

**FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS  
HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

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Little Rock, Arkansas  
March 9, 2009

The House was called to order at 1:30 p.m. by Mr. Wills, the Speaker. The following members answered to the roll call:

Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, Bradford, Breedlove, Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Clemmer, Cole, Cook, Cooper, Cowling, Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, Malone, Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, Roebuck, J. Rogers ,T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....99

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

Total .....1

A quorum was present.

Unanimous leave was granted for Representative(s) Clemmer.

The House stood and was led in prayer by House Chaplain Cornell Maltbia, Pastor, True Holiness Saint's Center, Conway, Arkansas.

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

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

COMMITTEE REPORT

March 9, 2009

JOINT COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC RETIREMENT  
AND SOCIAL SECURITY PROGRAMS  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1177  
BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

GEORGE OVERBEY  
CHAIRPERSON  
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Upon motion of Representative Pierce, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1706** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1706

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1706** as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 5 and substitute:

“(A) Matters concerning logistics and personal correspondence concerning witnesses.”

/s/ Bobby Pierce

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative English, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1245** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1245**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1245** as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Pennartz, Adcock, Allen, Barnett, J. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Clemmer, Cook, Dale, Dismang, Dunn, Everett, Garner, Gaskill, Glidewell, R. Green, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, D. Hutchinson, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, S. Malone, M. Martin, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Perry, Pierce, Pyle, Ragland, Rice, Sample, Slinkard, G. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Wagner, Williams, and Woods as co-sponsors of the bill

AND

Add Senators Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, J. Key, and Trusty as co-sponsors of the bill

/s/ Jane English

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Lowery, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1580** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1580**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1580** as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 15 delete "acts" and substitute: "statutory authority of the Oil and Gas Commission"

/s/ John Lowery

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Hall, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1134** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1134

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1134** as engrossed,

H3/4/09 (version: 03-04-2009 08:57):

Add Rep. Dunn as a co-sponsor on the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 24 through 27 , and substitute the following language:

"identifies a physician or other prescribing practitioner who agrees to collaborate with an advanced practice nurse in the joint management of the health care of the advanced practice nurse's patients, and outline procedures for consultation with or referral to the collaborating physician or other health"

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "~~physician~~" and substitute "physician or other"

AND

Page 2, line 5, delete "this chapter" and substitute "§ 17-87-310"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 14 through 22 and substitute the following language:

"(c) A collaborative practice agreement shall include, but not be limited to, provisions addressing:

(1) The availability of the collaborating physician or other prescribing practitioner for consultation or referral, or both;

(2) Methods of management of the collaborative practice, which shall include protocols for prescriptive authority;

(3) Coverage of the health care needs of a patient in the emergency absence of the advanced practice nurse or physician;"

/s/ Clark Hall

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Nickels, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1383** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1383**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1383** as engrossed,

H2/11/09 (version: 02-11-2009 09:28):

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 9 and substitute the following:

"(b)(1) If after notice and hearing, a contractor licensed under this chapter is found by the Contractors Licensing Board to knowingly employ workers without legal status either directly or through a subcontractor, the board may:

(A) Impose civil penalties against the contractor in an amount not to exceed two hundred dollars (\$200) per day for each day the violation continues;

(B) Suspend the contractor's certificate of license; or

(C) Revoke the contractor's certificate of license.

(2) A contractor shall not be found to knowingly employ workers without legal status if the contractor uses the federal E-verify system to verify the legal status of employees. Use of the federal E-verify system is an affirmative defense under this section."

/s/ Jim Nickels

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Greenberg, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1052** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1052

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1052** as originally introduced:

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

“SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 21-1-503 is amended to read as follows:

21-1-503. Employer not to penalize employee's political activity.

(a) A public employee shall not be prohibited from communicating with an elected public official concerning a matter related to the public employee's job, except for a matter exempted under § 25-19-105.

(b) A public employee shall not be prohibited from exercising a right or privilege under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.

~~(b)~~(c)(1) It shall be unlawful for any public employer to discipline, to threaten to discipline, to reprimand either orally or in writing, to place any notation in a public employee's personnel file disciplining or reprimanding the public employee, or to otherwise discriminate against a public employee because the public employee exercised the right to communicate with an elected public official as granted under this subchapter.

(2) A public employer shall not be prohibited from disciplining a public employee who has intentionally made an untrue allegation to an elected public official concerning a matter related to the public employee's job.

~~(e)~~(d) Any person willfully violating a provision of this subchapter shall be guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.”

/s/ Dan Greenberg

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw

Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Webb, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1851** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1851**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1851** as originally introduced:  
Add Representative L. Smith as a cosponsor of the bill

/s/ Kathy Webb

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Allen, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1327** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 3 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1327**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1327** as engrossed,  
H2/23/09 (version: 02-23-2009 11:35):  
Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT TO PROTECT CONSUMERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES FROM EXPOSURE TO TOXIC CHEMICALS; TO AUTHORIZE PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS TO DESTROY OR SELL FOR SCRAP METAL A MOTOR VEHICLE IN WHICH METHAMPHETAMINE HAS BEEN MANUFACTURED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO PROTECT CONSUMERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES FROM EXPOSURE TO TOXIC CHEMICALS; TO AUTHORIZE PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS TO DESTROY OR SELL FOR SCRAP METAL A MOTOR VEHICLE IN WHICH METHAMPHETAMINE HAS

BEEN MANUFACTURED."

AND

Delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 5, Chapter 64, Subchapter 5 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

5-64-510. Methamphetamine-contaminated motor vehicles.

(a) As used in this section, "methamphetamine-contaminated motor vehicle" means a motor vehicle that has been forfeited under § 5-64-505 in which methamphetamine was manufactured as determined by a law enforcement agency or a prosecuting attorney who has possession of the motor vehicle.

(b) A law enforcement agency or a prosecuting attorney who has possession of a methamphetamine-contaminated motor vehicle shall destroy or sell for scrap metal the methamphetamine-contaminated motor vehicle."

/s/ Fred Allen

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Allen, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1808** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1808**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1808** as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 11 and 12 and substitute the following language: "Education at-risk funding."

/s/ Fred Allen

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Stewart, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1634** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1634**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1634** as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 30, delete "rights-of-way" and substitute "~~rights-of-way~~ shoulders"  
AND

Page 2. line 18, delete "system." and substitute "system or on fully-controlled access highways."

/s/ Randy Stewart

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Maloch, HOUSE BILL NO. 1813 was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1813

Amend HOUSE BILL NO. 1813 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 29, delete "\$2,000" and substitute "\$100,000".

/s/ Bruce Maloch

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

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

ENGROSSED BILL REPORTS

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WILHELMINA LEWELLEN, CHAIRPERSON

March 9, 2009

The following bill(s) reported correctly engrossed:

- HOUSE BILL NO. 1052 BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1134 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE HALL
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1245 BY REPRESENTATIVE ENGLISH
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1327 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1383 BY REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1580 BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1634 BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1706 BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1808 BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1813 BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH
- HOUSE BILL NO. 1851 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1134

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES HALL, *DUNN*

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED *AN ACT TO IMPROVE ACCESSIBILITY TO HEALTH CARE IN ARKANSAS BY CLARIFYING THE PROCESS NECESSARY FOR AN ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSE TO QUALIFY FOR PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1327

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, WILLIAMS, HARDY, R. GREEN, T. BAKER, W. LEWELLEN, WORD, EVERETT, PENNARTZ, BLOUNT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED *AN ACT TO PROTECT CONSUMERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES FROM EXPOSURE TO TOXIC CHEMICALS; TO AUTHORIZE PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS TO DESTROY OR SELL FOR SCRAP METAL A MOTOR VEHICLE IN WHICH METHAMPHETAMINE HAS BEEN MANUFACTURED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1851

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES WEBB, *L. SMITH*

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED *AN ACT TO REQUIRE AN ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILITY TO PURCHASE ELECTRICITY PRODUCED BY A RENEWABLE ENERGY PRODUCER IN THIS STATE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECOVERY OF THE ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILITY'S COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

The Chair requested the House transfer **HOUSE BILL NO. 1958** from the PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR Committee to the AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Committee.

The Chair requested the House transfer **HOUSE BILL NO. 1873** from the STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS Committee to the AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT Committee.

Morning Hour Expired.

Representative G. Smith moved that the House concur in the following Senate Amendment.

ARKANSAS SENATE

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1026

Amend HOUSE BILL NO. 1026 as engrossed,

H2/9/09 (version: 02-09-2009 10:11):

Add Senator Whitaker as cosponsor of the bill.

/s/ Ruth Whitaker

The Amendment was read and the vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, Greenberg, Hardy, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Word, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....81

NEGATIVE: Adcock, Barnett, Carroll, D. Creekmore, Garner, Harrelson, Hobbs, Hopper, Lindsey, Lovell, Webb, Woods.

Total .....12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, R. Green, Hall, King, M. Martin, L. Smith.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast.....94

Total number voting in the affirmative .....81

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

So the Amendment was concurred in.

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

Representative G. Smith moved that the House concur in the following Senate Amendment.

ARKANSAS SENATE

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1026

Amend HOUSE BILL NO. 1026 as engrossed,

H2/9/09 (version: 02-09-2009 10:11):

Add Senator G. Jeffress as cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "thirty (30)" and substitute "~~thirty (30)~~ twenty-one (21)"

AND

Page 1, delete line 32 and substitute "production, ~~and~~ or transportation of oil ~~and~~ or gas."

AND

Page 2, delete line 4 and substitute "production, or transportation of oil or gas on the commission, the Governor"

AND

Page 2, delete line 6 and substitute "development, production, or transportation of oil or gas until that number"

/s/ Gene Jeffress

The Amendment was read and the vote was as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, Greenberg, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, W. Lewellen, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Saunders, Shelby, G. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Word, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....77

NEGATIVE: Adcock, Barnett, Carnine, Carroll, D. Creekmore, Garner, R. Green, Hall, Hobbs, Hopper, D. Hutchinson, Lea, Lindsey, Lovell, M. Martin, Slinkard, L. Smith, Webb, Woods.

Total .....19

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, King, Sample.

Total .....3

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast.....97

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

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

So the Amendment was concurred in.

/s/ Ms. Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk

HOUSE BILL NO. 1837

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROGERS

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Woods, Word, Mr. Speaker.

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| Total .....                                      | 96 |
| NEGATIVE: Gaskill.                               |    |
| Total .....                                      | 1  |
| ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Carter, Clemmer, Williams. |    |
| 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.

\*\*\*\*\* EXPUNGED\*\*\*\*\*04/06/09\*\*\*\*\*

HOUSE BILL NO. 1408

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, Breedlove, J. Brown, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cole, Cook, L. Cowling, Dale, Davenport, Davis, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, S. Malone, Maxwell, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....78

NEGATIVE: D. Creekmore, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Flowers, Hopper, D. Hutchinson, M. Martin, McCrary, Nix, Webb.

Total .....10

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: T. Bradford, J. Burris, Cheatham, Clemmer, Everett, Garner, Hardy, King, Maloch, Ragland, Sample.

Total .....11

VOTING PRESENT: Cooper.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast .....89

Total number voting in the affirmative .....78

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

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

\*\*\*\*\* EXPUNGED\*\*\*\*\*04/06/09\*\*\*\*\*

HOUSE BILL NO. 1554

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BETTS

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Cash, Cole, Cook, L. Cowling, Dale, Davis, J. Dickinson, J. Edwards, Garner, Gaskill, Greenberg, Hardy, Hawkins, Hopper, House, Ingram, Kidd, W. Lewellen, Lowery, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Perry, Powers, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Tyler, Wagner, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....56

NEGATIVE: Barnett, J. Burris, Carter, Cooper, Davenport, Dismang, Dunn, English, Flowers, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Hall, Harrelson, Hobbs, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Kerr, King, Lea, Lindsey, Lovell, Maloch, S. Malone, Overbey, Pennartz, Pierce, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Rice, Slinkard, Summers, Webb, Wells.

Total .....37

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Cheatham, Clemmer, D. Creekmore, Everett, J. Rogers.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT: Patterson.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast .....94

Total number voting in the affirmative.....56

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1326

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word, Mr. Speaker.

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| Total .....                                  | 98 |
| NEGATIVE:                                    |    |
| Total .....                                  | 0  |
| ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Lowery.       |    |
| Total .....                                  | 2  |
| VOTING PRESENT:                              |    |
| Total .....                                  | 0  |
| Total number of votes cast .....             | 98 |
| Total number voting in the affirmative ..... | 98 |
| Necessary to the passage of the bill.....    | 51 |

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1568

BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word, Mr. Speaker.

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| Total .....  | 96 |
| NEGATIVE:  |    |
| Total .....  | 0  |
| ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, L. Cowling, Lowery, Wagner. |    |
| 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. 1420

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, J. Edwards, English, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hopper, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Maloch, S. Malone, Maxwell, McCrary, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Saunders, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word.

Total .....77

NEGATIVE: Dale, Flowers, Garner, Greenberg, Hall, Hobbs, D. Hutchinson, Lovell, M. Martin, McLean, J. Roebuck, Shelby.

Total .....12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: M. Burris, Clemmer, Dunn, Everett, Glidewell, Lowery, Ragland, Sample, Wagner, Webb, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....11

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....89

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

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

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

Upon motion of Representative Saunders the Clincher motion prevailed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1249

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word.

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| Total .....   | 95 |
| NEGATIVE:   |    |
| Total .....   | 0  |
| ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Lowery, Wagner, Mr. Speaker. |    |
| Total .....   | 4  |
| VOTING PRESENT: J. Edwards.                                 |    |
| Total .....   | 1  |
| Total number of votes cast .....                            | 96 |
| Total number voting in the affirmative.....                 | 95 |
| Necessary to the passage of the bill.....                   | 51 |

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1785

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word.

Total .....97

NEGATIVE: S. Malone.

Total .....1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

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. 1899

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, Williams, Woods, Word.

Total .....91

NEGATIVE: Hall, M. Martin, Reep.

Total .....3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Garner, King, B. Wilkins, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast .....95

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

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1392

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE SUMMERS**

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cook, Cooper, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word.

Total .....92

NEGATIVE: L. Smith.

Total .....1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Cole, L. Cowling, Hyde, King, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT: Adcock.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast .....94

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

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1898

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Wagner, Webb, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....96

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Dismang, Tyler, Wells.

Total .....4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....96

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

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

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1898**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

EMERGENCY CLAUSE

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Wagner, Webb, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word, Mr. Speaker.

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| Total .....  | 96 |
| NEGATIVE:  |    |
| Total .....  | 0  |
| ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Dismang, Tyler, Wells.  |    |
| Total .....  | 4  |
| VOTING PRESENT:  |    |
| Total .....  | 0  |
| Total number of votes cast.....                        | 96 |
| Total number voting in the affirmative .....           | 96 |
| Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause..... | 67 |

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1883

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Carnine, Clemmer, Cole, George, 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.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1880

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word.

Total .....96

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Hardy, D. Hutchinson, 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. 1882

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word, Mr. Speaker.

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| Total .....                                 | 99 |
| NEGATIVE:                                   |    |
| Total .....                                 | 0  |
| ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer.              |    |
| Total .....                                 | 1  |
| VOTING PRESENT:                             |    |
| Total .....                                 | 0  |
| Total number of votes cast .....            | 99 |
| Total number voting in the affirmative..... | 99 |
| Necessary to the passage of the bill.....   | 51 |

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1877

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....98

NEGATIVE: Garner.

Total .....1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer.

Total .....1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....99

Total number voting in the affirmative .....98

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1700

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dunn, J. Edwards, Everett, Flowers, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kidd, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Word, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....82

NEGATIVE: Baird, J. Burris, Carter, English, Garner, Glidewell, Hobbs, Hopper, Kerr, King, Lea, S. Malone, M. Martin, Rice.

Total .....14

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Greenberg, Woods.

Total .....3

VOTING PRESENT: Dismang.

Total .....1

Total number of votes cast .....97

Total number voting in the affirmative.....82

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

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1834

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE LINDSEY

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word.

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| Total .....                                  | 98 |
| NEGATIVE:                                    |    |
| Total .....                                  | 0  |
| ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Mr. Speaker.  |    |
| Total .....                                  | 2  |
| VOTING PRESENT:                              |    |
| Total .....                                  | 0  |
| Total number of votes cast.....              | 98 |
| Total number voting in the affirmative ..... | 98 |
| 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. 1834**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

**EMERGENCY CLAUSE**

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word.

Total .....98

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast .....98

Total number voting in the affirmative .....98

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

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

Representative Carter moved to pass over **HOUSE BILL NO. 1832** and leave it on the Calendar. Motion carried.

SENATE BILL NO. 403

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BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hopper, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word.

Total .....94

NEGATIVE:

Total .....0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Baird, Clemmer, Hobbs, D. Hutchinson, King, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....94

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

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 335

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Kerr, Kidd, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word.

Total .....93

NEGATIVE: Ingram, Reep.

Total .....2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, D. Hutchinson, King, Maloch, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....95

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

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 258

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BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....95

NEGATIVE: Adcock, D. Hutchinson.

Total .....2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Maloch, Rainey.

Total .....3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total .....0

Total number of votes cast.....97

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

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 259

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BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word.

Total .....93

NEGATIVE: D. Hutchinson.

Total .....1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Adcock, Clemmer, Maloch, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....4

VOTING PRESENT: Cole, T. Rogers.

Total .....2

Total number of votes cast .....96

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

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

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

SENATE BILL NO. 238

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BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

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

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| AFFIRMATIVE: Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, J. Burris, M. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word. |    |
| Total .....   | 97 |
| NEGATIVE:   |    |
| Total .....   | 0  |
| ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Clemmer, Maloch, 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 BILLS ORDERED TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

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| HOUSE BILL NO. 1249 | BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE      |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1326 | BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH  |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1392 | BY REPRESENTATIVE SUMMERS   |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1408 | BY REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY    |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1420 | BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS  |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1518 | BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP      |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1554 | BY REPRESENTATIVE BETTS     |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1700 | BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE     |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1785 | BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1834 | BY REPRESENTATIVE LINDSEY   |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1837 | BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROGERS |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1877 | BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS     |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1880 | BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS     |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1882 | BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS     |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1883 | BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS     |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1898 | BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS   |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1899 | BY REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD  |

## SENATE BILLS ORDERED RETURNED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

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| SENATE BILL NO. 238 | BY SENATOR LAVERTY     |
| SENATE BILL NO. 258 | BY SENATOR BROADWAY    |
| SENATE BILL NO. 259 | BY SENATOR BROADWAY    |
| SENATE BILL NO. 335 | BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS |
| SENATE BILL NO. 403 | BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON |

## ARKANSAS SENATE

## HOUSE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE SENATE AS PASSED

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| HOUSE BILL NO. 1350 | BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1351 | BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1352 | BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE |

ARKANSAS SENATE  
HOUSE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE SENATE AS PASSED

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| HOUSE BILL NO. 1359 | BY REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE    |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1422 | BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS  |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1424 | BY REPRESENTATIVE WEBB      |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1470 | BY REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD  |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1477 | BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1480 | BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH    |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1549 | BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE     |
| HOUSE BILL NO. 1551 | BY REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL   |

ARKANSAS SENATE  
SENATE BILLS RECEIVED FROM SENATE

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| SENATE BILL NO. 2   | BY SENATOR GLOVER     |
| SENATE BILL NO. 126 | BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON |
| SENATE BILL NO. 312 | BY SENATOR STEELE     |
| SENATE BILL NO. 317 | BY SENATOR FARIS      |
| SENATE BILL NO. 318 | BY SENATOR BOOKOUT    |
| SENATE BILL NO. 441 | BY SENATOR G. BAKER   |
| SENATE BILL NO. 450 | BY SENATOR J. KEY     |
| SENATE BILL NO. 582 | BY SENATOR TEAGUE     |
| SENATE BILL NO. 775 | BY SENATOR MADISON    |

ARKANSAS SENATE  
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AND  
TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

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| SENATE CONCURRENT<br>RESOLUTION NO. 10 | BY SENATOR WHITAKER |
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**STATE OF ARKANSAS**

MIKE BEEBE  
GOVERNOR

March 9, 2009

TO THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE

Dear Mr. Speaker:

This is to inform you that on March 9, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1362 - ACT 327

HOUSE BILL NO. 1353 - ACT 328

Sincerely,

/s/ Mike Beebe

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HOUSE BILL NO. 2026

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE LINDSEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE ACADEMIC FACILITIES EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES PROGRAM FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; 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. 2027

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER UNDER THE PATIENT PROTECTION ACT OF 1995 TO INCLUDE PHYSICIANS, SURGEONS AND ADVANCED PRACTICE NURSES; 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. 2028

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARROLL

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE THE SALE OF HOME WARRANTY COVERAGE AND HOME SERVICE CONTRACTS TO PROVIDE GREATER CONSUMER PROTECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2029

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN

BY: SENATOR LUKER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SPECIFY CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH AGRICULTURAL LAND ACQUIRED BY A FOREIGN PARTY MUST BE REGISTERED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2030

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE DICKINSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 5-14-110 CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF SEXUAL INDECENCY WITH A CHILD; 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. 2031

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, HOYT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING SUITS AGAINST PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARDS; 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. 2032**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS EARTHQUAKE PROGRAM BY INCREASING DISASTER PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER EVACUATION, SHELTERS, STOCKPILES, AND REBUILDING PLANS; 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. 2033**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE A TASK FORCE ON WATER QUALITY; 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. 2034**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF FINES COLLECTED RELATED TO UNLAWFUL TOWING OPERATIONS; 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. 2035

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ETHICS REQUIREMENTS FOR A MEMBER OF A COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; TO LIMIT PARTICIPATION IN CAMPAIGNS BY A MEMBER OF A COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; 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. 2036

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE HEALTH CARE COST STABILIZATION ACT OF 2009; 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. 2037

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING BAIL BONDSMEN; 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. 2038

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE INFORMED MEDICAL PATIENT ACT OF 2009; 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. 2039

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REGARDING SALES LIMITS FOR EPHEDRINE; 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. 2040

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT A PROPERTY OWNERS' ASSOCIATION IS ELIGIBLE FOR INCLUSION IN THE NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2041

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT A RURAL FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT IS ELIGIBLE FOR INCLUSION IN THE NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2042

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. BRADFORD

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE SEABROOK CHRISTIAN FAMILY CENTER, INC., A PRIVATE NONPROFIT ENTITY, FROM PAYMENT OF SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2043

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. BRADFORD

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 CONCERNING THE SAFETY OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS; 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. 2044**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GLIDEWELL**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 15-32-603 TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR THE OFFENSE OF TIMBER THEFT BY A TRUSTEE; 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. 2045**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE WEIGHT AND LENGTH OF EMERGENCY VEHICLES AND THE VEHICLES THAT ARE TOWED BY EMERGENCY VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2046**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES WELLS, INGRAM**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING WRITTEN CONTRACTS FOR THE SOLICITATION OF ADVERTISING; 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. 2047

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE FORFEITURE OF A PERSON'S VEHICLE AFTER A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT CONVICTION FOR DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED OR FOR DRIVING A MOTOR VEHICLE ON A SUSPENDED LICENSE DUE TO DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED; 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. 2048

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE SENTENCES FOR REPEAT DWI OFFENDERS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE FORFEITURE OF A PERSON'S VEHICLE AFTER A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT CONVICTION FOR DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED OR FOR DRIVING A MOTOR VEHICLE ON A SUSPENDED LICENSE DUE TO DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED; 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. 2049

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT STUDENTS ENROLLED IN SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES AND THEIR FAMILIES ARE INFORMED OF GUARDIANSHIP OPTIONS AVAILABLE UPON THE STUDENT'S REACHING EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF AGE; 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. 2050**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SETOFF AGAINST AN ARKANSAS INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX REFUND FOR A TAX DEBT OWED BY AN ARKANSAS TAXPAYER TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE FOR A NONDEBTOR TAXPAYER TO CHALLENGE THE SETOFF OF A JOINT INCOME TAX REFUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2051**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, REEP**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TO ESTABLISH A HOME WEATHERIZATION REVOLVING LOAN FUND TO ENCOURAGE AND FACILITATE THE INSTALLATION OF HOME WEATHERIZATION AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY MEASURES FOR THE PURPOSE OF INCREASING THE HOME'S ENERGY EFFICIENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2052

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENSURE SUFFICIENT DEPOSITS INTO A CEMETERY COMPANY'S PERMANENT MAINTENANCE FUND; TO DEFINE A LAWN CRYPT; 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. 2053

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND EMINENT DOMAIN LAW CONCERNING THE COMPENSATION PAID BY A CONDEMNING ENTITY; 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. 2054

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REALLOCATE FUNDS IN THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT PROCEEDS ACT; 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. 2055

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CEMETERY ACT FOR PERPETUALLY MAINTAINED CEMETERIES, § 20-17-1001 ET SEQ.; 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. 2056

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RESTRUCTURE THE LANDFILL POST CLOSURE FUND TO UTILIZE THE FUNDS IN THE MOST EFFICIENT MANNER; TO DIRECT THE FUNDS TO BE USED BY APPLICABLE PROGRAMS THAT SERVE ALL ARKANSANS; 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. 2057

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT EMERGENCY RESPONSE WORKERS; TO PROVIDE FOR EVALUATIONS OF THE MEDICAL RECORDS OF INDIVIDUALS SUSPECTED OF INFECTING AN EMERGENCY RESPONSE WORKER WITH A LIFE-THREATENING DISEASE; 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. 2058

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES OMNIBUS ACT; 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. 2059

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT CAMP FIRE USA OF EL DORADO, ARKANSAS FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2060

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT SHARE FOUNDATION OF EL DORADO, ARKANSAS, FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2061**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RULES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REGARDING SEPTIC SYSTEMS; 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. 2062**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT TAXPAYERS THAT MEET CERTAIN AGE AND INCOME REQUIREMENTS FROM PAYING STATE INCOME TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2063**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE TASK FORCE ON THE ADMINISTRATION OF STATE-SUPPORTED STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR HIGHER EDUCATION; 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. 2064

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE STATE RESOURCES FOR EDUCATIONAL ADEQUACY BY AMENDING THE AMOUNT OF FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; 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. 2065

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF AD VALOREM TAX DATA USED FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING; TO AMEND THE METHODS UTILIZED BY COUNTIES TO REPORT AND REMIT PROCEEDS FROM THE UNIFORM RATE OF TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2066

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIMELY AND ACCURATE RECEIPT OF DATA NEEDED TO CALCULATE AND ADJUST FOUNDATION FUNDING AMOUNTS DISTRIBUTED TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; 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. 2067

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 21-1-402 TO PROVIDE FOR EXCEPTIONS TO THE PROHIBITION ON STATE EMPLOYMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2068

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF STATE AGENCY FOR PURPOSES OF EMPLOYMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2069

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE FEDERAL SURPLUS PROPERTY PROGRAM FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2070

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES REYNOLDS, COOPER, GEORGE, HARRLESON,  
HAWKINS, LOVELL, NIX

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2071

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT A CONTRACT FOR THE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DOES NOT CONVEY ANY USAGE OR BENEFIT TO THE BUYER FROM A CONTRACT FOR MINERAL DEVELOPMENT OR FOR THE USE OF THE SURFACE ESTATE AND DOES NOT LIMIT THE SELLER'S RIGHT TO UTILIZE ANY MINERALS UNDER THE REAL PROPERTY OR TO USE THE SURFACE ESTATE UNTIL THE SELLER CONVEYS THE REAL PROPERTY BY DEED OR UNLESS THE PARTIES TO THE CONTRACT FOR SALE AGREE OTHERWISE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2072

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE MEANING OF NONINSTRUCTIONAL DUTIES OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS; 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. 2073

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DATE THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS BEGINS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2074

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND § 16-21-2501 CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT AND AUTHORITY OF INVESTIGATORS FOR THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT; 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. 2075

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE INSURANCE MATTERS AFFECTING THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2076

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE NONPROFIT INCENTIVE ACT TO SPECIFY THAT THE NONPROFIT CORPORATION BE A (501) (c) ORGANIZATION; TO CHANGE THE PAYROLL THRESHOLD FOR QUALIFICATION; TO CHANGE THE INVESTMENT THRESHOLD FOR QUALIFICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2077

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR EXPENDITURES BY A CONTRACTOR THAT INCREASES THE ENERGY EFFICIENCY OF AN ELIGIBLE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2078**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A PROGRAM TO ASSIST RESIDENTS WITH ENERGY AUDITS; TO FINANCE THE WEATHERIZATION AND THE INSTALLATION OF AN ENERGY EFFICIENCY MEASURE; TO PROMOTE THE DEVELOPMENT OF A WORKFORCE TO PERFORM ENERGY AUDITS AND TO MAKE ENERGY EFFICIENCY IMPROVEMENTS; TO FACILITATE OTHER WEATHERIZATION AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2079**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE UTILITY FACILITY ENVIRONMENTAL AND ECONOMIC PROTECTION ACT REGARDING WAIVERS FOR FACILITIES GENERATING ELECTRIC ENERGY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2080**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING PENALTIES FOR THE INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS; 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. 2081

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL CERTAIN TAX CREDITS FOR BIOTECHNOLOGY AND ADVANCED FUELS; TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS EMERGING TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1999; TO AMEND THE CONSOLIDATED INCENTIVE ACT OF 2003; TO ADDRESS ELIGIBLE BUSINESSES; TO ESTABLISH A TIME FRAME FOR MEETING ELIGIBILITY; TO LIMIT THE ABILITY TO COMBINE INCENTIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2082

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE PERSONS CONVICTED OF DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED TO ATTEND A VICTIM IMPACT PANEL; 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. 2083

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT ARKANSAS DUCKS UNLIMITED FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2084**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE AND TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY FOR THE DISPOSAL OF CERTAIN MOTOR VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2085**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING TOWING AND STORAGE CHARGES IN CONNECTION WITH A TOTAL LOSS SETTLEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2086**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE B. WILKINS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE CRIME OF USE OF A FALSE IDENTITY TO OBTAIN EMPLOYMENT; 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. 2087

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE B. WILKINS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE "SILVER ALERT SYSTEM" FOR ADULTS WHO ARE LIVING WITH DEMENTIA OR OTHER COGNITIVE IMPAIRMENT; 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. 2088

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE PHYSICIAN PROFILING PROGRAMS; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT TO ADOPT RULES FOR THE ADMINISTRATION AND REGULATION OF PHYSICIAN PROFILING PROGRAMS TO ENSURE THAT CONSUMERS RECEIVE RELIABLE, MEANINGFUL, AND ACCURATE INFORMATION; AND TO ENSURE THE INDEPENDENCE AND VALIDITY OF PROFILING DATA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSE.

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. 2089

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PRESCRIPTION DRUG MONITORING PROGRAM; 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. 2090**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE BAIRD**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REFORM THE LAWS GOVERNING PUBLIC CORPORATIONS; TO STRENGTHEN THE RIGHTS OF SHAREHOLDERS CONCERNING ELECTIONS, EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION, AND PROXY STATEMENTS AND CONTESTS; TO SEPARATE THE ROLES OF THE CORPORATION'S CHAIRMAN AND THE CORPORATION'S CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2091**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REESTABLISH FAIRNESS, TRANSPARENCY, AND COMPETITION IN THE BIDDING PRACTICES FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLICLY FUNDED BUILDINGS, INFRASTRUCTURE, AND FACILITIES; 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. 2092**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING A SENTENCE STEMMING FROM A VIOLATION OF PROBATION; 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. 2093

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LOWER FUTURE INCOME TAX RATES BY EXPANDING THE TAX BASE WHILE PRESERVING REVENUE NEUTRALITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2094

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVE QUICK ACTION CLOSING FUND AGREEMENTS TO CONTAIN SPECIFIC AND UNAMBIGUOUS BUSINESS GOALS; TO REQUIRE A REFUND OF MONEY WHEN THOSE GOALS ARE NOT MET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2095

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING BALLOT CHALLENGES BY POLL WATCHERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2096

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE NAMING OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, STRUCTURES, OR FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2097

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING A PUBLIC EMPLOYEE EXERCISING A RIGHT OR PRIVILEGE UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2098

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT HOMESTEAD PROPERTY TAXES IN EXCESS OF THE HOMESTEAD PROPERTY TAX CREDIT FOR A PERSON IN ACTIVE MILITARY SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2099

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLEMMER**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE ADOPTION PROCEDURES IN ARKANSAS; 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. 2100

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE POSSESSORY LIEN FOR TOWING A VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2101

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE BETTS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PURPOSES OF THE PLANNING AND PREPARATION TIME A SCHOOL DISTRICT IS REQUIRED TO PROVIDE FOR CLASSROOM TEACHERS; 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. 2102**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR THE CREATION OF A LOW-PROFIT LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY UNDER TITLE 4 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2103**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED CITIZENS TO FILE LAWSUITS SEEKING RECOVERY OF MONEYS FRAUDULENTLY RECEIVED FROM THE STATE; TO INCREASE THE STATE'S PORTION OF FUNDS RECOVERED IN MEDICAID FRAUD LAWSUITS; 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. 2104**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX RATE ON NATURAL GAS AND ELECTRICITY USED OR CONSUMED IN MANUFACTURING IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2105

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, NIX, B. WILKINS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE DEATH BENEFITS FOR COVERED PUBLIC EMPLOYEES KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY; TO ALLOW COVERED PUBLIC EMPLOYEES TO CHOOSE A DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY FOR DEATH BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2106

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PROTECTIONS FOR CONSUMERS OF USED MOTOR VEHICLES; TO REDUCE THE MISUSE OR ILLEGAL USE OF TEMPORARY CARDBOARD TAGS; TO PROVIDE A FUNDING MECHANISM FOR THE REGULATION OF THE SALE OF USED MOTOR VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2107

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE A SPORTS AGENT TO DISCLOSE THE ATHLETES AND COACHES REPRESENTED BY THE SPORTS AGENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2108**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE TO ORIGIN SOURCING FOR SALES AND USE TAX PURPOSES ON SALES MADE FOR DELIVERY BY SPECIFIC BUSINESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2109**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES TO PROMOTE THE GENERATION OF ELECTRICITY FROM BIOMASS, INCLUDING WITHOUT LIMITATION AGRICULTURAL WASTE, WOOD WASTE, POULTRY WASTE, AND OTHER ANIMAL WASTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2110**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE INCREASED PROTECTION AGAINST THE UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE OF A SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER; 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. 2111

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE GARNER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE SAFETY ON PUBLIC SCHOOL BUSES; 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. 2112

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS, REYNOLDS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO BROADEN THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER'S CEASE AND DESIST POWERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2113

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE LIFE SETTLEMENTS ACT BASED UPON THE MODEL LEGISLATION OF THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF INSURANCE LEGISLATORS; TO REPEAL THE VIATICAL SETTLEMENTS ACT, ARKANSAS CODE § 23-81-601 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2114

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE FUNDING FORMULA MODEL FOR UNIVERSITIES; 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. 2115

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE TIMES FOR EARLY VOTING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2116

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONDUCT OF NONPARTISAN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2117

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS TO REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE AND LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ON THEIR OWNERSHIP, LEASING, OR USAGE OF AIRPLANES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2118

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE THE SALE OF EQUITY-INDEXED ANNUITIES TO PROVIDE GREATER CONSUMER PROTECTION; TO REGULATE THE USE OF SUITABILITY FORMS, SURRENDER CHARGES, AND GUARANTEED RATES FOR EQUITY-INDEXED ANNUITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2119

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONNECT ARKANSAS BROADBAND ACT, § 4-113-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2120**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX RATE ON NATURAL GAS AND ELECTRICITY USED OR CONSUMED IN MANUFACTURING IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2121**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT THE RIGHTS OF ARKANSANS TO OBTAIN JUSTICE IN COURTS OF LAW; 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. 2122**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT FROM SALES AND USE TAX THE SALE OF RAW PRODUCTS FROM A FARM, ORCHARD, OR GARDEN AT A FARMER'S MARKET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2123

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE ARKANSAS CAPITAL PLAN FOR RAIL PROJECTS ACT OF 2009; TO ADDRESS THE CONTINUING NEED TO CONSTRUCT, IMPROVE, AND INVEST IN RAIL OR RAILROAD INFRASTRUCTURE IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2124

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE CLEAN COMMUNITIES PROGRAM ACT; TO REDUCE LITTER AND FACILITATE LITTER REMOVAL AND RECYCLING THROUGH A TAX ON LITTER GENERATING PRODUCTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2125

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, KERR

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW LAW ENFORCEMENT TO IMPOUND A MOTOR VEHICLE THAT DOES NOT HAVE THE MINIMUM LIABILITY INSURANCE REQUIRED BY LAW OR A CERTIFICATE OF SELF-INSURANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2126**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GARNER**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REQUIRING CERTAIN FUNDS OF BOARDS, AGENCIES, AND COMMISSIONS TO BE DEPOSITED WITH THE STATE TREASURER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2127**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GARNER**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE THE INSTALLATION OF ELECTRIC SIGNS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGULATION AND LICENSING OF PARTIES INVOLVED IN THE INSTALLATION OF ELECTRIC SIGNS; 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. 2128**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GARNER**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE ABILITY OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO SURVEIL, DETAIN, AND SEARCH PAROLEES; 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. 2129

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE CREATION OF A TASKFORCE ON ATHLETIC TRAINING IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; 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. 2130

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE CREATION OF A PILOT PROGRAM ON ATHLETIC TRAINERS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO PROMOTE SAFETY AND CAREERS IN VARIOUS MEDICAL FIELDS; 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. 2131

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE CAPITOL MALL ARTS COLLECTION COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2132**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT AN OWNER OF A BOAT LIVERY SHALL RECORD THE REGISTRATION NUMBER OF A MOTORBOAT; TO REQUIRE A BOAT LIVERY TO NOT ALLOW A VESSEL TO DEPART FROM THE PREMISES WITHOUT THE EQUIPMENT REQUIRED BY LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2133**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REGARDING RETIRED CERTIFIED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND CONCEALED HANDGUN ELIGIBILITY; 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. 2134**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWART, J. EDWARDS, COOK, PIERCE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW TO ALLOW VETERAN'S PREFERENCE IN THE PROCUREMENT OF STATE CONTRACTS; TO OTHERWISE PROVIDE VETERAN'S PREFERENCES IN STATE LAW; 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. 2135

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CAMPUS SECURITY ENHANCEMENT ACT; TO ASSIST POSTSECONDARY SCHOOLS IN PREVENTING FOR, PREPARING FOR, RESPONDING TO, AND RECOVERING FROM ACTS OF VIOLENCE ON CAMPUS; 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. 2136

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK INFORMATION TO BE PROVIDED TO THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD'S CREDENTIALING INFORMATION SYSTEM; 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. 2137

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING USED MOTOR VEHICLE BUYERS PROTECTION, SALVAGE AUCTIONS, AND SALVAGE AUCTION BUYER IDENTIFICATION CARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2138**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOPPER**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES HAVE EMERGENCY GENERATORS; 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. 2139**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR THE CREATION OF A LOW-PROFIT LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY; TO PROVIDE FOR THE TAX TREATMENT OF A LOW-PROFIT LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2140**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTINUED PAYMENT OF OBLIGATIONS ON UNMATURED BONDS OR OTHER OBLIGATIONS EXISTING WHEN THE TERRITORY OF ONE (1) SCHOOL DISTRICT IS DIVIDED AMONG MULTIPLE SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO CREATE SCHOOL FACILITIES IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS AS ENTITIES TO ASSUME BOND OBLIGATIONS OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS INVOLVED IN MULTIPLE-SCHOOL DISTRICT REORGANIZATIONS; 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. 2141

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND AND CLARIFY VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD — TENANT ACT OF 2007; CONCERNING LANDLORD REMEDIES AND EVICTION PROCEEDINGS; 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. 2142

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SALES AND USE TAX ON MINI-WAREHOUSE AND SELF-STORAGE RENTAL SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2143

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD TWO BOARD MEMBERS TO THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ACUPUNCTURE AND RELATED TECHNIQUES; 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. 2144**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE PREREQUISITES FOR HOME SCHOOLING; 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. 2145**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REGARDING THEFT OF CATTLE OR LIVESTOCK A PERSON HAS WON AT AN AUCTION BUT WHO FAILS TO PAY FOR THE CATTLE OR LIVESTOCK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2146**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO FOSTER THE DEVELOPMENT AND APPLICATIONS OF ADVANCED COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGIES FOR USE IN THE HIGHER EDUCATION SYSTEM IN ARKANSAS; 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. 2147

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SET OUT THE PROCEDURE FOR EQUALIZATION BOARDS TO FOLLOW WHEN CHANGING PROPERTY VALUES IN A YEAR WHEN A COUNTY IS NOT COMPLETING REAPPRAISAL; TO CONSULT WITH THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DEPARTMENT TO UTILIZE DATA COMPILED UNDER THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DEPARTMENT'S SALES RATIO STUDY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2148

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE OPPORTUNITIES FOR ARKANSAS CITIZENS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED CARE WAIVER UNDER THE STATE MEDICAID PROGRAM; 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. 2149

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MALONE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTE REGARDING VICTIM RESTITUTION; 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. 2150**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 CONCERNING THE SAFETY OF ATHLETIC PROGRAMS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; 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. 2151**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE SERVING OF AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE FOR USE IN A RELIGIOUS CEREMONY OR RITE; 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. 2152**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOYT**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE A PILOT PROGRAM TO EXPLORE ALL POSSIBLE COST-SAVING MEASURES CONCERNING THE INCARCERATION OF PRISONERS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; 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. 2153

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING GREYHOUND RACING; 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. 2154

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE GEORGE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 17-19-301 TO INCREASE THE MINIMUM COMPENSATION FOR GIVING BOND; TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL FEES TO FUND THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY SUPPORT STAFF FUND; TO CREATE THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY SUPPORT STAFF FUND; 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. 2155

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE GEORGE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADDRESS THE PRACTICE OF NO CREDIT BAIL BOND FINANCING IN STATE OF ARKANSAS; 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. 2156

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GEORGE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A METHOD FOR THE ASSESSMENT OF THE POULTRY INVENTORY OF AN INTEGRATED POULTRY COMPANY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2157

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT'S LIABILITY FOR THE UNMATURED BONDS OR OTHER OBLIGATIONS EXISTING WHEN THE TERRITORY OF ONE (1) SCHOOL DISTRICT IS DIVIDED AMONG MULTIPLE SCHOOL DISTRICTS; 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. 2158

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE DIVISION OF DEPENDENCY-NEGLECT PARENT COUNSEL REPRESENTATION WITHIN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2159

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS COLLEGE AND WORKFORCE READINESS ACCELERATION ACT; TO INCREASE THE POOL OF ARKANSAS STUDENTS ELIGIBLE FOR COLLEGE ADMISSION AND INITIAL CAREERS; TO HELP REDUCE COLLEGE REMEDIATION AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATES AMONG RECENT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES; AND TO DEVELOP SECOND CHANGE RESEARCHED-BASED, AFTER SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES FOR STUDENTS FAILING TO OBTAIN QUALIFYING SCORES ON COLLEGE ADMISSIONS OR WORKFORCE READINESS EXAMS BY THE END OF GRADE 11; 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. 2160

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED THE De AUNTA FARROW IMITATION FIRE ARMS ACT IS DESIGNED TO PROTECT THE HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE OF ARKANSAS CITIZENS BY REDUCING THE POSSIBILITY THAT IMITATION FIREARMS ARE MISTAKEN AS REAL; 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. 2161

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT POLICE CHIEFS ARE NOT DEPARTMENT HEADS FOR PURPOSES OF ARKANSAS CODE § 14-42-110; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2162

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE AD VALOREM ASSESSMENT LAWS; TO CLARIFY THE APPLICABILITY OF AND EXEMPTIONS TO THE AD VALOREM ASSESSMENT LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2163

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE ACCOUNTABILITY FOR ACHIEVEMENT GAPS IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO PROVIDE INTERVENTION AND SUPPORT TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO ADDRESS THE SEVERITY OF ACHIEVEMENT GAPS; 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. 2164

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE COMMISSION ON CLOSING THE ACHIEVEMENT GAP IN ARKANSAS; TO PROVIDE TRAINING FOR MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION ON CLOSING THE ACHIEVEMENT GAP IN ARKANSAS; 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. 2165

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. COWLING

AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE PARTS AND LABOR FOR AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT FROM LOCAL SALES AND USE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2166

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. COWLING

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE PARTS AND LABOR FOR AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT FROM SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2167

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AID THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE ARKANSAS TITLE INSURANCE ACT, § 23-103-401 ET SEQ.; TO PLACE TITLE INSURANCE INFORMATION UPON AN INSTRUMENT SUBMITTED FOR RECORDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2168

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROGERS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE TIME UNDER WHICH ACTION ON A LIEN MAY BE TAKEN UNDER THE MEDICAL, NURSING, HOSPITAL, AND AMBULANCE SERVICE LIEN ACT; 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. 2169

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TITLE INSURANCE ACT, § 23-103-401 ET SEQ.; TO AMEND THE LAWS AFFECTING TITLE INSURANCE AGENTS AND COMPANIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2170

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES CARNINE, ABERNATHY, B. WILKINS, G. SMITH, MCCRARY

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE INTERVENTION AND PROFESSIONAL CONSULTATION UPON EARLY INDICATORS OF THE FISCAL DISTRESS OR FACILITIES DISTRESS OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT; 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. 2171

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MATCH FUNDS RAISED BY THE ARKANSAS TEACHER HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION WITH STATE FUNDS; 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. 2172

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE ACCOUNTABILITY FOR ACHIEVEMENT GAPS IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO PROVIDE INTERVENTION AND SUPPORT TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO ADDRESS THE SEVERITY OF ACHIEVEMENT GAPS; 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. 2173**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON SICKLE CELL DISEASE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF ITS MEMBERS; TO DESCRIBE ITS MISSION AND RESPONSIBILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2174**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS VETERANS LAND BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2175**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE USE OF CONTRACTORS ON CERTAIN PROJECTS; 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. 2176

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT A DOMESTIC PARTNERSHIP REGISTRY IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; 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. 2177

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROMOTE CONSUMER SAVINGS ON PRESCRIPTION DRUGS; 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. 2178

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE MONETARY LIMIT BEFORE A CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE FOR CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS IS REQUIRED; 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.

The Chair ruled that **HOUSE BILL NO. 2179** was improperly introduced.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2180**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE RECORDING FEES CHARGED BY COUNTY RECORDERS FOR CERTAIN WRITTEN INSTRUMENTS; 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. 2181**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DEFINE THE ROLE OF AN ATTORNEY AD LITEM; 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. 2182**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE SCOPE OF REPRESENTATION BY ATTORNEYS EMPLOYED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES OR THE OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT OF THE REVENUE DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION WHO ASSIST IN THE ESTABLISHMENT AND ENFORCEMENT OF CHILD SUPPORT ORDERS; 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. 2183

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. MARTIN

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT PURCHASES UP TO TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$25,000) YEARLY BY OR FOR A PERMANENTLY DISABLED VETERAN FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2184

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. MARTIN

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE LAWFUL OPEN CARRY OF HANDGUNS; 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. 2185

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR ELEVATOR INSPECTIONS, ELEVATOR LOAD TESTS, AND FEES FOR ELEVATOR INSPECTIONS AND ELEVATOR LOAD TESTS; 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. 2186**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PHARMACY AUDIT BILL OF RIGHTS; 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. 2187**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCEDURE FOR REMOVAL OF A DIRECTOR IN A CITY MANAGER FORM OF GOVERNMENT; 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. 2188**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT CONSUMERS CONCERNING HOSPITAL COSTS; TO PROVIDE HOSPITAL CHARITY CARE TRANSPARENCY; TO PROHIBIT UNFAIR DEBT COLLECTIONS BY HOSPITALS; 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. 2189

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PATIENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE ACT; 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. 2190

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE TITLING OF MOTOR VEHICLES THAT HAVE BEEN DAMAGED AND REPAIRED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2191

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DELTA GEOTOURISM INCENTIVE ACT OF 2007 TO STIMULATE THE ECONOMY OF THE LOWER MISSISSIPPI RIVER DELTA BY EXPANDING THE GEOGRAPHICAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR A GEOTOURISM TAX CREDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2192

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCLUDE PUBLIC SCHOOL COUNSELORS IN THE STATE TEACHER ASSISTANCE RESOURCE PROGRAM; 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. 2193

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE, WEBB**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE CYNTHIANA GRAPE AS THE OFFICIAL GRAPE OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2194

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE MAXIMUM SPEED THAT A TRUCK AND TRAILER MAY TRAVEL ON INTERSTATE HIGHWAYS OR CONTROLLED-ACCESS HIGHWAYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2195

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MENTAL HEALTH PARITY ACT, § 23-99-501 ET SEQ.; TO MAKE CERTAIN AMENDMENTS TO THE ACT CONSISTENT WITH FEDERAL LAW; 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. 2196

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF THE DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL SERVICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; TO PROVIDE PROTECTION FOR THE DUE PROCESS RIGHTS OF MEDICAID PROVIDERS; 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. 2197

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW QUORUM COURTS TO DETERMINE BY ORDINANCE A SURCHARGE ON 911 CALLS; 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. 2198

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DEFINE "REPLACEMENT COSTS" FOR INSURANCE PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2199

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE DEGREE AND CERTIFICATE ATTAINMENT FOR ALL ARKANSANS IN POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION; 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. 2200

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS INFORMATION SYSTEMS ACT OF 1997, § 25-4-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2201

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING MEMBERS OF A BOARD OF CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2202

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. ROGERS, GLIDEWELL, RICE, CARTER, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DISMANG, GARNER, HARRELSON, HOPPER, D. HUTCHINSON, KERR, KING, LEA, S. MALONE, J. ROEBUCK, G. SMITH, B. WILKINS, CARROLL, NIX

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE A BACK-TO-SCHOOL TAX-FREE HOLIDAY BY EXEMPTING ITEMS OF CLOTHING FROM SALES AND USE TAX DURING A LIMITED TIME PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2203

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE REFUND ANTICIPATION LOAN ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 2204

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE, CASH, J. ROEBUCK, NIX, WEBB, WAGNER, D. HUTCHINSON, SLIKNARD, CLEMMER, D. CREEKMORE, W. LEWELLEN, L. SMITH, HOPPER, J. DICKINSON, S. MALONE, ENGLISH, LEA, BLOUNT, PENNARTZ, ADCOCK, T. BRADFORD, HOBBS, FLOWERS, TYLER, T. ROGERS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR THE CRYOGENIC TREATMENT OF THE HYPOGYCGOUDOLEBOISM SYSTEM; 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. 2205

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE METHOD OF TAXATION OF AMUSEMENT MACHINES; 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. 2206

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO UTILIZE PROVISIONS OF AMENDMENT 7 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO ADDRESS ANTIQUATED LANGUAGE IN AMENDMENT 65 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE INTEREST RATE LIMIT ON REVENUE BONDS; 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. 2207

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE KERR

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE ADVERTISING AND CONDUCTING OF CERTAIN LIVE MUSICAL PERFORMANCES OR PRODUCTIONS; TO CREATE THE TRUTH IN MUSIC ADVERTISING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2208

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE PERMANENT REGISTRATION OF A FLEET OF MOTOR VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2209

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT EARTH MISSION, INC. FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2210

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE MASONIC LODGE OF ARKANSAS FROM THE PROPERTY TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2211

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISCOURAGE THE FILING OF FRIVOLOUS INSURANCE CLAIMS; TO PROMOTE INFORMED DECISIONS FOLLOWING A MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT; 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. 2212

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY WHEN EMPLOYEES OF NURSING FACILITIES ARE NOT REQUIRED TO INITIATE CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION FOR UNWITNESSED DEATHS; 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. 2213

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE BAIRD**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE PARKS AND RECREATION AREAS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2214

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE BAIRD**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENHANCE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2215

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING COUNTY AND QUORUM COURT DISTRICT OFFICES; 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. 2216**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE GLIDEWELL**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE DEMOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE DISCLOSURE ACT; 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. 2217**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE SAFETY ON PUBLIC ROADS AND HIGHWAYS BY CLARIFYING THE PROCEDURE TO BE USED WHEN A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER STOPS A DRIVER WHO IS IN VIOLATION OF THE REQUIREMENT TO MAINTAIN A VEHICLE IN SAFE MECHANICAL CONDITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2218**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARROLL**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE RESIDENTIAL TENANTS RELIEF FROM FORECLOSURE AND EVICTION PROCEEDINGS; TO STAY EVICTION PROCEDURES FOR NINETY (90) DAYS FOLLOWING A RESIDENTIAL FORECLOSURE IF A TENANT IS CURRENT IN PAYING RENT; TO REQUIRE GOOD FAITH NEGOTIATIONS WITH THE TENANT FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE PROPERTY; 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. 2219

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARROLL

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE THAT MUST BE MET IN ORDER FOR A PERSON TO BE APPOINTED AS A DIRECTOR OR CHAIR OF A STATE AGENCY, BOARD, OR COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2220

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RESTRUCTURE THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING TO ENHANCE REPRESENTATION OF BOARD MEMBERS APPOINTED FROM THE PUBLIC-AT-LARGE; AND TO PROTECT THE WELL BEING AND HEALTH OF ALL ARKANSANS BY COMPOSING A FAIR AND BALANCED ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2221

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE COLLECTION FEES ALLOWED TO COLLECT A WORTHLESS CHECK; TO REGULATE HOT CHECKS; 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. 2222**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES ADCOCK, HALL**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE ANIMAL RESCUE AND SHELTER TRUST FUND; TO PROVIDE FOR AND ISSUE A SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE FOR THE SUPPORT OF ANIMAL RESCUE AND SHELTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2223**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF UNLAWFUL DOG ATTACK; 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. 2224**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO PERMIT AND INSPECT CONCESSION STANDS, BOTH STATIONARY AND MOBILE; TO ENSURE THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE PUBLIC; 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. 2225

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE FILING OF A SURVEY WITH ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PERMITS TO ALTER REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2226

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE FILING OF A SURVEY WITH ALL INSTRUMENTS THAT TRANSFER REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2227

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CREATION OF A NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT BY WRITTEN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND AN EXISTING SCHOOL DISTRICT FROM WHICH TERRITORY WILL BE DETACHED TO CREATE THE NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT; 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. 2228**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE CASH**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2229**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A WHOLESALER OF BEER MAY ENGAGE IN COMPETITIVE PRICING WITHIN HIS OR HER SALES TERRITORY; 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. 2230**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TO ESTABLISH EMPLOYMENT AND INVESTMENT THRESHOLDS FOR COMPLIANCE FOR WINDMILL BLADE AND WINDMILL COMPONENT MANUFACTURERS; TO PROVIDE FOR INCENTIVES FOR WINDMILL BLADE AND COMPONENT MANUFACTURERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2231

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING LICENSE, PERMIT, AND NOTARY PUBLIC BONDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2232

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE SERVICES FOR ADULTS PARTICIPATING IN THE ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAM OF THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION; 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. 2233

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS TO OBTAIN, SELL, AND AFFIX DOCUMENTARY STAMPS TO DEEDS PRESENTED FOR RECORDING OR OTHERWISE ASSIST COMPLIANCE WITH THE REAL PROPERTY TRANSFER TAX; 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. 2234

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CREATION, WITH COURT APPROVAL, OF A NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT IN PULASKI COUNTY BY WRITTEN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND A SCHOOL DISTRICT INVOLVED IN THE "LITTLE ROCK SCHOOL DISTRICT V. PULASKI COUNTY SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1" DESEGREGATION CASE FROM WHICH TERRITORY WILL BE DETACHED TO CREATE THE NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT; TO PROVIDE FOR THE FAIR AND EQUITABLE DIVISION OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AMONG THE SCHOOL DISTRICTS INVOLVED; 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. 2235

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROMOTE CONSERVATION OF ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES IN CERTAIN BUILDINGS LEASED BY THE STATE OR STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; 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. 2236

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARNINE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RESTRICT THE CONSOLIDATION OR ANNEXATION OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS IF THE RESULTING SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL HAVE A LAND MASS AREA LARGER THAN NINE HUNDRED ONE SQUARE MILES (901 SQ. MI.); 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. 2237

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARNINE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RESTRICT THE CONSOLIDATION OR ANNEXATION OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS IF THE RESULTING SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL HAVE A LAND MASS AREA THAT EXCEEDS ONE THOUSAND SQUARE MILES (1,000 SQ. MI.); 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. 2238

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARNINE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RESTRICT THE CONSOLIDATION OR ANNEXATION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS IF THE RESULTING DISTRICT WILL HAVE A LAND MASS AREA OF ONE THOUSAND FIFTY-FOUR SQUARE MILES (1,054 SQ. MI.) OR MORE; 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. 2239**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARNINE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENSURE THE ACCOUNTABILITY SYSTEM FOR ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS IS FAIR TO CHILDREN, TEACHERS, AND SCHOOLS, IS BASED ON RESEARCHED BEST PRACTICES, AND IS ALIGNED WITH NATIONAL, STATE, AND LOCAL REQUIREMENTS; 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. 2240**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD LAW TO ALLOW MUNICIPAL ANIMAL SHELTERS TO PROVIDE SERVICES TO THE PUBLIC IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; 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. 2241**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF STATE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE HEALTH INSURANCE COST OF PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES IN AN AMOUNT COMPARABLE TO THE AMOUNT OF INCREASE PROVIDED FOR ARKANSAS STATE EMPLOYEES; 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. 2242

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE CONDUCT OF LOTTERIES FOR THE BENEFIT OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS; 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. 2243

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; 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. 2244

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE HEALTH BENEFIT COVERAGE FOR AN ORTHOTIC DEVICE, AN ORTHOTIC SERVICE, A PROSTHETIC DEVICE, AND A PROSTHETIC SERVICE UNDER THE ARKANSAS HEALTH CARE CONSUMER ACT, § 23-99-401 ET SEQ.; 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. 2245**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE PAROLE REVIEW FOR ALL PERSONS SERVING LIFE WITHOUT PAROLE FOR CAPITAL MURDER OR A LIFE SENTENCE FOR A CLASS Y FELONY COMMITTED WHEN THE PERSON WAS UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE; 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. 2246**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE DEFERMENT OF A SENTENCE FOR A PERSON WITH A COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSE; 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. 2247**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, GLIDEWELL, HOYT**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CODIFY THE DUTY AND THE OBLIGATION OF A MINERAL LESSEE TO A MINERAL LESSOR; TO ALLOW THE PARTIES TO AN OIL AND GAS LEASE TO STIPULATE THE PRUDENT OPERATOR STANDARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2248

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE JOBS AND SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT IN ARKANSAS BY ELIMINATING CAPITAL GAINS IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2249

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CHEATHAM

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHER EVALUATIONS; 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. 2250

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCLUDE HIGH EFFICIENCY ELECTRIC POWER GENERATORS IN THE DEFINITION OF MANUFACTURER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE REDUCED EXCISE TAX RATE ON NATURAL GAS USED IN MANUFACTURING, SUBJECT TO A PHASE-IN OF THE REDUCED RATE OF TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2251**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO GRANT THE POWER OF EMINENT DOMAIN TO MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENTS FOR THE CONDEMNATION OF INDUSTRIAL MANUFACTURING PLANTS EMPLOYING FIFTY OR MORE RESIDENTS OF THE CITY FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROTECTING JOBS AND PROMOTING INDUSTRIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2252**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE SALES OPPORTUNITIES FOR ARKANSAS SMALL FARM WINERIES; 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. 2253**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE PENALTY FOR TIMBER THEFT; 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. 2254

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS COMPREHENSIVE TESTING, ASSESSMENT, AND ACCOUNTABILITY PROGRAM ACT; 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. 2255

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR MANUFACTURERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2256

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SPECIFY THAT BIOMASS GROWN FOR THE PURPOSE OF BIOFUEL PRODUCTION IS NOT SUBJECT TO A SEVERANCE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2257**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE HEALTH SERVICES AGENCY ACT TO ADJUST THE EXPENDITURE LIMIT FOR ALTERATIONS OR RENOVATIONS; 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. 2258**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE COURT TO ORDER A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER, AS A CONDITION OF HIS OR HER RELEASE FROM CUSTODY, NOT TO RETURN TO THE LOCATION WHERE HE OR SHE WAS RESIDING IF THE RESIDENCE WAS LOCATED WITHIN 2,000 FEET OF A SCHOOL, PARK, YOUTH CENTER, OR DAYCARE FACILITY; 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. 2259**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE COLE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT INCREASING THE FELONY CLASSIFICATION FOR NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE; TO PROVIDE FOR LICENSE SUSPENSION FOR A CONVICTION FOR NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE; TO PROVIDE FOR A DWI ENHANCEMENT FOR A CONVICTION FOR NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE; 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. 2260

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD "AVIATION FUEL" TO THE DATA COLLECTED BY THE ARKANSAS ENERGY OFFICE; TO DIRECT THE ARKANSAS ENERGY OFFICE TO ISSUE A RULE THAT REQUIRES AN ARKANSAS CITY OR COUNTY THAT ISSUES BUILDING PERMITS TO ADOPT THE 2004 ENERGY CODE FOR NEW BUILDING CONSTRUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2261

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE COLE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION THAT OFFER AN ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE TO CHANGE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION MATH REQUIREMENT FROM "APPLIED MATHEMATICS, INTERMEDIATE ALGEBRA, OR HIGHER" TO "AN APPLICABLE AND APPROPRIATE NONREMEDIATIONAL MATH COURSE"

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2262

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE COLE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND INTERNET ACCESS IN ARKANSAS; 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. 2263**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOVELL, WAGNER, J. BURRIS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR CALCULATING AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP FOR THE PURPOSES OF ADMINISTRATIVE REORGANIZATION OF SMALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS; 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. 2264**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE AN ARREST WITHOUT A WARRANT IF AN INDIVIDUAL'S ABILITY TO PLACE A TELEPHONE CALL IN CERTAIN EMERGENCIES IS HINDERED OR PREVENTED; 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. 2265**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL ACT 218 OF 2009 WHICH PROVIDES CERTAIN APPEALS FROM THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TO BE MADE TO THE COURT OF APPEALS; 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. 2266

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR CANDIDATES SEEKING THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT JUDGE; 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. 2267

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CABLE TELEVISION CONTRACTOR SERVICE CONTRACTS VOIDABLE FOR ONE HUNDRED TWENTY (120) DAYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2268

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARROLL

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE PERIODIC AND REGULAR TESTING OF THIS STATE'S WATER RESOURCES THAT MIGHT BE AFFECTED BY DRILLING OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2269

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE STATE CONTRIBUTION TO PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS'INSURANCE BY AMENDING THE REBATE TO RETAILERS ON SALES TAX COLLECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2270

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND SUBURBAN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT LAW CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2271

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CHILD MALTREATMENT 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. 2272

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE CIVIL JUSTICE REFORM ACT OF 2003; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2273

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A HOME EFFICIENCY REVOLVING LOAN FUND TO BE IMPLEMENTED BY THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TO PROVIDE LOANS TO ARKANSANS FOR THE ACQUISITION AND INSTALLATION OF ENERGY CONSERVATION MEASURES AND FACILITIES THAT WILL IMPROVE THE EFFICIENT USE OF ENERGY IN THEIR HOMES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2274

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIOSN OF THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF ARKANSAS FORESTRY COMMISSION INVESTIGATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2275

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE METHOD OF DISTRIBUTING NET REVENUES DERIVED FROM SUBSEQUENT COUNTYWIDE SALES AND USE TAXES LEVIED FOR CRIMINAL JUSTICE PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time, and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1025

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARROLL**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED RECOMMENDING THAT THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AND ALL TRANSPORTATION STAKEHOLDERS WORK TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR AN INTERSTATE LIGHT RAIL THAT CONNECTS ARKANSAS TO TEXAS, OKLAHOMA, AND MISSOURI FOR THE SAFE AND EFFICIENT TRANSPORTATION OF PERSONS IN THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY AND TO ENSURE THAT ARKANSAS IS IN THE POSITION TO RECEIVE FEDERAL FUNDING FOR INTERSTATE LIGHT RAIL PROJECTS.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1026

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARROLL

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED RECOMMENDING THAT THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AND ALL STAKEHOLDERS IN THE TRANSPORTATION ARENA WORK TO DEVELOP A PLAN FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF COMMERCIAL PORTS IN NORTH LITTLE ROCK AND OTHER AREAS OF THE STATE.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1027

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED RECOGNIZING DAVIDSONVILLE HISTORIC STATE PARK'S SIGNIFICANT PRESERVATION OF THE HISTORY OF THIS STATE AND ENCOURAGING ARKANSANS AND VISITORS TO THIS STATE TO VISIT THE DAVIDSONVILLE HISTORIC STATE PARK TO LEARN ABOUT EARLY LIFE IN ARKANSAS AND TO ENJOY THE NATURAL BEAUTY OF THE AREA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1028

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED TO ENCOURAGE CONGRESS TO AMEND THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY CODE TO PROVIDE CREDITOR PROTECTION TO COTTON FARMERS EQUAL TO THE PROTECTION GIVEN TO FARMERS AND PRODUCERS OF GRAIN.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1029**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED COMMENDING MICHAEL MARION ON HIS SUCCESSFUL MANAGEMENT OF ALLTEL ARENA IN NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1030**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED TO HONOR NATIONAL COLLEGIATE HALL OF FAME BASKETBALL COACH NOLAN RICHARDSON AND HIS ACHIEVEMENTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1031**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOBBS, WOODS, RAGLAND, BARNETT, HOPPER**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED TO AFFIRM THE RIGHTS OF ALL STATES INCLUDING ARKANSAS BASED ON THE PROVISIONS OF THE NINTH AND TENTH AMENDMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1032

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED A RESOLUTION CONCERNING THE FEDERAL BAN ON CERTAIN TYPES OF WEAPONS.

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1033

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, HARDY, G. SMITH

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED RECOGNIZING JOHN L. MCCLELLAN DAY.

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 CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOPPER

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED COMMENDING DOUG SMALL ON HIS SELECTION AS THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION 2009 BOATING LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THE YEAR.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1019**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, BLOUNT, RAINEY**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED TO ENCOURAGE A NATIONAL SOLUTION TO HEALTHCARE REFORM FOR AMERICA.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1020**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, DAVIS, FLOWERS, INGRAM, W. LEWELLEN, RAINEY, SHELBY, WILLIAMS, WORD**

**BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, STEELE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED TO ENCOURAGE MORTGAGE LENDERS TO IMPOSE A NINETY-DAY MORATORIUM ON ALL RESIDENTIAL FORECLOSURE ACTIONS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1021**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES W. LEWELLEN, BLOUNT, WILLIAMS, RAINEY**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED TO RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC. FOR ONE HUNDRED ONE (101) YEARS OF SERVICE TO AFRICAN-AMERICAN COLLEGE WOMEN AND THE COMMUNITY.

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

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1022

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED TO RESCIND THE PREVIOUS APPLICATION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES THAT IT CALL A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION TO PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION TO BALANCE THE PUBLIC DEBT.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1023

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED RECOGNIZING HEART GALLERY WEEK.

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

HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1004

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. NICK MASULLO AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS COMMUNITY.

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 MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1005**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. TILMON ROSS.

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 MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1006**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF SSG CARLO MONTELL ROBINSON.

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 CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1002**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH****BY: SENATOR MADISON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. JOHN LEWIS AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS COMMUNITY.

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 CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1003

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. JIM JACKSON AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS COMMUNITY.

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.

SENATE BILL NO. 2

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BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE GROSS RECEIPTS TAX ON MINI-WAREHOUSE AND SELF-STORAGE RENTAL SERVICES UPON CERTAIN CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 126

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BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A CREDIT FOR SALES OR USE TAXES PAID TO ANOTHER STATE FOR THE PURCHASE OF A MOTOR VEHICLE, A TRAILER, OR A SEMITRAILER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 312

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BY: SENATORS STEELE, BROADWAY, CRUMBLY, LAVERTY

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY, ALLEN, GASKILL, GEORGE, HARRELSON, REEP, SAUNDERS, WILLIAMS, WORD, FLOWERS, CARROLL, T. BAKER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE "THE ANTONY HOBBS III ACT"; TO CREATE SCHOOL-BASED AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR AND CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 317

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BY: SENATOR FARIS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE RELATING TO ETHICS; AMENDING PORTIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1988, INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990, AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 318

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BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING LICENSE FEES FOR BURIAL ASSOCIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 441

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BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTED OFFICE INCLUDE IN HIS OR HER REPORT OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS A SEPARATE STATEMENT REGARDING LOANS RECEIVED BY THE CAMPAIGN; TO REQUIRE THAT A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTED OFFICE REPORT ALL PERSONAL LOANS MADE BY THE CANDIDATE TO HIS OR HER CAMPAIGN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 450

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BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM MONEY SERVICES ACT, § 23-55-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE AND COMMERCE.

## SENATE BILL NO. 582

BY: SENATORS TEAGUE, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, GLOVER, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LUKER, MADISON, MILLER, SALMON, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, D. WYATT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES, REEP, PENNARTZ, BETTS, M. BURRIS, CASH, CHEATHAM, COLE, COOPER, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HOUSE, INGRAM, KIDD, MAXWELL, MOORE, OVERBEY, PIERCE, POWERS, RAINEY, REYNOLDS, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, STEWART, TYLER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LEVY AN ASSESSMENT FEE ON HOSPITALS TO IMPROVE HEALTH CARE ACCESS FOR THE CITIZENS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

## SENATE BILL NO. 775

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSTING OF RETURN RECORDS FOR VOTING MACHINES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10

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BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED TO AMEND THE JOINT RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH DEADLINES FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS DURING A FISCAL SESSION; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE PREFILING OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS BEFORE A FISCAL SESSION.

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

Upon motion of Representative Curren Everett, the House adjourned at 5:47 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 10, 2009.

ATTEST:

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Robbie Wills  
Speaker of the House of Representatives

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Jo Renshaw  
Chief Clerk