597 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
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. 1597 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1659 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1659 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1659

As Engrossed: H3/12/15 H3/13/15 H3/17/15 H3/20/15 H3/23/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAMMER, RATLIFF

BY: SENATORS A. CLARK, IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS STUDY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1659 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

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. 1659 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1671** at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **House Bill No. 1671** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671
As Engrossed: H3/12/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROADAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING FOSTER YOUTH TRANSITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1671 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
EXCUSED:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
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. 1671 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1673** at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **House Bill No. 1673** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1673
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BROADAWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "DEPENDENT JUVENILE" IN THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1673 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
EXCUSED:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
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. 1673 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1678 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1678 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1678
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTY FOR DRIVING ON A SUSPENDED OR REVOKED DRIVER'S LICENSE WHEN THE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION IS THE RESULT OF THE PERSON DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1678 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0
 Total number of votes cast34
 Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1678 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1754** at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **House Bill No. 1754** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1754

As Engrossed: H3/24/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE V. FLOWERS

BY: SENATOR RICE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING GUARDIANSHIP SUBSIDIES AWARDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; TO CLARIFY THE RIGHTS OF CERTAIN JUVENILES IN THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1754 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **House Bill No. 1754**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1754 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1769 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1769 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1769

As Engrossed: H3/18/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD

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

House Bill No. 1769 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1769 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1782** at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **House Bill No. 1782** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1782
As Engrossed: H3/19/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE JEAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING UNCLAIMED PROPERTY; TO AMEND THE TIME PERIODS FOR THE PRESUMPTION OF ABANDONMENT OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY; TO AMEND THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS RELATED TO ABANDONED MINERAL PROCEEDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1782 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
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. 1782 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1805 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1805 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1805
As Engrossed: H3/16/15
 NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: REPRESENTATIVE TALLEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ROLE OF A PROSECUTING ATTORNEY REGARDING THE RELEASE OF REPORTS AND ANALYTICAL WORK PERFORMED BY THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1805 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE: Hester

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1805 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1808 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1808 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1808
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. DOUGLAS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE PAID LEAVE OF ABSENCE DURING A NATIONAL DISASTER FOR A STATE OR CITY EMPLOYEE SIMULTANEOUSLY EMPLOYED AS A FEDERAL EMERGENCY DISASTER RELIEF TEAM EMPLOYEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1808 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34
 Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1808 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1823** at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **House Bill No. 1823** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1823

As Engrossed: H3/11/15 H3/17/15 H3/19/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROMOTE, RECRUIT, AND RETAIN A HIGHLY SKILLED WORKFORCE IN THIS STATE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING LICENSING, REGISTRATION, AND CERTIFICATION FOR CERTAIN PROFESSIONS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING REINSTATEMENT OF LICENSES AND CERTIFICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1823 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1823 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1880 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1880 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1880
As Engrossed: H3/17/15 S3/25/15
 NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAMMER
 BY: SENATORS J. HUTCHINSON, ELLIOTT, IRVIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1880 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
EXCUSED:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	34
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. 1880 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1887 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1887 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1887
As Engrossed: H3/17/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LEMONS, ET AL.
BY: SENATOR E. WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SUICIDE PREVENTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1887 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	34
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. 1887 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1908 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1908 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1908

As Engrossed: H3/23/15 S3/26/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BECK, C. DOUGLAS, *DROWN*

BY: SENATOR J. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A BILL OF RIGHTS FOR A PROPERTY OWNER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1908 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1908 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1954** at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, **House Bill No. 1954** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1954
As Engrossed: H3/19/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WALKER, ET AL.
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, L. CHESTERFIELD, J. WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE STATE OF ARKANSAS WORKFORCE RETENTION TASK FORCE; TO STUDY AND EVALUATE THE WAYS STATE AGENCIES COULD INCREASE EMPLOYEE RETENTION; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1954 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE: Hester.

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **House Bill No. 1954**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE: Hester.

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1954 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1989 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 1989 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1989
As Engrossed: H3/16/15
 NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: REPRESENTATIVE RATLIFF

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS ALCOHOL LAWS TO ALLOW CERTAIN MANAGING AGENTS TO SERVE AS AN EXCEPTION TO RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1989 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
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. 1989 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Dismang, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 2004 at this time.

On motion of Senator Dismang, House Bill No. 2004 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2004
As Engrossed: H3/18/15 H3/24/15
 NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICKS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE YEARS OF SERVICE REQUIREMENT TO AUTHORIZE EMPLOYMENT OF A FORMER COUNTY SHERIFF FOR EMPLOYMENT AS A MUNICIPAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2004 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

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. 2004 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Williams, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1844** at this time.

On motion of Senator Williams, **House Bill No. 1844** was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1844

Amend **House Bill No. 1844** as engrossed, H3/25/15:

Add Senator E. Williams as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR EDDIE JOE WILLIAMS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1844 was ordered engrossed.

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

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, **Senate Bill No. 459** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 459
As Engrossed: S3/18/15 S3/27/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PENALTIES FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES IN THE CRIMINAL CODE; TO REORGANIZE CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES; TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 5 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 459 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator D. Johnson moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 459**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flipppo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers.

Total1

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 459 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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

On motion of Senator Stubblefield, **Senate Bill No. 1037** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1037

As Engrossed: S3/18/15 S3/27/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS G. STUBBLEFIELD, BLEDSOE, CALDWELL, E. CHEATHAM, COLLINS-SMITH, J. COOPER, FLIPPO, J. HENDREN, HESTER, B. JOHNSON, RICE, D. SANDERS

BY: REPRESENTATIVES C. ARMSTRONG, ET AL.

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A PILOT PROGRAM FOR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE TWELVE (K-12) AGRICULTURE SCHOOLS; TO PROMOTE COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS FOR A WIDE VARIETY OF CAREERS IN AGRICULTURE; TO GROW AND EXPAND AGRIBUSINESS IN THE STATE; TO STRENGTHEN ARKANSAS'S RURAL COMMUNITIES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1037 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Sanders spoke for the Bill.

Senator B. Johnson spoke for the Bill.

Senator Stubblefield closed for the Bill.

Senator Stubblefield moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 1037**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson,

B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: E. Cheatham.

Total1

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 1037**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: E. Cheatham.

Total1

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....18

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1037 was returned to the House

On motion of Senator King, the rules were suspended on passage of amendment and bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator King, House Bill No. 1688 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1688

As Engrossed: S3/27/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BALLINGER

BY: SENATOR B. KING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MUNICIPAL REFERENDUM PETITIONS; TO EXTEND THE TIME FOR CIRCULATION OF MUNICIPAL REFERENDUM PETITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1688 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator King moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 1688**.

Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers.

Total1

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1688 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hester, **House Bill No. 1228** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1228
As Engrossed: H2/11/15 S2/26/15 S3/16/15 S3/26/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BALLINGER, ET AL.
BY: SENATOR HESTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ENACT THE RELIGIOUS FREEDOM RESTORATION ACT TO BE KNOWN AS MARY'S LAW; TO PROVIDE PROTECTION FOR RELIGIOUS PRACTICE AND TO PROVIDE REMEDIES AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATING OR ABUSING RELIGIOUS PROTECTIONS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1228 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator D. Johnson spoke against the Bill.

Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill.

Senator Chesterfield spoke against the Bill.

Senator Hester closed for his Bill.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Irvin, B. Johnson, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total24

NEGATIVE: Burnett, L. Chesterfield, Elliott, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey.

Total7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King, B. Sample.

Total2

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers.

Total1

Total number of votes cast32

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **House Bill No. 1228**, 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: Bledsoe, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, Irvin, B. Johnson, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total24

NEGATIVE: Burnett, L. Chesterfield, Elliott, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey.

Total7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King, B. Sample.

Total2

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers.

Total1

Total number of votes cast32

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1228 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 780, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

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 JASON RAPERT, CHAIRMAN
SENATOR UVALDE LINDSEY
SENATOR STEPHANIE FLOWERS
SENATOR TERRY RICE
SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

On motion of Senator Rapert, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 780 at this time.

On motion of Senator Rapert, Senate Bill No. 780 was placed on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 780

Amend **Senate Bill No. 780** as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE; TO PROVIDE MODERNIZATION OF REGULATION BY THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER; TO REVISE THE TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANY SERVICES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE; TO PROVIDE MODERNIZATION OF REGULATION BY THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER; AND TO REVISE THE TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANY SERVICES ACT."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 23-13-702, as added by Section 1 of Senate Bill 800 of 2015, is amended to read as follows if Senate Bill 800 of 2015 is enacted: 23-13-702. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "Digital network" means any online-enabled application, software, website, or system offered or utilized by a transportation network company that enables the prearrangement of rides with transportation network company drivers;

(2) "Personal vehicle" means a vehicle that is used by a transportation network company driver in connection with providing a prearranged ride and is:

(A) Owned, leased, or otherwise authorized for use by the transportation network company driver; and

(B) Not a taxicab, limousine, or for-hire vehicle;

(3)(A) "Prearranged ride" or "transportation network services" means the provision of transportation by a transportation network company driver to a rider, beginning when a transportation network company driver accepts a ride requested by a rider through a digital network controlled by a transportation network company, continuing while the transportation network company driver transports a requesting rider, and ending when the last requesting rider departs from the personal vehicle.

(B) A prearranged ride or transportation network services does not include transportation provided using a:

(i) Taxicab service as defined in § 14-57-301 et seq.;

(ii) Motor carrier service under the Arkansas Motor Carrier Act, 1955, § 23-13-201 et seq.; or

(iii) Street hail service;

(4)(A)(4)(A) "Transportation network company" means an individual a corporation partnership, sole proprietorship, or other entity licensed under this subchapter that operates and operating in this state and that uses a website, digital network, or software application to connect passengers to transportation network company services provided by riders to transportation network company drivers who provide prearranged rides.

(B) "Transportation network company" does not mean include a company that controls, directs, or manages the personal vehicles or transportation network company drivers that connect to the company's digital network, except when agreed to by written contract.;

~~(i) A broker, common carrier, contract carrier, or motor carrier, as defined in § 23-13-203;~~

~~(ii) A taxicab, taxicab association, for-hire vehicle owner, or for-hire motor vehicle service; or~~

~~(iii) An individual or entity that owns, controls, operates, or manages a motor vehicle used by a transportation network company driver;~~

~~(2)(5) "Transportation network company driver" means an individual who operates a motor vehicle that is:~~

~~(A) Owned, leased, or otherwise authorized for use by the individual; Receives connections to potential passengers and related services from a transportation network company in exchange for payment of a fee to the transportation network company; and~~

~~(B) Not a taxicab or a for-hire motor vehicle; and Uses a personal vehicle to provide services for riders matched through a digital network controlled by a transportation network company; and~~

~~(C) Used to provide transportation network company services;~~
and

~~(3)(A) "Transportation network company services" means transporting a passenger between points chosen by the passenger and prearranged with a transportation network company driver through the use of a transportation network company website, digital network, or software application that:~~

~~(i) Begins when a transportation network company driver accepts a request for transportation received through the transportation network company's website, digital network, or software application;~~

~~(ii) Continues while:~~

~~(a) En route to the requesting passenger; and~~

~~(b) The transportation network company driver~~

~~transports the passenger in the transportation network company driver's motor vehicle; and~~

~~(iii) Ends when the passenger exits the transportation network company driver's motor vehicle.~~

~~(B) "Transportation network company services" does not mean:~~

~~(i) Taxicab service as defined in § 14-57-301 et seq.;~~

~~(ii) Motor carrier service under § 23-13-201 et seq.; or~~

~~(iii) Street hail service.~~

(6) "Transportation network company rider" or "rider" means an individual or a person who uses a transportation network company's digital network to connect with a transportation network company driver who provides a prearranged ride to a rider in the driver's personal vehicle between points chosen by the rider.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 23-13-709, as added by Section 1 of Senate Bill 800 of 2015, is amended to read as follows if Senate Bill 800 of 2015 is enacted:
23-13-709. Insurance requirements.

(a)(1) No later than ninety (90) days On and after the effective date of this subchapter, a transportation network company driver and or a transportation network company drivers on the driver's behalf shall comply with the motor vehicle liability maintain primary automobile insurance coverage requirements of this section that:

(A) Recognizes that the driver is a transportation network company driver and covers the driver while the driver is logged on to the transportation network company's digital network, while the driver is engaged in a

prearranged ride or while the driver otherwise uses a vehicle to provide transportation network services;

(B)(i) Provides primary automobile liability insurance in the amount of at least fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for death and bodily injury per person, one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) for death and bodily injury per incident, and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) for property damage while a participating transportation network company driver is logged on to the transportation network company's digital network and is available to receive transportation requests but is not engaged in a prearranged ride.

(ii) The coverage requirements described in subdivision (a)(1)(B)(i) of this section may be satisfied by any combination of:

(a) Automobile insurance maintained by the transportation network company driver; or

(b) Automobile insurance maintained by the transportation network company;

(C)(i) Provides primary automobile liability insurance coverage of at least one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for death, bodily injury, and property damage while a transportation network company driver is engaged in a prearranged ride.

(ii) The coverage requirements described in subdivision (a)(1)(C)(i) of this section may be satisfied by any combination of:

(a) Automobile insurance maintained by the transportation network company driver; or

(b) Automobile insurance maintained by the transportation network company;

(2) If insurance maintained by a driver under subdivision (a)(1)(B) or subdivision (a)(1)(C) of this section has lapsed or does not provide the required coverage, the insurance maintained by a transportation network company shall provide the coverage required under this subsection beginning with the first dollar of a claim and the insurer has the duty to defend the claim.

(3) Coverage under an automobile insurance policy maintained by the transportation network company shall not be dependent on a personal automobile insurer's first denial of a claim nor shall a personal automobile insurance policy be required to first deny a claim.

(4) Insurance required under this subsection may be placed with an insurer authorized to do business in this state or with a surplus-lines insurer eligible

under § 23-65-305.

(5) Insurance that satisfies the requirements of this subsection shall be deemed to satisfy the financial responsibility requirement for a motor vehicle under § 27-22-101 et seq. and the Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Act 27-19-101 et seq.;

(6)(A) A transportation network company driver shall carry proof of coverage satisfying subdivision (a)(1)(B) or subdivision (a)(1)(C) of this section with him or her during his or her use of a motor vehicle in connection with a transportation network company's digital network.

(B) In the event of an accident, a transportation network company driver shall provide insurance coverage information required under subdivision (a)(6)(A) of this section to the directly interested parties, automobile insurers, and investigating police officers upon request under the Arkansas Voluntary Enhanced Security Driver's License and Identification Card Act, § 27-16-1201 et seq.

(C) Upon a request under subdivision (a)(6)(B) of this section, a transportation network company driver shall also disclose to directly interested parties, automobile insurers, and investigating police officers whether he or she was logged on to the transportation network company's digital network or was on a prearranged ride at the time of the accident.

~~(b)(1) While a transportation network company driver is logged into the transportation network company's website, digital network, or software application and available to receive requests for transportation but is not providing transportation network company services, motor vehicle liability insurance coverage that meets the minimum coverage requirements under § 27-22-104(b) shall be maintained by the transportation network company that provides coverage beginning with the first dollar of a claim in the event a transportation network company driver's own motor vehicle liability insurance policy:~~

~~(A) Excludes coverage under the terms of the policy; or~~

~~(B) Does not provide the minimum coverage required by § 27-22-104(b).~~

~~(2) With the exception of a factual dispute regarding when a transportation network company driver is logged into the transportation network company's website, digital network, or software application, a transportation network company and its insurer shall not:~~

~~(A) Challenge a private passenger motor vehicle liability insurer's denial of a claim based on a proper exclusion pursuant to § 23-13-711(b); or~~

~~(B) Seek reimbursement or contribution from a private passenger motor vehicle liability insurer. A transportation network company shall disclose in writing to transportation network company drivers the following before they are allowed to accept a request for a prearranged ride on the transportation network company's digital network:~~

~~(1) The insurance coverage, including the types of coverage and the limits for each coverage, that the transportation network company provides while the transportation network company driver uses a personal vehicle in connection with a transportation network company's digital network; and~~

~~(2) That the transportation network company driver's own automobile insurance policy might not provide any coverage while the transportation network company driver is logged on to the transportation network company's digital network and is available to receive prearranged ride requests or is engaged in a prearranged ride, depending on the terms of the insurance policy.~~

~~(c)(1) While a transportation network company driver is providing transportation network company services, the transportation network company shall:~~

~~(A) Provide primary motor vehicle liability insurance that expressly recognizes the transportation network company driver's provision of transportation network company services or other for-hire motor vehicle services; and~~

~~(B) Provide primary motor vehicle liability insurance of at least one million dollars (\$1,000,000) for death, personal injury, and property damage Insurers that write automobile insurance in this state may exclude any and all coverage afforded under the owner's insurance policy for any loss or injury that occurs while a transportation network company driver is logged on to a transportation network company's digital network or while a transportation network company driver provides a prearranged ride.~~

(2) The motor vehicle liability insurance right to exclude all coverage required by under subdivision (c)(1) of this section may be satisfied by any combination of apply to any coverage included in an automobile insurance policy, including without limitation:

(A) Motor vehicle liability insurance Liability coverage maintained by the transportation network company driver for bodily injury and property damage; or

(B) Motor vehicle liability insurance Personal injury protection coverage maintained by the transportation network company as described in § 23-89-202;

(C) Uninsured and underinsured motorist coverage;

(D) Medical payments coverage;

(E) Comprehensive physical damage coverage; and

(F) Collision physical damage coverage.

(3) An exclusion permitted under subdivision (c)(2) of this section shall apply notwithstanding any requirement under § 27-22-101 et seq. and the Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Act 27-19-101 et seq.

(4) An automobile insurer that excludes the coverage described in subsection (a) shall have no duty to defend or indemnify any claim expressly excluded thereunder.

(5) Nothing in this subchapter shall be deemed to invalidate or limit an exclusion contained in a policy including any policy in use or approved for use in Arkansas prior to the enactment of this subchapter that excludes coverage for vehicles used to carry persons or property for a charge or available for hire by the public.

(6) This section does not imply or require that a personal automobile insurance policy provide coverage while a transportation network company driver is logged on to the transportation network company's digital network, while the transportation network company driver is engaged in a prearranged ride, or while the transportation network company driver otherwise uses a motor vehicle to provide transportation network services.

(7) This section does not preclude an insurer from providing coverage for the transportation network company driver's motor vehicle, if it so chose to do so by contract or endorsement.

(8)(A) An automobile insurer that excludes the coverage described in subdivision (c)(2) of this section shall have no duty to defend or indemnify any claim expressly excluded thereunder.

(B) This section does not invalidate or limit an exclusion contained in an insurance policy including any policy in use or approved for use in this state before the effective date of this subchapter that excludes coverage for a vehicle used to carry a person or property for a charge or available for hire by the public.

(9) An automobile insurer that defends or indemnifies a claim against a transportation network company driver that is excluded under the terms of its policy shall have a right of contribution against other insurers that provide automobile insurance to the same transportation network company driver in satisfaction of the coverage requirements of subsection (a) of this section at the time of loss.

~~(d) If the motor vehicle liability insurance coverage maintained by a transportation network company driver to fulfill the insurance requirements of this section has lapsed, is denied, is nonexistent, or the transportation network company driver has failed to provide the required coverage, the motor vehicle liability insurance coverage maintained by the transportation network company shall provide the coverage required by this section, beginning with the first dollar of a claim. In a claims coverage investigation, a transportation network company and any insurer potentially providing coverage under subsection (a) of this section shall cooperate to facilitate the exchange of relevant information with directly involved parties and any insurer of the transportation network company driver, if applicable, including the precise times that a transportation network company driver logged on and off of the transportation network company's digital network in the twelve-hour period immediately preceding and in the twelve-hour period immediately following the accident and disclose to each other a clear description of the coverage, exclusions, and limits provided under any automobile insurance policy maintained under subsection (a) of this section.~~

~~(e) The motor vehicle liability insurance coverage required by this section may be placed with an insurer authorized to do business in this state or with a surplus lines insurer eligible under § 23-65-305.~~

~~(f) Compliance with the motor vehicle liability insurance coverage required by this section satisfies all financial responsibility requirements for a motor vehicle under § 27-22-101 et seq."~~

(SIGNED) SENATOR JASON RAPERT

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 780 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hutchinson, **House Bill No. 1240** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1240

As Engrossed: H3/10/15 H3/16/15 S3/26/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES TOSH, ET AL.

BY: SENATOR J. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF DEADLY PHYSICAL FORCE IN DEFENSE OF A PERSON; CONCERNING CIVIL LIABILITY PROTECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1240 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: Bledsoe, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, J. English, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total26

NEGATIVE: Burnett, S. Flowers.

Total2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: L. Chesterfield, Elliott, Files, Hester, D. Johnson, B. King.

Total6

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast28

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1240 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.



THE SENATE
STATE OF ARKANSAS
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

March 27, 2015

Ms. Ann Cornwell, Director,
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol Building, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

During session on March 27, 2015, **House Bill No. 1240** was brought up for 3rd reading and vote. I would like the record to reflect that I was out of the chamber at the time of the vote.

I would have voted YES on this piece of legislation if I had been in the chamber. Please file this letter in the Senate Journal along with the roll call that was taken on **House Bill No. 1240**.

Thank you,

s/ Bart Hester

Senator Bart Hester
District 1

On motion of Senator Ingram, **House Bill No. 1480** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

House BILL NO. 1480
As Engrossed: H3/4/15
NINETYETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BLAKE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PREFERENCE OF MUNICIPAL BIDDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1480 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ingram moved that the Body roll the vote on **House Bill No. 1480**.
Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	33
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. Johnson.	
Total	1
EXCUSED:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	33
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. 1480 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.



THE SENATE
STATE OF ARKANSAS
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

March 27, 2015

Ms. Ann Cornwell, Director,
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol Building, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

During session on March 27, 2015, **House Bill No. 1480** was brought up for 3rd reading and vote. I would like the record to reflect that I was called out of the chamber at the time of the vote.

I would have voted NO on this piece of legislation if I had been in the chamber. Please file this letter in the Senate Journal along with the roll call that was taken on **House Bill No. 1480**.

Thank you,

s/ Bart Hester

Senator Bart Hester
District 1

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, **House Bill No. 1493** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1493
As Engrossed: H3/24/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EADS, PITSCH
BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, G. STUBBLEFIELD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE AND UPDATE LAWS FOR THE EFFICIENT OPERATION OF THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1493 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator B. Johnson moved that the Body roll the vote on **House Bill No. 1493**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	33
NEGATIVE: Irvin.	
Total	1
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
EXCUSED:	
Total	0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0
 Total number of votes cast.....34
 Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **House Bill No. 1493**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE: Irvin.

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1493 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

* * * * * **EXPUNGED** * * * * *

On motion of Senator King, **House Bill No. 1551** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1551
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. DOUGLAS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE EXEMPTIONS OF PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATED WITH NONHUMAN PRIMATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1551 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin spoke against the Bill.

Senator Clark closed for the Bill.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Caldwell, A. Clark, J. Cooper, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, B. Johnson, E. Williams.

Total10

NEGATIVE: Burnett, K. Ingram, Irvin, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, Rapert, B. Sample, G. Stubblefield, Teague.

Total11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, Collins-Smith, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, J. Hutchinson, B. Pierce, Rice, D. Sanders, J. Woods.

Total13

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....21

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * **EXPUNGED** * * * * *

The record pertaining to the vote by which **House Bill No. 1551** failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 27, 2015.

Senator Clark moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which **Senate Bill No. 1551** failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

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On motion of Senator Maloch, **House Bill No. 1806** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1806
As Engrossed: H3/17/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE *UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE*; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1806 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Maloch moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 1806**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1806 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hester, House Bill No. 1941 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1941
As Engrossed: S3/26/15
 NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: REPRESENTATIVE NEAL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT CERTAIN ADVERTISING AND PROMOTION TAX RECORDS FROM BEING RELEASED UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1941 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Maloch moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 1941**.

Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total31

NEGATIVE: S. Flowers, Irvin, Teague.

Total3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1941 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Collins-Smith, **House Bill No. 1505** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1505
As Engrossed: S3/26/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. GRAY, ET AL.
BY: SENATOR COLLINS-SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE CARRYING OF A CONCEALED HANDGUN ON CERTAIN PUBLIC PROPERTY AS WELL AS IN CERTAIN PUBLICLY MAINTAINED PARKING LOTS BY A CONCEALED CARRY LICENSEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1505 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Collins-Smith moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 1505**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE: S. Flowers.

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
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. 1505 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Ingram, House Bill No. 1629 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1629
 NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHEPHERD, WRIGHT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING MANDATORY COURT FOR DEPARTMENTS OF A DISTRICT COURT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1629 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Ingram moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 1629**.
 Motion carried.

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
EXCUSED:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	34
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. 1629 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Caldwell, **House Bill No. 1770** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1770
As Engrossed: H3/13/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF AERONAUTICS; TO RESTRICT THE USE OF UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; TO PROVIDE FOR CRIMINAL PENALTIES AND CIVIL LIABILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1770 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Maloch spoke against the Bill.

Senator Hendren spoke for the Bill.

Senator Caldwell closed for the Bill.

Senator Caldwell moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 1770**.
Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total31

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Maloch, Teague.

Total2

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers.

Total1

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1770 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Cheatham, the rules were suspended on passage of amendment and bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Cheatham, **House Bill No. 1527** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1527
As Engrossed: 3/27/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GOSSAGE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FLEXIBILITY TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN SCHEDULING ART, MUSIC, AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1527 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Cheatham moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 1527**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total32

NEGATIVE: Irvin.

Total1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers.

Total1

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1527 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

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

On motion of Senator Hutchinson, House Bill No. 1945 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1945

As Engrossed: H3/17/15 S3/24/15 S3/27/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE PREVENTION AND DETECTION OF FRAUD AND OTHER IMPROPER ACTIVITIES WITHIN STATE GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1945 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Hutchinson moved that the Body roll the vote on **House Bill No.**

1945. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1945 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

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

On motion of Senator Rice, **House Bill No. 1807** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1807
As Engrossed: H3/17/15 H3/23/15 S3/27/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. DOUGLAS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MULTI-AGENCY INSURANCE TRUST FUND ACT; TO PROVIDE FOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY THREAT MITIGATION; TO ALLOW FOR ASSESSING AND INSURING RISK CONCERNING CYBERSECURITY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1807 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rice moved that the Body roll the vote on **House Bill No. 1807**.
Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
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. 1807**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	34
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NEGATIVE:

Total	0
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ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total	0
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EXCUSED:

Total	0
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VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....	24

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1807 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Irvin, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1612** at this time.

On motion of Senator Irvin, **House Bill No. 1612** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1612
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY**

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

House Bill No. 1612 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the Body roll the vote on **House Bill No.1612**.
Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flipppo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total31

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Collins-Smith, B. King, Rice.

Total3

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast31

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1612 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Irvin, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1705** at this time.

On motion of Senator Irvin, **House Bill No. 1705** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1705
As Engrossed: H3/13/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BALLINGER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING THE REPARATION OF LANDFILLS; TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY TO USE LANDFILL CLOSURE FUNDS FOR THE CLOSURE OF WASTE TIRE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1705 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Irvin moved that the Body roll the vote on **House Bill No. 1705**.
Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers, Maloch.

Total2

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **House Bill No. 1705**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total32

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT: S. Flowers, Maloch.

Total2

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1705 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 780, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

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 Rapert, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Rapert, **House Bill No. 780** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 780
As Engrossed: S3/27/15
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR RAPERT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE CODE; TO PROVIDE MODERNIZATION OF REGULATION BY THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER; TO REVISE THE TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANY SERVICES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 780 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Rapert moved that the Body roll the vote on **Senate Bill No. 780**. Motion carried.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, B. King, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 780 was transmitted to the House as passed.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1059
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 ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1059 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1137
As Engrossed: H2/25/15 H3/18/15
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 ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1137 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1155

As Engrossed: H3/13/15 H3/20/15

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 OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1155 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1371

As Engrossed: H3/27/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT

BY: SENATOR CALDWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PAROLE REVOCATION HEARINGS, LOCATION OF PAROLE REVOCATION HEARINGS, AND CUSTODY OF A PAROLEE DURING A PAROLE REVOCATION PROCEEDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1371 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1544

As Engrossed: H3/23/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SULLIVAN, LADYMAN, TOSH, WALLACE

BY: SENATOR J. COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES OF DEALERS IN *SECONDHAND GOODS*; TO HELP THE RIGHTFUL OWNER RECOVER STOLEN PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1544 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1790

As Engrossed: H3/20/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE VINES, BROADAWAY

BY: SENATOR K. INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING THE PETITION PROCEDURE FOR PETITIONS FOR A LOCAL OPTION ELECTION; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING LOCAL OPTION ELECTIONS; TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE LAW; AMENDING PORTIONS OF THE LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1942; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1790 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1878

As Engrossed: H3/17/15 H3/27/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAMMER

BY: SENATOR HICKEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DRIVER'S LICENSE REINSTATEMENT FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1878 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1902

As Engrossed: H3/17/15 H3/27/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SABIN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS OF STATE EMPLOYEES; TO ALLOW A STATE EMPLOYEE TO CONTRIBUTE TO CERTAIN COLLEGE SAVINGS PLANS WITH A VOLUNTARY DEDUCTION FROM HIS OR HER PAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1902 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1961

As Engrossed: H3/18/15 H3/24/15 H3/27/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEDING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AND ACT TO ADOPT THE STUDENT ONLINE PERSONAL INFORMATION PROTECTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1961 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1984

As Engrossed: H3/17/15 H3/27/15

NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING EXECUTIVE SESSIONS UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1984 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 9 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 896 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 32, 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 as amended No. 4.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 44, 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 as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 67, 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 as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 111, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 155, 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 as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 209, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 657, BY SENATOR JEREMY HUTCHINSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE, CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, [Senate Bill No. 32](#) was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

[Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 32](#)

JBC 02/27/15 (30)

Amend [Senate Bill No. 32](#) as engrossed, S2/25/15:

Page 14, insert an additional SECTION immediately following SECTION 24 to read as follows:

" SECTION 25. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. ESTABLISHMENT OF A "POSITION POOL". (a) To address needs emerging from statewide education issues and the necessity of recruiting and retaining qualified personnel, the Arkansas Department of Education or its successor agency is authorized for the 2015-2016 fiscal year a pool of no more than five (5) Professional/Executive positions at a salary not to exceed the maximum salary for a grade N912. These positions are to be used by the Department of Education in the event that the personal services needs of the Department during the 2015-2016 fiscal year require additional positions, either by title or in number, that are not authorized by the General Assembly in Section 1 of this Act. These positions may also be used to properly classify positions when the Department does not have a vacant position available with the appropriate title and salary level.

(b) To address needs emerging from statewide education issues and the necessity of recruiting and retaining qualified personnel, the Arkansas Department of Education or its successor agency is authorized for the 2015-2016 fiscal year a pool of ten (10) classified positions at up to a grade C130. These positions are to be used by the Department of Education in the event that the personal services needs of the Department during the 2015-2016 fiscal year require additional positions, either by classification or in number, that are not authorized by the General Assembly in Section 1 of this Act. These positions may also be used to properly classify positions when the Department does not have a vacant position available with the appropriate title and grade level.

(c) Any salary determinations or adjustments administered under the provisions of Subsections (a) and (b) of this Section shall be made by comparing the qualifications and salary levels of similar employees in school districts or in other state education agencies.

(d) The Department of Education is authorized to access the pool positions authorized in this Section at any time when it is determined by the Commissioner that the need exists. The Commissioner shall provide a monthly report of the justification for the need to allocate titles from this growth pool to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and to the Arkansas Legislative Council for review. The report shall also include an accounting of the names, titles, and salaries of personnel whose salaries have been adjusted under provisions of Subsections (a) and (b) of this Section.

(e) If the Department of Education requests continuation of any "Position Pool" position(s) as established herein during the next fiscal year, the position(s) must be requested as a new position(s) in the agency's budget request.

(f) Determining the number of personnel to be employed by a state agency is the prerogative of the General Assembly and is usually accomplished by delineating the maximum number of personnel by identifying job titles and the maximum grade or salary attached to those titles. The General Assembly has determined that the Arkansas Department of Education could be operated more efficiently if some flexibility is given to that agency. That flexibility is being accomplished by providing a position pool in Subsections (a) and (b) of this Section and since the General Assembly has granted the agency broad powers under the growth pool concept, it is both necessary and appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight of the utilization of the position pool by requiring review of the Legislative Council in the utilization of the position pool. Therefore, the requirement of review by the Legislative Council is not a severable part of this section. If the requirement of review by the Legislative Council 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, 2015 through June 30, 2016."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 32 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 44** was 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. 44

JBC 03/27/15 (32)

Amend **Senate Bill No. 44** as engrossed, S3/26/15:

Page 5, insert new Sections following Section 8 to read as follows:

" SECTION 9. REGULAR SALARIES - TRIAL PUBLIC DEFENDER OFFICE - GIF. There is hereby established for the Arkansas Public Defender Commission - Trial Public Defender Office for the 2015-2016 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item No.	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2015-2016
(1)	PUBLIC DEFENDER	3	GRADE C119
	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	3	

SECTION 10. APPROPRIATION - TRIAL PUBLIC DEFENDER OFFICE - GIF. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Public Defender Commission, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund account, for personal services of the Arkansas Public Defender Commission - Trial Public Defender Office - GIF for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2015-2016
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$106,662
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	29,865
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$136,527"</u>

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent Sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 44 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 67** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 67

JBC 03/27/15 (35)

Amend **Senate Bill No. 67** as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 3, delete " 87" and insert "87"

And

Page 2 insert a new Item No. following Item No. (9) to read as follows:
 "(10) DEP PROS ATTY - ATTORNEY II 4 GRADE C119"

And

Page 2, line 4, delete "245" and insert "249"

And

Page 2 insert a new Section following Section 2 to read as follows:
 " SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - DEPUTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS - GIF. There is hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund account, for personal services for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2015-2016
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$142,216
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	39,820
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$182,036</u>

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent Sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BART HESTER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 67 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 111** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

**ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 111

JBC 03/27/15 (40)

Amend **Senate Bill No. 111** as engrossed, S3/26/15:

Page 15, immediately following SECTION 25, insert a new SECTION to read as follows:

" SECTION 26. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL, AND TEMPORARY LAW. CARRY FORWARD - INDUSTRY TRAINING PROGRAM. Any unexpended balance of funds for the Industry Training Program in the Arkansas Economic Development Commission Fund Account which remain at the close of each state fiscal year shall be carried forward to the next state fiscal year to be used for the same intent and purposes as set forth in law.

Any carry forward of unexpended balance of funding as authorized herein, may be carried forward under the following conditions:

- (1) Prior to June 30, 2015 the Agency shall by written statement set forth its reason(s) for the need to carry forward said funding to the Department of Finance and Administration Office of Budget;
- (2) The Department of Finance and Administration Office of Budget shall report to the Arkansas Legislative Council all amounts carried forward by the September Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee meeting which report shall include the name of the Agency, Board, Commission or Institution and the amount of the funding carried forward, the program name or line item, the funding source of that appropriation and a copy of the written request set forth in (1) above;
- (3) Each Agency, Board, Commission or Institution shall provide a written report to the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee containing all information set forth in item (2) above, along with a written statement as to the current status of the project, contract, purpose etc. for which the carry forward was originally requested no later than thirty (30) days prior to the time the Agency, Board, Commission or Institution presents its budget request to the Arkansas Legislative Council/Joint Budget Committee; and
- (4) Thereupon, the Department of Finance and Administration shall include all information obtained in item (3) above in the budget manuals and/or a statement of non-compliance by the Agency, Board, Commission or Institution."

AND

Pages 15, delete SECTION 28 in its entirety and insert the following:

" SECTION 28. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2015 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided; with the exception that SECTION 26 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and

approval and that in the event of an extension of the Legislative Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2015, with the exception that SECTION 26 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2015; with the exception that SECTION 26 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval."

AND

Appropriately renumber all SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 111 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 155** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 155

JBC 03/27/15 (26)

Amend **Senate Bill No. 155** as engrossed, S2/11/15:

Page 17, insert a new Section following Section 34 to read as follows:
" SECTION 35. APPROPRIATION - SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Administrative Office of the Courts, to be payable from the Specialty Court Program Fund, for costs associated with the Specialty Court Program and providing assistance and support to the Specialty Court Advisory Committee for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR
(01) SPECIALTY COURT PROGRAM	2015-2016 <u>\$300,000"</u>

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent Sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JEREMY HUTCHINSON

The Amendment was read 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 Teague, Senate Bill No. 209 was 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. 209

JBC 03/27/15 (37)

Amend Senate Bill No. 209 as engrossed, S3/2/15:

Page 6, delete Line 13 in its entirety

And

Page 6, Line 16 delete "\$ 22,092,090" and substitute "\$ 21,775,827"

And

Appropriately renumber the Item numbers in this Section

And

Page 6, Line 20 delete "Parks and Tourism Fund Account" and substitute "Tourism Development Trust Fund"

And

Page 10, Line 17 delete " 955,737" and substitute " 1,272,000"

And

Page 10, Line 20 delete " \$14,412,186" and substitute " \$14,728,449".

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 209 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 657** was 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. 657

JBC 03/27/15 (24)

Amend **Senate Bill No. 657** as engrossed, S3/23/15:

Page 1, Delete Line 30 in its entirety and substitute the following:

" (1) G180C GRANTS ANALYST 1 GRADE C117"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JEREMY HUTCHINSON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 657 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Teague was recognized for the Joint Budget calendar. After discussion of the Joint Budget calendar and without objection, the following Joint Budget bills are to be considered in a block vote.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 10** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 10
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 ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 10 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 10**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 10 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 11** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 11
As Engrossed: S1/26/15 S3/26/15
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 ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 11 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
Total number of votes cast	33
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. 11**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	33
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NEGATIVE:

Total	0
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ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total	1
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EXCUSED:

Total	0
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VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
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Total number of votes cast	33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....	24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 11 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 31** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 31
As Engrossed: S3/9/15
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 ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....	33
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. 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....33

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 Teague, **Senate Bill No. 106** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 106
As Engrossed: S3/4/15 S3/26/15
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 AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 106 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast	33
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. 106**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	33
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NEGATIVE:

Total	0
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ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total	1
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EXCUSED:

Total	0
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VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
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Total number of votes cast	33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....	24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 106 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 196** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**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 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast	33
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. 196**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	33
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NEGATIVE:

Total	0
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ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total	1
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EXCUSED:

Total	0
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VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
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Total number of votes cast	33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....	24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 196 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 207** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 207
As Engrossed: S2/17/15 S3/26/15
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 ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 207 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast33

Necessary to the passage of the bill27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 207**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 207 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Teague, **House Bill No. 1041** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1041
As Engrossed: H2/6/15
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 CAREER EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1041 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flipppo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
Total number of votes cast	33
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. 1041**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	33
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NEGATIVE:

Total	0
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ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total	1
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EXCUSED:

Total	0
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VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
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Total number of votes cast	33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....	24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1041 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, **House Bill No. 1084** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1084
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 OFFICE OF HEALTH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1084 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast	33
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. 1084**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total	33
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NEGATIVE:

Total	0
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ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total	1
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EXCUSED:

Total	0
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VOTING PRESENT:

Total	0
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Total number of votes cast	33
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....	24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1084 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, **House Bill No. 1152** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1152
As Engrossed: H3/13/15 H3/18/15 H3/20/15
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 INSURANCE DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1152 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **House Bill No. 1152**, 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: Bledsoe, Burnett, Caldwell, E. Cheatham, L. Chesterfield, A. Clark, Collins-Smith, J. Cooper, J. Dismang, Elliott, J. English, Files, Flippo, S. Flowers, J. Hendren, Hester, Hickey, J. Hutchinson, K. Ingram, Irvin, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, U. Lindsey, Maloch, B. Pierce, Rapert, Rice, B. Sample, D. Sanders, G. Stubblefield, Teague, E. Williams, J. Woods.

Total33

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. King.

Total1

EXCUSED:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause.....24

So the emergency clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1152 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 32, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 44, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 67, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 111, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 155, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 209, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 657, BY SENATOR JEREMY HUTCHINSON,

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) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1844, BY REPRESENTATIVE GILLIAM,

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 Williams, **House Bill No. 1844** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 5, BY SENATOR JIMMY HICKEY,

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 JANE ENGLISH, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR BLAKE JOHNSON
(SIGNED) SENATOR EDDIE JOE WILLIAMS
(SIGNED) SENATOR ALAN CLARK
(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM HENDREN
(SIGNED) SENATOR EDDIE CHEATHAM
(SIGNED) SENATOR BOBBY PIERCE
(SIGNED) SENATOR UVALDE LINDSEY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 528, BY SENATOR DAVID BURNETT,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JEREMY HUTCHINSON, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 617, BY SENATOR DAVID SANDERS,

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 JEREMY HUTCHINSON, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 1018, BY SENATOR JEREMY HUTCHINSON,

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 JEREMY HUTCHINSON, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1114, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1977, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. ARMSTRONG,

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 JEREMY HUTCHINSON, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1904, BY REPRESENTATIVE SABIN,

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 JEREMY HUTCHINSON, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1279, BY REPRESENTATIVE RICHEY,

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 JASON, CHAIRMAN
(SIGNED) SENATOR UVALDE LINDSEY
(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH
(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY RICE
(SIGNED) SENATOR JEREMY HUTCHINSON

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 226, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 231, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 305, BY SENATOR JOHN COOPER,
SENATE BILL NO. 316, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 366, BY SENATOR ALAN CLARK,
SENATE BILL NO. 371, BY SENATOR JANE ENGLISH,
SENATE BILL NO. 535, BY SENATOR JIM HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 569, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 636, BY SENATOR JON WOODS,
SENATE BILL NO. 716, BY SENATOR JOHN COOPER,
SENATE BILL NO. 727, BY SENATOR TERRY RICE,
SENATE BILL NO. 751, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 757, BY SENATOR JIM HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 773, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 775, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 809, BY SENATOR JON WOODS,
SENATE BILL NO. 827, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO. 848, BY SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 855, BY SENATOR DAVID SANDERS,
SENATE BILL NO. 966, BY SENATOR JON WOODS,
SENATE BILL NO. 982, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

SENATE BILL NO. 987, BY SENATOR JON WOODS,
SENATE BILL NO. 1044, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,
SENATE BILL NO. 9, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 896, BY SENATOR BART HESTER,

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 2:25 P.M. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 226
SENATE BILL NO. 231
SENATE BILL NO. 305
SENATE BILL NO. 316
SENATE BILL NO. 366
SENATE BILL NO. 371
SENATE BILL NO. 535
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SENATE BILL NO. 636
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SENATE BILL NO. 848
SENATE BILL NO. 855
SENATE BILL NO. 966
SENATE BILL NO. 982
SENATE BILL NO. 987
SENATE BILL NO. 1044
SENATE BILL NO. 9
SENATE BILL NO. 896

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 27th day of March, 2015 at 2:25 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON,
GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) ANGIE DOVER
SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 46 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 145 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 624 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 1041 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 745 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hutchinson, [Senate Bill No. 745](#) was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

[Senate Bill No. 867](#) was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Williams, [Senate Bill No. 867](#) was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

[Senate Bill No. 877](#) was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hickey, [Senate Bill No. 877](#) was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

[Senate Bill No. 880](#) was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Rapert, [Senate Bill No. 880](#) was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 46, BY SENATOR JEREMY HUTCHINSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 145, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE
SENATE BILL NO. 624, BY SENATOR EDDIE CHEATHAM
SENATE BILL NO. 1041, BY SENATOR BILL SAMPLE

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy 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) SENATOR BILL SAMPLE, CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 46
SENATE BILL NO. 145
SENATE BILL NO. 624
SENATE BILL NO. 1041

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 27th day of March, 2015 at 3:15 p.m.

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON,
GOVERNOR

(SIGNED) ANGIE DOVER
SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 776, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,

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 JANE ENGLISH, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 615, BY SENATOR GARY STUBBLEFIELD,
SENATE BILL NO. 1007, BY SENATOR LINDA COLLINS-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 as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 999, BY SENATOR BRUCE MALOCH,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JANE ENGLISH, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1545, BY REPRESENTATIVE SABIN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1552, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOUSE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1623, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1650, BY REPRESENTATIVE RATLIFF,

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 JANE ENGLISH, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1651, BY REPRESENTATIVE RATLIFF,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1652, BY REPRESENTATIVE RATLIFF,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1694, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1778, BY REPRESENTATIVE TOSH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1991, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. DOUGLAS

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 JANE ENGLISH, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1663, BY REPRESENTATIVE COZART,

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 JANE ENGLISH, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 943, BY SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT,

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 CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 466, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,
SENATE BILL NO.543, BY SENATOR JASON RAPERT,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 24, BY SENATOR MISSY IRVIN,

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 CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1208, BY REPRESENTATIVE GONZALES,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1293, BY REPRESENTATIVE LEDING,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1496, BY REPRESENTATIVE LAMPKIN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1578, BY REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM,

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 CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
NINETIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 27, 2015

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1627, BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1658, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAYBERRY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1711, BY REPRESENTATIVE TALLEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1876, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAMMER,

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 CECILE BLEDSOE, CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 542 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 625 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 631 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 783 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 795 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 800 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 818 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 819 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 823 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 912 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 917 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 952 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 1046 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 1053 was returned from the House as passed and ordered

Senate Bill No. 329 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Bill No. 329 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 558 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hutchinson, Senate Bill No. 558 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 816 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Sample, Senate Bill No. 816 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 860 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Hickey, Senate Bill No. 860 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.



STATE OF ARKANSAS

Asa Hutchinson

Governor

March 27, 2015

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 27, 2015, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Ninetieth General Assembly:

- SB 33 - ACT 727
- SB 39 - ACT 728
- SB 52 - ACT 729
- SB 84 - ACT 730
- SB 91 - ACT 731
- SB 146 - ACT 732
- SB 222 - ACT 733
- SB 614 - ACT 734
- SB 643 - ACT 735
- SB 645 - ACT 736
- SB 749 - ACT 737
- SB 781 - ACT 738
- SB 789 - ACT 739
- SB 871 - ACT 740

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) ASA HUTCHINSON

ASA HUTCHINSON

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSEAS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 10
SENATE BILL NO. 11
SENATE BILL NO. 31
SENATE BILL NO. 106
SENATE BILL NO. 196
SENATE BILL NO. 207
SENATE BILL NO. 389
SENATE BILL NO. 459
SENATE BILL NO. 761
SENATE BILL NO. 780
SENATE BILL NO. 869
SENATE BILL NO. 963
SENATE BILL NO. 993
SENATE BILL NO. 1037
SENATE BILL NO. 1039
SENATE BILL NO. 1042

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1041
HOUSE BILL NO. 1084
HOUSE BILL NO. 1152
HOUSE BILL NO. 1218
HOUSE BILL NO. 1308
HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
HOUSE BILL NO. 1401
HOUSE BILL NO. 1405
HOUSE BILL NO. 1453
HOUSE BILL NO. 1480
HOUSE BILL NO. 1493
HOUSE BILL NO. 1523
HOUSE BILL NO. 1597
HOUSE BILL NO. 1612
HOUSE BILL NO. 1629
HOUSE BILL NO. 1659
HOUSE BILL NO. 1671
HOUSE BILL NO. 1673
HOUSE BILL NO. 1678
HOUSE BILL NO. 1705
HOUSE BILL NO. 1754
HOUSE BILL NO. 1769
HOUSE BILL NO. 1770
HOUSE BILL NO. 1782
HOUSE BILL NO. 1805
HOUSE BILL NO. 1806
HOUSE BILL NO. 1808
HOUSE BILL NO. 1823
HOUSE BILL NO. 1887
HOUSE BILL NO. 1954
HOUSE BILL NO. 1989
HOUSE BILL NO. 2004

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 5 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 49 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 329 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 528 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 543 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 558 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 591 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 745 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 816 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 860 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 867 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 877 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 880 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED

SENATE BILL NO. 484

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1059
HOUSE BILL NO. 1137
HOUSE BILL NO. 1155
HOUSE BILL NO. 1293
HOUSE BILL NO. 1371
HOUSE BILL NO. 1390
HOUSE BILL NO. 1413
HOUSE BILL NO. 1425
HOUSE BILL NO. 1544
HOUSE BILL NO. 1633
HOUSE BILL NO. 1668
HOUSE BILL NO. 1730

HOUSE BILL NO. 1751
HOUSE BILL NO. 1779
HOUSE BILL NO. 1790
HOUSE BILL NO. 1844
HOUSE BILL NO. 1851
HOUSE BILL NO. 1854
HOUSE BILL NO. 1878
HOUSE BILL NO. 1902
HOUSE BILL NO. 1934
HOUSE BILL NO. 1961
HOUSE BILL NO. 1984

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1228 AS AMENDED NOS. 1, 2 AND 3
HOUSE BILL NO. AS AMENDED 1240 AS AMENDED NO. 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1505 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1527 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1530 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1562 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1688 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1807 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1880 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1908 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1941 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1945 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 AND 2

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1491

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSEAS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 9
SENATE BILL NO. 46
SENATE BILL NO. 145
SENATE BILL NO. 226
SENATE BILL NO. 231
SENATE BILL NO. 305
SENATE BILL NO. 316
SENATE BILL NO. 366
SENATE BILL NO. 371
SENATE BILL NO. 535
SENATE BILL NO. 542
SENATE BILL NO. 569
SENATE BILL NO. 624
SENATE BILL NO. 625
SENATE BILL NO. 631
SENATE BILL NO. 751
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SENATE BILL NO. 966
SENATE BILL NO. 982
SENATE BILL NO. 987
SENATE BILL NO. 1041
SENATE BILL NO. 1046

SENATE BILL NO. 1053

On motion of Senator Dismang, the Senate adjourned until 1:00 p.m., Monday, March 30, 2015.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE