

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

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Little Rock, Arkansas  
February 24, 2003

The House was called to order at 1:34 p. m. by Mr. Cleveland, the Speaker.  
The following members answered to the roll call:

Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, Bond, Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D.Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Harris, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C.Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Lewellen, Mack, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, Smith, Stovall, Sullivan, Sumpter, C.Taylor, J.Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....99

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

Total .....01

A quorum was present.

Unanimous leave was granted for Representative(s) Oglesby.

The House stood and was led in prayer by Dr. Lewis Shepherd, Pastor, Greater Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, Arkadelphia, Arkansas.

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

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

Upon motion of Representative Wood, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1426** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1426

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1426** as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 7 through 11 and substitute the following:

~~"condition, and help arrange for appropriate professional evaluations.~~

(1) The Department of Human Services shall not be ordered by any court, except the juvenile division of the circuit court, to gather records, investigate the respondent's condition or help arrange for appropriate professional evaluations unless the court has first determined all parties to the proceeding to be indigent and assistance provided by the Department is limited to actions within the State of Arkansas.

(2) The Department of Human Services shall issue regulations to implement this provision.

(e) Any existing evaluations made by the Department of Human Services of which the court has notice must be considered by the court."

/s/ Jeff Wood

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Parks, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1527** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1527**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1527** as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 5 delete "Representative Parks" and substitute "Representatives Bledsoe, Parks"

/s/ Marvin Parks

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Roebuck, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1531** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1531**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1531** as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 20 delete "optional" and substitute "mandatory"

/s/ Tommy Roebuck

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Borhauer, HOUSE BILL NO. 1615 was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1615

Amend HOUSE BILL NO. 1615 as engrossed, 2/20/03:

Add Rep. Walters as a cosponsor of the bill

/s/ Shirley Borhauer

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Mahony, HOUSE BILL NO. 1539 was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1539

Amend HOUSE BILL NO. 1539 as originally introduced:

Page 4, delete lines 21 through 28, and substitute the following:

“(b) Beginning on the effective date of this subsection (b) through July 1, 2004, notwithstanding any other provision of law except for currently binding contractual obligations, enforceable court-ordered mandates, or contracts entered into in connection with a bond issuance or a project financed with an issuance of bonds, no school board of directors of any public school, or any governing body of a charter school or an education cooperative shall enter into any contractual obligation exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars (\$75,000) for the purchase, sale, construction, improvement, repair, or equipment for facilities, motor vehicles, buildings, or real property sites without the prior written approval of the State Board of Education or the Director of the Department of Education as allowed in emergency situations.”

AND

Page 4, line 33, delete “contract” and substitute “contracts”

AND

Page 4, delete line 35, and substitute the following:

“without the prior written approval of the State Board of Education or the director of the Department of Education as allowed in emergency situations.”

AND

Page 5, delete line 17, and substitute the following:

“prior written approval of the State Board of Education or the Director of the Department of Education as allowed in emergency situations.”

AND

Page 5, delete line 19, and substitute the following:

“entered on or after the effective date of this subsection (d) through July 1, 2004, may have a combined total increase in”

AND

Page 5, delete line 24, and substitute the following:

“mandated by the Arkansas General Assembly, specifically including but not limited to, pay increases under the Educator’s Compensations Act of 2001.”

AND

Page 6, delete line 32, and substitute the following:

“of this subdivision (b) through July 1, 2004, without the prior written approval of the State Board of Education or the Director of the Department of Education as allowed in emergency situations.”

AND

Page 6, delete lines 34 through 36, and substitute the following:

SECTION 5. (a) Any school district, local board of directors or other person seeking prior written approval from the State Board of Education or the Director of the Department of Education under Arkansas Code § 6-17-301(c) and (d), § 6-13-620(15) and (16), and § 6-20-1201, shall send a written petition to the Director of the Department of Education, no less than fifteen (15) days prior to the next regularly scheduled State Board of Education meeting, requesting that the matter be placed on the agenda of the State Board of Education at next regularly scheduled State Board of Education meeting and include in the petition:

(1) The names and addresses of the requestor and of all parties to the contract;

(2) A statement explaining the purpose of the contract or project;

(3) The total expected contract price or project amount; and

(4) A copy of the proposed contract or project proposal.

(b)(1) The State Board of Education shall hear all petitions filed under subsection (a), and based on the State Board of Education’s determination of whether the petition would be in the best interest of the state’s system of education, shall:

(A)(i) Approve the petition, in whole or any part thereof;

(ii) Deny the petition, in whole or any part thereof; or

(iii) Request additional information with respect to any part of the petition or additional time to consider the petition; and

(B) Send a written notice of the board's action to the requestor no less than five (5) days following the meeting.

(2) The State Board of Education may deny any petition because of the failure to provide sufficient information as requested by the State Board of Education or required under subsection (a) of this section.

(c) When and if a school district superintendent declares in a written petition to the Director of the Department of Education that a school district must take immediate action to address a need of the district, and the necessary action is of nature and circumstance that the local school district would be unduly harmed to wait until the next regularly scheduled State Board of Education meeting for approval, the director is may, in his sole discretion, declare that an emergency exists and approve in whole or in part the requested contract, obligation, expenditure or condition of the school district.

(d) For purposes of this section, "project" means any contract or combined contractual obligation related to a specific purchase, sale, construction, improvement, repair, or equipment for facilities, motor vehicles, buildings, or real property sites."

AND

Page 7, delete lines 1 and 2 entirely

AND

Page 7, delete line 11, and substitute the following:

"misdemeanor and subject to a fine in the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000)."

/s/ Jodie Mahony

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Walters, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1460** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 5 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1460**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1460** as engrossed, H2/17/03 H2/17/03 H2/18/03:  
Page 1, delete lines 30-31 and substitute the following:  
"the second class, incorporated town, or any county, who are members of the United States Air Force"

/s/ Shirley Walters

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Cleveland , **HOUSE BILL NO. 1553** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1553**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1553** as originally introduced:  
Add Representative Green as cosponsor of the bill  
AND  
Page 4, lines 3 and 4, delete "deposited in an interest bearing account in a financial institution located in the state" and substitute "administered by the Arkansas Department of Health"

/s/ Herschel W. Cleveland

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Ormond , **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1010** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1010**

Amend **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1010** as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 10, delete "fee to be" and substitute "fee of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), or such other amount as"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 1 through 9 and substitute the following:

"(A)(i) Within fifteen (15) calendar days of receiving a petition on a state-wide measure, the Attorney General shall approve the ballot title and the popular name or disapprove the ballot title or popular name.

(ii) If the Attorney General fails to act within fifteen (15) calendar days, the ballot title and popular name shall be deemed approved.

(iii) If the Attorney General disapproves of the ballot title or popular name, the petitioner may redraft the ballot title or popular name and resubmit the same to the Attorney General without the payment of any additional fee."

/s/ Charles L. Ormond

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Bright, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1512** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1512**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1512** as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Elliott, Walters, Ferguson, Bledsoe, Hathorn, Hardwick, Mack, Hutchinson, Creekmore, Parks, Rankin, Chesterfield, King, Childers, Borhauer, Penix, Fite, Anderson, and Harris as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Senators G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, and Broadway as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 10, delete "ALLOW" and substitute "REQUIRE"

AND

Page 1, line 17, delete "ALLOW" and substitute "REQUIRE"

AND

Page 2, delete line 14 and substitute the following:

"for licensure in Arkansas who have a valid out-of-state teaching license and three (3) years"

/s/ Stephen Bright

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Bright, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1512** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1512**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1512** as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 36, and substitute the following:

"requirements, take and complete ~~the National Teacher's Examination~~ or a test recognized by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education and approved by the State Board of Education."

AND

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

~~"similar examination designated by the board~~ and submit the scores to the Department of Education."

/s/ Stephen Bright

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

The House gave Representative Haak unanimous leave to withdraw HOUSE BILL NO. 1596.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1512 was referred back to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1460 was referred back to the Committee on AGING, CHILDREN AND YOUTH, LEGISLATIVE AND MILITARY AFFAIRS.

ENGROSSED BILL REPORTS

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HERSCHEL W. CLEVELAND, CHAIRMAN

February 24, 2003

The following bill(s) reported correctly engrossed:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1010

BY REPRESENTATIVE ORMOND

HOUSE BILL NO. 1426 BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOD, ET AL

HOUSE BILL NO. 1460 BY REPRESENTATIVE WALTERS

HOUSE BILL NO. 1512 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE BRIGHT, ET AL

HOUSE BILL NO. 1527 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE BLEDSOE, ET AL

HOUSE BILL NO. 1531 BY REPRESENTATIVE ROEBUCK, ET AL

HOUSE BILL NO. 1539 BY REPRESENTATIVE MAHONY

HOUSE BILL NO. 1553 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE CLEVELAND, ET AL

HOUSE BILL NO. 1615 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE BORHAUER, ET AL

SENATE BILL NO. 131 BY SENATOR BROWN, ET AL

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1512

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES BRIGHT, *ELLIOTT*, *WALTERS*, *FERGUSON*, *BLEDSON*,  
*HATHORN*, *HARDWICK*, *MACK*, *HUTCHINSON*, *CREEKMORE*, *PARKS*, *RANKIN*,  
*CHESTERFIELD*, *KING*, *CHILDERS*, *BORHAUER*, *PENIX*, *FITE*, *ANDERSON*,  
*HARRIS*

BY: *SENATORS G. JEFFRESS*, *J. JEFFRESS*, *BROADWAY*

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO *REQUIRE* THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO WAIVE EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS FOR INDIVIDUALS SEEKING AN ARKANSAS TEACHING LICENSE WHO HAVE AN OUT-OF-STATE TEACHING LICENSE AND EXPERIENCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1553

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES CLEVELAND, LEWELLEN, J. JOHNSON, S. PRATER, ROSENBAUM, FITE, GOSS, DOBBINS, BOLIN, HAAK, *GREEN*

BY: *SENATORS STEELE*, FARIS, CRITCHER, B. JOHNSON, MALONE, HORN

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN ARKANSAS COMMISSION TO STUDY THE ADEQUACY OF EYE HEALTH, VISION CARE, VISION SCREENING, AND THE EFFECTS OF INADEQUATE VISION ON THE EDUCATIONAL PERFORMANCE OF CHILDREN IN THE ARKANSAS SCHOOL SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1615

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES BORHAUER, *WALTERS*

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE STATUTORY FORECLOSURE LAW TO PROVIDE PROPER NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF THE TRUST PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

State of Arkansas  
Office of the Governor

Mike Huckabee  
*Governor*

February 21, 2003

TO THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

Dear Mr. Speaker:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 21, 2003, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-Fourth General Assembly:

HB 1009, which is now Act 200 of 2003, and  
HB 1021, which is now Act 201 of 2003, and  
HB 1022, which is now Act 202 of 2003, and  
HB 1109, which is now Act 203 of 2003, and  
HB 1114, which is now Act 204 of 2003, and  
HB 1147, which is now Act 205 of 2003, and  
HB 1264, which is now Act 206 of 2003, and  
HB 1284, which is now Act 207 of 2003, and  
HB 1285, which is now Act 208 of 2003, and  
HB 1286, which is now Act 209 of 2003, and  
HB 1290, which is now Act 210 of 2003, and  
HB 1340, which is now Act 211 of 2003, and  
HB 1352, which is now Act 212 of 2003, and  
HB 1369, which is now Act 213 of 2003, and  
HCR 1005.

Sincerely,

/s/ Mike Huckabee

MH:sm

cc: President of the Senate

Upon motion of Representative Ledbetter, **SENATE BILL NO. 131** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SENATE BILL NO. 131**

Amend **SENATE BILL NO. 131** as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 32, delete "existing"

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "no" and substitute "to no"

/s/ John Paul Verkamp

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

**SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5**

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**BY: SENATOR ARGUE**

NAMING FEBRUARY 24, 2003 AS "KIDS COUNT DAY AT THE CAPITOL – 2003" AND INVITING KIDS AND EVERYONE WHO CARES ABOUT CHILDREN'S ISSUES TO VISIT THE CAPITOL.

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

Morning Hour Expired.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1483

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE JUDY

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Harris, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Lewellen, Mack, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Stovall, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1267

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HUTCHINSON

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Harris, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, C. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Lewellen, Mack, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Stovall, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1601

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREEN

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Harris, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Lewellen, Mack, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Stovall, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

Total .....97

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Hutchinson, Oglesby, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....97

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

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1188

BY: REPRESENTATIVE VERKAMP

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Harris, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Lewellen, Mack, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Stovall, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

Total .....96

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bolin, Boyd, Oglesby, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....96

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

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1573

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE BOND

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Harris, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Lewellen, Mack, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Stovall, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

Total .....97

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Oglesby, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....2

VOTING PRESENT: Ormond.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast .....98

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

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1590

BY: REPRESENTATIVE NAPPER

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Stovall, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Harris, Lewellen, Mack, Oglesby, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....95

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

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

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1590**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

**EMERGENCY CLAUSE**

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Stovall, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Harris, Lewellen, Mack, Oglesby, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....95

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

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

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1590

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE NAPPER

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Stovall, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Harris, Lewellen, Mack, Oglesby, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....95

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

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

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1590**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

EMERGENCY CLAUSE

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Stovall, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Harris, Lewellen, Mack, Oglesby, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....95

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

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

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1613

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HUTCHINSON

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Harris, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Lewellen, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

Total .....94

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Judy, Mack, Oglesby, Stovall, Verkamp, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....94

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

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

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1613**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

EMERGENCY CLAUSE

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Harris, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Lewellen, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

Total .....94

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Judy, Mack, Oglesby, Stovall, Verkamp, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....94

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

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

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

SENATE BILL NO. 218

BY: SENATOR BISBEE

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Chesterfield, Childers, Cowling, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Harris, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Lewellen, Mack, Mahony, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White.

Total .....88

NEGATIVE: Bond, Bright, Clemons, Dobbins, Martin, S. Prater, Schulte, Wood.

Total .....8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Creekmore, Oglesby, Stovall, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....96

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

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

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

Upon motion of Representative Bolin the Clincher motion prevailed.

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **SENATE BILL NO. 218**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

**EMERGENCY CLAUSE**

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Agee, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bolin, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Chesterfield, Childers, Cowling, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Harris, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Lewellen, Mack, Mahony, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White.

Total .....88

NEGATIVE: Bond, Bright, Clemons, Dobbins, Martin, S. Prater, Schulte, Wood.

Total .....8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Creekmore, Oglesby, Stovall, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....96

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

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

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

Upon motion of Representative Bolin the Clincher motion prevailed.

SENATE BILL NO. 128

BY: SENATOR HORN

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Adams, Anderson, Bennett, Berry, Biggs, Blair, Bledsoe, Bond, P. Bookout, Borhauer, Boyd, Bradford, Bright, Chesterfield, Childers, Clemons, Cowling, Creekmore, Dangeau, Dees, Dickinson, Dobbins, Eason, Edwards, Elliott, D. Evans, L. Evans, Ferguson, Fite, Gillespie, Gipson, Goss, Green, Haak, Hardwick, Harris, Hathorn, Hickinbotham, House, Hutchinson, Jackson, Jacobs, Jeffrey, C. Johnson, J. Johnson, Jones, Judy, Kenney, Key, King, Lamoureux, Ledbetter, Lendall, Lewellen, Mack, Mahony, Martin, Matayo, Mathis, Medley, Milligan, Moore, Napper, Nichols, Norton, Ormond, Pace, Parks, Pate, Penix, Petrus, Pickett, L. Prater, S. Prater, Pritchard, Rankin, Roebuck, Rosenbaum, Schulte, Scrimshire, Scroggin, Seawel, R. Smith, Sullivan, Sumpter, C. Taylor, J. Taylor, Thomas, Thomason, Thyer, Verkamp, Walters, Weaver, White, Wood.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Agee, Bolin, Oglesby, Stovall, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....95

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

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

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

Motion was made to transfer **SENATE BILL NO. 31** from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE. Motion carried.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1112** was referred back to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1345** was referred back to the Committee on AGING, CHILDREN AND YOUTH, LEGISLATIVE AND MILITARY AFFAIRS.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1011** was referred back to the Committee on ADVANCED COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1200** was referred to the Committee on RULES.

**HOUSE BILLS ORDERED TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED**

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- HOUSE BILL NO. 1188 BY REPRESENTATIVE VERKAMP
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1267 BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTCHINSON
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1454 BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMASON
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1483 BY REPRESENTATIVE JUDY
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1549 BY REPRESENTATIVE JEFFREY
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1570 BY REPRESENTATIVE J. TAYLOR
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1573 BY REPRESENTATIVE BOND
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1590 BY REPRESENTATIVE NAPPER
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1601 BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1613 BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTCHINSON

SENATE BILLS ORDERED RETURNED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

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SENATE BILL NO. 128 BY SENATOR HORN  
 SENATE BILL NO. 213 BY SENATOR MADISON  
 SENATE BILL NO. 218 BY SENATOR BISBEE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS CONCURRED IN  
 AND ORDERED RETURNED TO THE SENATE

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5  
 BY SENATOR ARGUE

ARKANSAS SENATE  
 HOUSE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE SENATE AS PASSED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1011, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE  
 AS AMENDED #1  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1166 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1200, BY REPRESENTATIVE COWLING  
 AS AMENDED #1, #2  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1212 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1345, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOOD  
 AS AMENDED #1, #2  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1446 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1447 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1448 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1449 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1498 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1499 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1501 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1502 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1532 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

ARKANSAS SENATE  
SENATE BILLS RECEIVED FROM SENATE

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SENATE BILL NO. 57 BY SENATOR ALTES  
 SENATE BILL NO. 134 BY SENATOR GLOVER  
 SENATE BILL NO. 165 BY SENATOR GLOVER  
 SENATE BILL NO. 167 BY SENATOR FARIS  
 SENATE BILL NO. 177 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 SENATE BILL NO. 185 BY SENATOR CRITCHER  
 SENATE BILL NO. 216 BY SENATOR BISBEE  
 SENATE BILL NO. 236 BY SENATOR GLOVER  
 SENATE BILL NO. 258 BY SENATOR BISBEE  
 SENATE BILL NO. 277 BY SENATOR FARIS  
 SENATE BILL NO. 278 BY SENATOR FARIS  
 SENATE BILL NO. 279 BY SENATOR FARIS  
 SENATE BILL NO. 295 BY SENATOR HILL  
 SENATE BILL NO. 300 BY SENATOR GLOVER  
 SENATE BILL NO. 308 BY SENATOR WILKINSON

ARKANSAS SENATE  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AND  
TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6  
 BY SENATOR ARGUE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1692

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES BOLIN, DEES, RANKIN, J. TAYLOR

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REORGANIZE THE BOARD OF VISITORS FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1693

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. PRATER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR VARIOUS FIRE DEPARTMENTS IN PULASKI AND FAULKNER COUNTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1694

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE JUDY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT PREVENTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on AGING, CHILDREN AND YOUTH, LEGISLATIVE AND MILITARY AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1695

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE RANKIN

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE SUPPORT TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENTS IN ARKANSAS AND DESHA COUNTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1696

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE RANKIN

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE SUPPORT TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENTS IN ASHLEY, CHICOT, AND DESHA COUNTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1697

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HUTCHINSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE PANKE COMMUNITY CENTER IN PULASKI COUNTY, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1698

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICHOLS

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE WILLIE LAMB POST #26 - AMERICAN LEGION IN LEPANTO, ARKANSAS FOR PURCHASE OF A MEMORIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1699

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. TAYLOR

BY: SENATOR GULLETT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE CITY OF STAR CITY, ARKANSAS FOR COMPLETION OF THE CIVIC CENTER PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1700

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. TAYLOR

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE CITY OF MONTICELLO, ARKANSAS FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE BURLINGTON BASEBALL FIELD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1701

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. TAYLOR

BY: SENATOR GULLETT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR CLEVELAND COUNTY, ARKANSAS FOR CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF THE RISON CIVIC AND SPORTS COMPLEX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1702

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE CITY OF FORT SMITH FOR THE FORT SMITH SENIOR ACTIVITIES CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1703

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE CITY OF FORT SMITH FOR THE DEMOLITION OF THE OLD SOUTHWEST TIMES-RECORD BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1704

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE CITY OF FORT SMITH FOR RENOVATION OF THE OLD DOWNTOWN FORT SMITH PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1705

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE CITY OF FORT SMITH - CREEKMORE PARK IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1706

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE MEDLEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE FORT SMITH TRANSIT MAINTENANCE BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1707

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARDWICK, DANGEAU, JACKSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT THE DRIVER OF A MOTOR VEHICLE INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT TO BE TESTED FOR THE PRESENCE OF DRUGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1708

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HUTCHINSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE A MUNICIPALITY TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE MUNICIPAL SERVICES TO ITS CURRENT MUNICIPAL CITIZENS BEFORE ANNEXING ANY ADDITIONAL AREAS TO THE MUNICIPALITY; TO PROVIDE FOR A LEGAL ACTION TO DETERMINE IF ADEQUATE SERVICES ARE BEING PROVIDED TO CURRENT CITIZENS AND TO THE ANNEXED AREAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1709

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HUTCHINSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE SUPPORT TO THE ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S SCHOLARSHIP FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1710

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE BORHAUER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB IN BELLA VISTA, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1711

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE DICKINSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO FIRE DEPARTMENTS IN JACKSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1712

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE THOMASON

BY: SENATOR HILL

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FOR COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH ROOF REPAIR / REPLACEMENT AND GENERAL BUILDING MAINTENANCE FOR VARIOUS FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1713

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRIS , MATAYO

BY: SENATOR HOLT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE SPRINGDALE FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1714

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE SALINE COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY IN BAUXITE, ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1715

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS GRANTS AND EXPENSES AND VARIOUS AGENCY TRANSFERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1716

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1717

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - DONALD W. REYNOLDS CENTER ON AGING, ARKANSAS SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH, ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE AND AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER IN HELENA FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1718

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AND THE DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OPERATIONS OF THE ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTES FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1719

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1720

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES MARTIN, DOBBINS

BY: SENATORS SALMON, STEELE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE SUPPORT TO THE NORTH LITTLE ROCK BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1721

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE PRITCHARD

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE ASSISTANCE TO THE FIRE AND VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS IN HOUSE DISTRICT #89-PART OF WASHINGTON COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1722

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES JUDY, PRITCHARD, EDWARDS

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT LIFE CARE FACILITIES FROM THE STATE'S QUALITY ASSURANCE FEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1723

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BY: HOUSE MANAGEMENT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - STAFF FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and placed on the calendar.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1724

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HUTCHINSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR STATE SUPPORT TO THE CENTRAL ARKANSAS FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1725

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ORMOND

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE MORRILTON SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER IN MORRILTON, ARKANSAS FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1726

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ORMOND

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE PERRYVILLE SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER IN PERRYVILLE, ARKANSAS FOR INSTALLATION OF A KITCHEN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1727

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HICKINBOTHAM

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OZARKA COLLEGE - SHARP COUNTY CENTER FOR CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING A SCIENCE LAB; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1728

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES PICKETT, BRADFORD, MAHONY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW CERTAIN COUNTIES AND CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS TO CONDUCT LOCAL OPTION ELECTIONS TO DECIDE THE ISSUE OF ALLOWING THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN HOTELS, RESTAURANTS, AND LARGE ATTENDANCE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1729

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAHONY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL OBSOLETE PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE COMMUNIST PARTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1730

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEAVER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT ALL FINES LEVIED ON PERSONS CONVICTED OF GAME AND FISH VIOLATIONS SHALL GO TO THE COUNTY GENERAL FUND TO BE USED BY THE COUNTY FOR CONSERVATION AND CONSERVATION EDUCATION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1731

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE VERKAMP

BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE LAVACA SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER EXPANSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1001

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADAMS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED RECOGNIZING AND HONORING THE SERVICE OF BROTHER HAROLD EPPERSON TO GOD, COUNTRY, AND THE CITIZENS OF GRANT COUNTY, ARKANSAS.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the calendar.

Upon motion of Representative Napper, the House adjourned at 2:31 p. m. until 1:30 p. m. Tuesday, February 25, 2003.

ATTEST:

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 Herschel W. Cleveland  
 Speaker of the House of Representatives

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 Jo Renshaw  
 Chief Clerk

