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**SEVENTY-EIGHTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

Little Rock, Arkansas

March 30, 2009

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

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

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY,
BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS,
GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J.
JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY,
LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER,
PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR,
TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS,
WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Reverend Quinton Gibson, St. James
Methodist Church, Temple, Texas.

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

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

On motion of Senator Salmon, **Senate Bill No. 840** was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 840

Amend **Senate Bill No. 840** as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-1-301(b), concerning the membership of the Arkansas Commission for Coordination of Educational Efforts, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The Arkansas Commission for Coordination of Educational Efforts is composed of the following members:

- (1) The Director of the Department of Higher Education;
- (2) The Commissioner of Education;
- (3) The Director of the Department of Workforce Education;
- (4) The Director of the Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education of the Department of Human Services or his or her designee;
- (5) The Director of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission;
- (6) The Vice President for Agriculture of the University of Arkansas System;
- (7) The President of the Arkansas Science and Technology Authority;
- (8) The Director of the Department of Information Systems or his or her designee;
- (9) The Governor or the Governor's designee;
- (10) One (1) public school administrator appointed by the Governor;
- (11) One (1) public school teacher appointed by the Governor;
- (12) One (1) president or chancellor of a four-year university appointed by the Presidents Council;
- (13) One (1) president or chancellor of a two-year college or two-year branch of a four-year university appointed by the council;
- (14) One (1) member of the board of trustees of a four-year university or system of colleges and universities appointed by the council;
- (15) One (1) member of the board of trustees of a two-year college or branch appointed by the council;
- (16) One (1) member appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate from a list of three (3) nominees submitted by the Executive Director of the Arkansas Education Association;
- (17) One (1) member appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives from a list of three (3) nominees submitted by the Executive Director of the Arkansas Association of Educational Administrators;
- (18) One (1) member appointed jointly by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate from a list of three (3) nominees submitted by the Executive Director of the Arkansas School Boards Association; ~~and~~
- (19) One (1) representative of a predominantly black college or university in Arkansas appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives; ~~;~~

(20) One (1) member appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives who is from the private sector and has an interest in science, technology, engineering, or math; and

(21) One (1) member appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate who is from the private sector and has an interest in science, technology, engineering, or math."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 840 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, **Senate Bill No. 892** was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 892

Amend **Senate Bill No. 892** as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 3-9-232 is amended to read as follows:

3-9-232. Inspection of premises and records of licensed premises and private clubs and the required filing of documents regarding nonprofit status of private clubs.

(a) No permit shall be issued under this subchapter unless the permittee has consented in writing that the licensed premises and its books and records shall be open at all times to all law enforcement and tax officials and officials of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division, the Alcoholic Beverage Control Enforcement Division, and the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration without

requirement of warrant or other legal process.

(b) No organization holding a permit under this subchapter shall market, sell, or otherwise furnish the names of its members or any other information pertaining to its members to any other public or private entity, except as provided in subsection (a) of this section.

(c) An organization holding a private club permit shall file with the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division on or before December 31 of each calendar year the following document or documents:

(1) The organization's statement, bearing the dated, stamped receipt verification by the Secretary of State required under § 4-33-131; and

(2)(A) The first page of the organization's federal tax form 990 covering the organization's previous tax year if the organization was required by federal law to prepare a form 990 regardless of whether the filing of the form with the Internal Revenue Service was required.

(B) The first page of form 990 may be submitted with all financial information redacted.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 3-9-234 is amended to read as follows:

3-9-234. Failure to pay renewal fees or taxes and failure to file documents regarding nonprofit status.

(a)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(2) of this section if an organization holding a private club permit fails to file a document or documents required by § 3-9-232 and within the time required in § 3-9-232, the private club permit shall be revoked.

(2) The Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division may grant a period of time not to exceed sixty (60) days in which the permittee may comply with the filing required by § 3-9-232.

(b) If any permittee shall fail to remit any fee levied in this subchapter for the annual renewal of a permit within the time provided in § 3-9-223, the permit shall be revoked.

(c) If any permittee shall fail to remit the supplemental tax upon gross receipts within the time provided in § 3-9-223, a penalty of twenty-five percent (25%) shall be due and payable. If such taxes plus penalty are not paid within thirty (30) days from the due date, the Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division shall revoke the permit of the permittee, and the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall seek recovery of the amount of such taxes and penalties due from the permittee."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 892 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, **Senate Bill No. 984** was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 984

Amend **Senate Bill No. 984** as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 13 of the title and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS THAT LICENSE OR OTHERWISE REGULATE HEALTH PROFESSIONS TO PROCURE AND REPORT DEMOGRAPHIC DATA REGARDING THE HEALTH CARE WORKFORCE IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 21 of the subtitle and substitute the following:

"TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS CONCERNING HEALTH PROFESSIONS TO PROCURE AND REPORT DEMOGRAPHIC DATA REGARDING THE HEALTH CARE WORKFORCE."

And

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 25, Chapter 1, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

25-1-117. Demographic data report.

(a) A state agency, board, or commission that licenses or otherwise regulates a health profession shall procure demographic data regarding the health care workforce in this state, including without limitation:

- (1) The Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine;
- (2) The Arkansas Psychology Board;
- (3) The Arkansas Social Work Licensing Board;
- (4) The Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners;
- (5) The Arkansas State Medical Board;
- (6) The Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy;
- (7) The Board of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and

Audiology; and

(8) The State Board of Optometry.

(b) Each state agency, board, or commission required to procure data under this section shall procure accurate and efficient collection of data, demographic, and other information by defining the following categories on licensure applications, including without limitation:

- (1) Age;
- (2) City and county of residence;
- (3) Educational institution of professional education and training;
- (4) Ethnicity;
- (5) Gender;
- (6) Place of birth; and
- (7) Race.

(c) Each state agency, board, or commission required to procure data under this section shall report the data on or before August 31 each year to:

- (1) The Arkansas Center for Health Improvement;
- (2) The Arkansas Minority Health Commission; and
- (3) The Department of Health."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 984 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, **Senate Bill No. 985** was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 985

Amend **Senate Bill No. 985** as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 13 of the title and substitute the following:
 "AN ACT TO PROVIDE APPOINTMENT RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ARKANSAS STATE BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS THAT LICENSE OR OTHERWISE REGULATE HEALTH PROFESSIONS TO ENSURE THAT STATE HEALTH-RELATED AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS ARE COMPOSED TO REFLECT THE DIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 21 of the subtitle and substitute the following:
 "TO PROVIDE THAT EACH STATE HEALTH-RELATED AGENCY, BOARD, AND COMMISSION REFLECTS THE DIVERSITY OF THE STATE."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 20, Chapter 1 is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

20-1-101. Purposes.

The purposes of this subchapter are to:

(1) Provide appointment recommendations for Arkansas state boards and commissions that license or otherwise regulate health-related professions to ensure board and commission compositions that reflect the diversity of the State of Arkansas; and

(2) Ensure that cultural competency, health disparities, and other minority health issues are adequately represented in the health policy decisions determined by state health-related agencies, boards and commissions for the State of Arkansas.

20-1-102. Minority members of state health-related agencies, boards, and commissions.

(a) The appointing authorities for state health-related agencies, boards, and commissions shall consider appointment recommendations submitted by minority health-related professional associations.

(b) The recommending organizations under this section include without limitation:

- (1) The Arkansas Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Association;
- (2) The Arkansas Metro Association of Black Social Workers;
- (3) The Arkansas Black Nurses Association;
- (4) The National Association of Hispanic Nurses, Arkansas Chapter;

and

- (5) The National Pharmacists Association of Arkansas.

(c) Recommendations for appointments under this section shall:

(1) Be submitted to the appointing authorities at least thirty (30) days before the expiration of a position in a state health-related agency, board, or commission relevant to the field or practice of the recommending body;

(2) Be submitted to the appointing authorities anytime before the appointing authority fills a position that has opened due to resignation or removal before the end of the originally appointed term;

(3) Be submitted by an officially designated officer or committee on behalf of the recommending organization; and

(4) Include correspondence on official organizational letterhead and the resume or curriculum vitae of a recommended candidate.

(d) The health-related agencies, boards, and commissions that recommendations may be considered for under this section include without limitation:

(1) The Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine;

(2) The Arkansas Psychology Board;

(3) The Arkansas Social Work Licensing Board;

(4) The Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners;

(5) The Arkansas State Medical Board;

(6) The Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy;

(7) The Board of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and

Audiology; and

(8) The State Board of Optometry.

(e) This section does not change or affect any existing delineations for minority appointments."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 985 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, **Senate Bill No. 23** was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 23

Amend **Senate Bill No. 23** as originally introduced:
Page 1, delete line 5 and substitute the following:

"By: Senator Bledsoe"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes the Senate rescinded its previous action in the adoption of **Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 23**.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 940** was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 940

Amend **Senate Bill No. 940** as engrossed, S3/19/09:

Page 1, delete line 10 of the title and substitute the following:
 "RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY FOR CRANIOFACIAL ABNORMALITIES UNDER CERTAIN"

AND

Page 1, line 24, delete "Reconstructive" and substitute "Craniofacial Reconstructive"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "and"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 31 through 36

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 and substitute the following:

"(2) "Health benefit plan" means any policy, contract, or agreement offered by an insurance company, health maintenance organization, or hospital and medical services corporation to provide, reimburse, or pay for health care services, but does not include the following:

(A) Workers' compensation coverage;

(B) Self-funded or self-insured health plans, unless the plan is established or maintained for employees of a governmental or church entity;

(C) Health plans covering specific diseases other than dental plans;

(D) Hospital indemnity insurance;

(E) Long-term care insurance;

(F) Short-term limited duration insurance;

(G) Accident only insurance;

(H) Medicare supplement insurance; or

(I) Other supplemental insurance;

(3) "Health insurance coverage" means benefits consisting of medical, pharmaceutical, optometric, surgical, or hospitalization, or other goods or services

for the purpose of preventing, alleviating, curing, or healing human illness provided, directly or indirectly, through insurance, reimbursement, or otherwise, including items and services paid for under any policy, certificate, or agreement offered by a health benefits plan;

(4) "Licensed physician or dentist trained in evaluation and treatment of specific craniofacial disorders" includes:

- (A) A craniofacial orthodontist;
- (B) A genetecist;
- (C) A neurosurgeon;
- (D) An ophthalmologist;
- (E) An otolaryngologist;
- (F) An oral and maxillofacial surgeon;
- (G) A plastic and reconstructive surgeon; and
- (H) A pediatric surgeon;

(5)(A) "Reconstructive surgery for craniofacial abnormalities" means surgery to restore, construct, or reconstruct pediatric and adult craniofacial deficiencies or abnormalities resulting from congenital defects, disease, trauma, or abnormal growth processes as defined by a licensed physician or dentist trained in evaluation and treatment of specific craniofacial disorders.

(B) "Reconstructive surgery for craniofacial abnormalities" includes secondary deformities arising from essential treatment and continued or disrupted growth of normal facial structures so as to establish an appearance or restore function consistent with standard facial structure and function.

(C) "Reconstructive surgery for craniofacial abnormalities" does not include:

(i) Cosmetic surgery when performed for purposes other than to improve function or restore an acceptable appearance of normalcy or symmetry; or

(ii) Dental services for the diagnosis or treatment of dental disorders or dental pathology primarily affecting the gums, teeth, or alveolar ridge; and

(6) "Standard facial structure" means the complex of skin, soft tissue, bone, including cranial deformations, mandible, and alveolar ridge, cartilage, teeth, nerves, and muscular structures that compose the human face and personal identity."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 5 through 7 and substitute the following:

"23-86-603. Coverage for reconstructive surgery for craniofacial abnormalities.

A health benefit plan that provides"

AND

Page 2, line 8, delete "reconstructive surgery" and substitute "reconstructive surgery for craniofacial abnormalities"

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete "necessary" and substitute "diagnosed"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 13 and 14 and substitute the following:

"This subchapter does not require a health benefit plan to provide coverage"

AND

Page 2, delete line 21 and substitute the following:

"(b)(1) To the extent allowed under federal law, for a health benefit plan maintained under one (1) or more"

AND

Page 2, delete line 28 and substitute the following:

"(2) To the extent allowed under federal law, a plan amendment made under a collective bargaining"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 940 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 844** was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 844

Amend **Senate Bill No. 844** as engrossed, S3/25/09:

Page 6, delete lines 1 and 2 and substitute the following:

"(A) practice Practice physical therapy;"

AND

Page 6, line 22, delete "physical therapy or physiotherapy unless" and substitute "physical therapy unless"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 8 through 10

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 844 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 814** was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 814

Amend **Senate Bill No. 814** as originally introduced:

Add as a cosponsor of the bill:
Representative Abernathy

AND

Page 2, delete lines 17 through 25 and substitute:
"each year of this determination.

(2)(A) However, at any time, the department may immediately notify a public school or school district failing to meet standards for accreditation for elementary and secondary schools when the failure is discovered by the department under § 6-15-202(i).

(B) A public school or school district notified by the department of the public school's or school district's failure to meet the standards for accreditation due to actions taken under § 6-15-202(i) shall have the same period of time to appeal to the state board as provided under § 6-15-203(b)(3)."

AND

Delete SECTION 8 of the bill in its entirety

AND

Page 6, delete lines 30 through 34 and substitute:

"(B)(i) At any time after March 30, the department may identify a school district as being in fiscal distress if the department discovers that a fiscal condition of a school district negatively impacts the continuation of educational services by the school district.

(ii) The department immediately shall provide the same notice required under subdivision (a)(1)(A)(i) to the school district identified under this subdivision (a)(1)(B)."

AND

Page 7, line 12, delete "September 30" and substitute "August 31"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 19 through 32 and substitute:

"(i) Students who:
 ~~(a) reside~~ Reside within the boundaries of the school district ~~and;~~

~~(b) who are~~ Are enrolled in a public school operated by the school district; ~~and~~

~~(c) Are enrolled in a curriculum that fulfills the requirements established by the state board under the Standards for Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools and School Districts;~~

(ii) Legally transferred students living outside the school district but are:

~~(a) attending~~ Attending a public school in the school district under a provision of the Arkansas Code; and

~~(b) Are enrolled in a curriculum that fulfills the requirements established by the state board under the Standards for Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools and School Districts;~~

~~(iii) Open-enrollment public charter school students who are enrolled in a curriculum that fulfills the requirements established by the state board under the Standards for Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools and School Districts; or~~

~~(iii)~~(iv) Students who are eligible to attend and who reside within the boundaries of a school district and are enrolled in the Arkansas National Guard Youth Challenge Program, so long as the students are participants in the program."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 15-17 and substitute:

"(ii) Multiplied by the ratio of the uniform rate of tax to the school district's total millage rate in effect as of January 1 of the fiscal year prior to the current funding year."

AND

Delete SECTION 17 of the bill in its entirety

AND

Page 9, line 6, delete "student"

AND

Page 9, line 9, delete "student" and substitute "~~student~~ state categorical"

AND

Page 9, line 13, delete "identified"

AND

Page 9, line 18, delete "identified"

AND

Page 9, line 23, delete "identified"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 26 through 31 and substitute:

(B)(i) Funding National school lunch state categorical funding under this subdivision (b)(4) ~~for national school lunch students~~ shall be based on the ~~percentage determined in § 6-20-2303(12) multiplied by the number of the previous school year's enrolled students~~ number of national school lunch students for the immediately preceding school year determined under § 6-20-2303(12)(A)."

AND

Page 10, line 12, delete "student"

AND

Page 10, line 14, delete "student"

AND

Page 10, delete lines 15 and 16 and substitute:

"the immediately preceding school year, due to a percentage change in national school lunch students, the department shall adjust the funding to the school district in a transitional three-year period."

AND

Page 10, line 18, delete "student"

AND

Page 10, delete line 23 and substitute:

"immediately preceding year, adjusted for changes to the funding rates in § 6-20-2305(b)(4)(A)."

AND

Page 10, line 25, delete "student"

AND

Page 10, line 33, delete "received by the school district;" and substitute "·"

AND

Page 10, line 36, delete "received by the school district;" and substitute "·"

AND

Page 11, line 4, delete "received by the school district;" and substitute "·"

AND

Page 11, delete line 17 and substitute:

"SECTION 18. Arkansas Code § 6-23-103(8), concerning the definition of an "open-enrollment public charter school" is amended to read as follows:

(8)(A) "Open-enrollment public charter school" means a public school that:

~~(A)(i) That is is operating under the terms of a charter granted by the state board on the application of an eligible entity; and~~

~~(B)(ii) That may draw its students from any public school district in this state; and~~

(iii) Is a local educational agency under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, 20 U.S.C. § 7801, as it existed on the effective date of this subdivision (8)(A)(iii).

(B) "Open-enrollment public charter school" also possesses the same meaning as given the term "charter school" in the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, 20 U.S.C. § 7221i, as it existed on the effective date of this subdivision (8)(B);

SECTION 19. Arkansas Code § 6-23-104(a)(1), concerning requirements for the form of the charter for public charter schools, is amended to read as follows:

(a) A charter for a public charter school shall:

(1) Be in the form of a written contract signed by the ~~Commissioner of Education~~ Chair of the State Board of Education and the chief operating officer of the public charter school;

SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 6-23-302(c)(1)(C), concerning an application for an open-enrollment public charter school, is amended to read as follows:

(C)(i) Within seven (7) calendar days following the first publication of notice required under subdivision (c)(1)(B) of this section, letters announcing the public hearing shall be sent to the superintendent ~~and school board members~~ of each of the public school districts from which the open-enrollment public charter school is likely to draw students for the purpose of enrollment and the

superintendent and school board members of any public school district that is contiguous to the public school district in which the open-enrollment public charter school will be located.

~~(ii) The letters to the school board members required in subdivision (c)(1)(C)(i) of this section shall only be required for each school board member whose name and mailing address is provided by the superintendent of an affected school district or by the Department of Education upon the request of the applicant.~~

~~(iii)(ii)~~ An affected school district may submit written comments concerning the application to the state board to be considered at the time of the state board's review of the application;

SECTION 21. Arkansas Code § 6-23-304(c)(6), concerning the requirements for open-enrollment charter school applications, is amended to read as follows:

(6) Therefore, any charter applicant that receives an approved open-enrollment public charter may petition the state board for additional licenses to establish an open-enrollment public charter school in any of the various congressional districts in Arkansas provided that the applicant meets the following conditions, subject to the normal application, review, and approval process of the state board:

(A) The approved open-enrollment public charter applicant has demonstrated success in student achievement gains, as defined by the state board and has received in the category of annual school improvement or annual school performance a rating of three (3), four (4), or five (5) under § 6-15-2101 et seq.; and

(B) The approved open-enrollment public charter applicant has not:

(i) Been subject to any disciplinary action by the state board;

(ii) Been classified as in school improvement or academic or fiscal distress; and

(iii) Had its open-enrollment public charter placed on probation, suspended, or revoked; and

(C) The approved open-enrollment public charter school has operated as an open-enrollment public charter school for at least two (2) consecutive school years; and

~~(D)~~ The state board determines in writing by majority of a quorum of the state board present that the open-enrollment public charter applicant has generally established the educational program results and criteria set forth in this subdivision (c)(6).

SECTION 22. Arkansas Code § 6-23-306(6), concerning the contents of the charter of an open-enrollment public charter school, is amended to read as follows:

~~(6)(A) Prohibit~~ Except as provided under subdivisions (6)(A)(i) and (ii) of this section, prohibit discrimination in admissions policy on the basis of gender, national origin, race, ethnicity, religion, disability, or academic or athletic eligibility, except as follows:

~~(A)(i)~~ The open-enrollment public charter may allow a weighted lottery to be used in the student selection process when necessary to comply with Title VI of the federal Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the federal Education Amendments of 1972, the equal protection clause of the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution, a court order, or a federal or state law requiring desegregation; and

~~(B)(ii)~~ The open-enrollment public charter may provide for the exclusion of a student who has been expelled from another public school district in accordance with this title;

(B) Additionally, the state board may grant a charter with admissions policies that are consistent with federal law or regulation;

SECTION 23. Arkansas Code § 6-23-501(a), concerning funding for open-enrollment public charter schools, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) An open-enrollment public charter school shall receive funds equal to the amount that a public school would receive under § 6-20-2305(a) and (b) as well as any other funding that a public charter school is entitled to receive under law or ~~pursuant to~~ under rules promulgated by the State Board of Education.

~~(2) Funding for an open-enrollment public charter school shall be based upon the current year three-quarter average daily membership of the open-enrollment public charter school as follows:~~

~~(A) The initial funding estimate for each school year shall be based on enrollment as of July 30 preceding the school year in which the students are to attend;~~

~~(B) In December, funding will be adjusted based on the first-quarter average daily membership; and~~

~~(C) A final adjustment will be made after the current year three-quarter average daily membership is established.~~

(2)(A) For the first year of operation and for the first year the open-enrollment public charter school adds a new grade, the funding for an open-enrollment public charter school is determined as follows:

(i) The initial funding estimate shall be based on enrollment as of July 30 preceding the school year in which the students are to attend classes;

(ii) In December, funding will be adjusted based upon the first quarter average daily membership; and

(iii) A final adjustment will be made after the current three-quarter average daily membership is established.

(B) For the second year and each school year thereafter, the previous year's average daily membership will be used to calculate foundation funding and any enhanced educational funding amounts.

(3) National school lunch state categorical funding under § 6-20-2305(b)(4) shall be provided to an open-enrollment public charter school as follows:

(A) For the first year of operation, free or reduced-price meal eligibility data as reported by October 1 of the current school year will be used to calculate the national school lunch state categorical funding under the state board rules governing special needs funding; and

(B) For the second year and each school year of operation thereafter, the previous year's October 1 national school lunch student count as specified in state board rules governing special needs funding will be used to calculate national school lunch state categorical funding for the open-enrollment public charter school.

(4) Professional development funding under § 6-20-2305(b)(5) shall be provided to an open-enrollment public charter school for the first year of operation as follows:

(A)(i) In the first year of operation the open-enrollment public charter school shall receive professional development funding based upon the initial projected enrollment student count as of July 30 of the preceding school year in which the students are to attend, multiplied by the per-student professional development funding amount under § 6-20-2305(b)(5) for that school year.

(ii) For the second year and each school year thereafter, professional development funding will be based upon the previous year's average daily membership multiplied by the per-student professional development funding amount for that school year.

(5) The Department of Education shall distribute other categorical funding under § 6-20-2305(a) and (b) for which an open-enrollment public charter school is eligible as provided by state law and rules promulgated by the state board.

(6) An open-enrollment public charter school shall not be denied foundation funding, enhanced educational funding, or categorical funding in the first year or any year of operation provided that the open-enrollment public charter school submits to the department the number of students eligible for funding as specified in applicable rules.

~~(3)~~(7) Funding for an open-enrollment public charter school shall be paid in twelve (12) equal installments each fiscal year.

SECTION 24. Arkansas Code § 6-23-105(d)(1), concerning notice"

AND

Page 12, delete lines 32 through 35 and substitute:

"(2) The student agrees to physically attend the public school or open-enrollment public charter school for the purposes of taking:

(A) a distance learning course taught or offered through the public school or ~~charter school~~ open-enrollment public charter school; and

(B) State tests and assessments required for the particular course or courses taken by the student; and"

AND

Add the following section as the last section of the bill:

SECTION 27. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that it is the state's constitutional obligation to provide a general, suitable, and efficient free system of public schools in the state; that the public school funding distribution changes in this act are needed to ensure that proper funding is provided to the affected public schools and school districts; and that this act is immediately necessary so that the affected public schools and school districts will receive the amount of funding for the school year that begins on July 1, 2009. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

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

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

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

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 814 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 863** was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 863

Amend **Senate Bill No. 863** as originally introduced:

Delete line 6 and substitute:

"By: Representatives Flowers, Cook"

AND

Page 2, line 4, delete "records" and substitute "records from state agencies"

AND

Page 4, line 13, delete "Division of" and substitute "Commission for Arkansas"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 3 through 22 and substitute:

"(e) The division shall work with school districts, state agencies, and state commissions to ensure that:

(1) All lawfully required inspections of academic facilities are performed, including without limitation scheduled, unscheduled, or emergency inspections of or concerning:

(A) Boilers;

(B) Electrical systems;

(C) Heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems;

(D) Natural gas piping systems;

(E) Liquid propane gas systems;

(F) Plumbing systems, including without limitation reduced

pressure zone valves;

(G) Indoor air quality systems;

(H) Fire prevention;

(I) Elevators;

(J) Occupational safety and health issues;

(K) Water wells;

(L) Asbestos; and

(2) The division receives the same report on the same date that a school district receives a report concerning a lawfully required scheduled or

unscheduled inspection or reinspection of an academic facility.

(f) If an inspection or code violation is reported in the course of an"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 863 was ordered engrossed.

**ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 23, BY SENATOR ALTES,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, **Senate Bill No. 23** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 814, BY SENATORS BROADWAY AND BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 840, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 863, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 814** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Salmon, **Senate Bill No. 840** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 863** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 844, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 892, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 984, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 985, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 844** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Bryles, **Senate Bill No. 892** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Elliott, **Senate Bill No. 984** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Elliott, **Senate Bill No. 985** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 940, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, **Senate Bill No. 940** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 138, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 164, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 209, BY SENATOR FARIS,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 826, BY SENATOR KEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1845, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1895, BY REPRESENTATIVE KERR,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2023, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 2020, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12,
BY SENATOR BRYLES, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 179, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 449, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 460, BY SENATOR MALONE AND ALTES ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 470, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 515, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 516, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 804, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 806, BY SENATOR T. SMITH ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 873, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:20 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12

SENATE BILL NO. 179

SENATE BILL NO. 449

SENATE BILL NO. 460

SENATE BILL NO. 470

SENATE BILL NO. 515

SENATE BILL NO. 516

SENATE BILL NO. 804

SENATE BILL NO. 806

SENATE BILL NO. 873

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 30th day of March, 2009 at 10:20 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

On motion of Senator Steele, **Senate Resolution No. 19** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 19
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE CONSIDERATION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A FOUR-DAY WORK WEEK FOR STATE EMPLOYEES IF COMPATIBLE WITH THE MISSION OF A STATE AGENCY, BOARD, OR COMMISSION AND NO INTERRUPTION OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES WILL RESULT.

Senate Resolution No. 19 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Broadway, **House Concurrent Resolution No. 1023** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1023
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING HEART GALLERY WEEK.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1023 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1023 was returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Altes, **Senate Bill No. 23** was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Altes the Senate rescinded its previous action in the adoption of **Amendment No. 1** to **Senate Bill No. 23**.

Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, **Senate Bill No. 938** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 938

Amend **Senate Bill No. 938** as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 21 and 22 and substitute the following:

"for Medical Sciences;

(12) The Behavior Intervention Services Coordinator for the Department of Education;

(13) The Associate Director of Special Education of the Department of Education;

(14) One(1) public school Special Education Supervisor appointed by the Arkansas Association of Special Education Administrators;

(15) One (1) member to represent the Arkansas Children's"

AND

Page 2, line 24, delete "(13)" and substitute"(16)"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "(14)" and substitute"(17)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 938 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Malone, **Senate Bill No. 932** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 932

Amend **Senate Bill No. 932** as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 20-22-901(b), concerning a volunteer fire department's duty to respond to fires, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) If the property is owned by a nonmember of the fire district, then the volunteer fire department shall be entitled to recover from the nonmember property owner the reasonable value of its services not to exceed the fair market value of the services rendered.

(2) A claim for services in responding to a fire involving only personal property shall be allowed only for personal property of nonmembers, and the claimed amount shall not exceed ~~five hundred dollars (\$500)~~ eight hundred dollars (\$800)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 932 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, **House Bill No. 1485** was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1485

Amend **House Bill No. 1485** as engrossed, H3/16/09:

Add Senator Faris as a cosponsor of the bill.

AND

Page 23, line 31, delete "Conduct an annual forum" and substitute "Conduct meetings"

AND

Page 23, line 35, delete "forum" and substitute "meetings"

AND

Page 30, delete line 33 and substitute the following:
"this section unless its county election coordinator is"

AND

Page 31, delete line 30 and substitute the following:
"equal to the excess for the administration of elections in"

AND

Page 46, delete lines 19 through 25 and substitute the following:
"SECTION 4. Arkansas Code Title 19, Chapter 5, Subchapter 12 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

19-5-1236. General Elections Reimbursement Fund.

(a) There is established on the books of the Treasurer of State, the Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a fund to be known as the "General Elections Reimbursement Fund".

(b)(1) The fund shall consist of filing and indexing fees collected under:

(A) § 4-9-525(a)(1);

(B) § 4-9-525(b)(6);

(C) § 4-9-525(d)(1) and (2); and

(D) Other funds as may be appropriated.

(2) The fund shall be used to cover the cost of general election expenses of the State Board of Election Commissioners under § 7-5-104.

SECTION 5. TEMPORARY LANGUAGE – DO NOT CODIFY. (a) The requirements of § 7-4-112(a) and (d) and § 7-5-104, as amended herein, are not

mandatory until May 21, 2012, unless appropriation and funding is authorized by law in the amount of at least one million five hundred thousand dollars (\$1,500,000) from the General Improvement Fund to the State Board of Election Commissioners to reimburse the counties for costs of conducting the general election in 2010.

(b) If the funding under subsection (a) of this section is provided, § 7-4-112(a) and (d) and § 7-5-104, as amended herein, are mandatory as of May 18, 2010.

SECTION 6. Acts 2003, No. 1473, § 3, concerning the requirement that the Secretary of State periodically report the number of filing and indexing fees collected, is amended to read as follows:

~~The Secretary of State shall report periodically~~ remit to the Treasurer of State the number of filing and indexing fees collected under Arkansas Code § 4-9-525(a)(1) during the period from July 1, 2001, through June 30, 2013, and the Treasurer of State shall deposit twelve dollars (\$12.00) of every such fee in a separate account for the benefit of those circuit clerks who qualify under this section into the General Elections Reimbursement Fund. ~~The proceeds in the account shall be distributed by the Treasurer of State at least quarterly to the county recorder cost fund of the counties of qualifying circuit clerks in the proportion that the total of the filing and indexing fees (other than fees charged solely for filing records related to collateral which is equipment used in farming operations, or farm products, or accounts or general intangibles arising from or relating to the sale of farm products by a farmer or crops growing or to be grown) collected by each qualifying clerk in calendar year 1999 under former chapter 9 of the Uniform Commercial Code bears to the total of those same filing and indexing fees collected by all qualified distributees. Said calculations shall be determined in a reasonable manner. The clerks qualified to share in these distributions shall be the circuit clerks of the counties who file with the Treasurer of State no later than September 1, 2001 a sworn record stating the total amount of the relevant indexing and filing fees of the kind described in this section collected by said clerks in 1999, and the Treasurer of State shall use these sworn records in computing the pro rata share of each qualified distributee~~ The fund shall be used by the State Board of Election Commissioners to cover the reimbursement of election expenses.

SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that with the implementation of new election procedures, the funds that will proceed from the establishment of the new fund established by this act are necessary to pay for general elections; and that this act is immediately necessary in order to implement the new procedures for election administration so that the procedures are in place for the upcoming elections. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on May 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1485 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 791** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 791
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK AS THE LEAD AGENCY AND ENTITY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE OVERSIGHT AND OPERATION OF THE ARKANSAS VICTIM ASSISTANCE ACADEMY AND RELATED TRAINING PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 791 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total35

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast35

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 791**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total35

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 791 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 850** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 850

As Engrossed: S3/10/09 S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BROADEN THE HIGHER EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES GRANT PROGRAM; TO PROVIDE NEED-BASED FINANCIAL AID FOR ALL COLLEGE-GOING INDIVIDUALS FROM LOW INCOME FAMILIES TO BE USED AT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 850 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total35

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast35

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 850**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total35

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 850 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 852** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 852

As Engrossed: S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TEACHER OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM; TO PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIPS TO TEACHERS RETURNING TO COLLEGE TO RECEIVE AN ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 852 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total35

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast35

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 852 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 853** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 853

As Engrossed: S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE THE TEACHER EDUCATION RECRUITMENT PROGRAMS BY REPEALING THE MINORITY TEACHERS SCHOLARS PROGRAM, MINORITY MASTERS FELLOWS PROGRAM, AND THE STATE TEACHER ASSISTANCE RESOURCE PROGRAM: TO CREATE THE STATE TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 853 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 853 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 854** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 854
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MILITARY DEPENDENTS SCHOLARSHIP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 854 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total35

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast35

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 854 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 855
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE CONTINUING ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CHILDREN AND SPOUSES OF CERTAIN PUBLIC SERVICE EMPLOYEES IF THE PUBLIC SERVICE RESULTS IN DEATH OR PERMANENT AND TOTAL DISABILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Lavery, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 855**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Lavery, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total35

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 855 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 856** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 856
As Engrossed: S3/10/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FLEXIBILITY FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN GOVERNOR'S SCHOLARS PROGRAM AWARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 856 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 856**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total35

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 856 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 857** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 857
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE FACULTY/ADMINISTRATOR DEVELOPMENT FELLOWS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 857 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Lavery, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 857 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 858** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 858
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS GOVERNMENT WORKER LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 858 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, P. Malone, R. Thompson.

Total8

NEGATIVE: Altes, Glover, Hendren, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, J. Key, Madison, Miller, B. Pritchard, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total16

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Elliott, Horn, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Lavery, Luker, Salmon, T. Smith, Whitaker.

Total11

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....24

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 858**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, P. Malone, R. Thompson.

Total8

NEGATIVE: Altes, Glover, Hendren, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, J. Key, Madison, Miller, B. Pritchard, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total16

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Elliott, Horn, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Salmon, T. Smith, Whitaker.

Total11

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....24

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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

The record pertaining to the vote by which **Senate Bill No. 858** and Emergency Clause failed to pass was expunged, on March 30, 2009.

Senator Broadway moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which **Senate Bill No. 858** and its Emergency Clause failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, **Senate Bill No. 876** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 876
As Engrossed: S3/17/09 S3/24/09 S3/25/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1985; TO INCREASE RATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 876 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total26

NEGATIVE: Altes, Hendren, J. Key, B. Pritchard.

Total4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Faris, G. Jeffress, Lavery, Whitaker, Wilkinson.

Total5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast30

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 876 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, **Senate Bill No. 789** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 789
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW MUNICIPALITIES TO ESTABLISH AN EFFECTIVE DATE FOR THE LEVY OF CERTAIN MUNICIPAL SALES AND USE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 789 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 789 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, **Senate Bill No. 980** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 980
As Engrossed: 3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INCENTIVES FOR TEACHER RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION IN HIGH-PRIORITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO EQUALIZE TEACHER SALARIES BETWEEN HIGH-PRIORITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND HIGHER PAYING SURROUNDING SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 980 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 980**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause	24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 980 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, **Senate Bill No. 342** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 342
As Engrossed: S2/17/09 S3/19/09 S3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE FACILITIES DURING EMERGENCIES; TO REQUIRE CHILD CARE FACILITIES TO FILE WRITTEN PLANS FOR EMERGENCY PROCEDURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 342 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Lavery, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 342 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 870** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 870
As Engrossed: S3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PERMIT SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITIES TO COLLECT AND CONVERT METHANE GAS FROM LANDFILLS TO ELECTRICITY OR OTHER ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF ENERGY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 870 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Lavery, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 870 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, **Senate Bill No. 770** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 770
As Engrossed: S3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT PARTIAL REPLACEMENT OF MANUFACTURING MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT THAT IMPROVE MANUFACTURING EFFICIENCY, MODERNIZE EXISTING MACHINERY, OR ECONOMICALLY OR PHYSICALLY EXPAND AN EXISTING FACILITY, INCLUDING THE MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT THAT ACT AS A MOLD OR DIE TO DETERMINE THE PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF A PRODUCT, ARE EXEMPT FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 770 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 770**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Lavery, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total35

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 770 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Luker, [House Bill No. 1984](#) was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
 EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
[Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1984](#)

Amend [House Bill No. 1984](#) as originally introduced:

Add Senator Luker as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete lines 3 through 7 and substitute the following:

"(2) through midnight, December 31, 2012, the office of the circuit clerk in the county in which the debtor is located in this state if the debtor is engaged in farming operations and the collateral is ~~equipment used in farming operations, or farm products, or accounts arising from the sale of farm products~~ a farm-stored commodity financed by a loan through the Commodity Credit Corporation of the United States Department of Agriculture; or"

AND

Page 2, delete line 24 and substitute the following:

"(c) A"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 27 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(d)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (d)(2) of this section, if a debtor is engaged in farming operations and the collateral described in a financing statement is an agricultural lien or a security interest in equipment used in farming operations, farm products, or accounts arising from the sale of farm products, a filing with the circuit clerk of the county where a debtor is engaged in farming operations of a financing statement, a termination statement, or a continuation statement to extend the effectiveness of a financing statement is ineffective.

(2) If a debtor is engaged in farming operations and the collateral described in a financing statement is a farm-stored commodity financed by a loan through the Commodity Credit Corporation of the United States Department of Agriculture, a filing after midnight, December 31, 2012, with the circuit clerk of the county where a debtor is engaged in farming operations of the financing statement, a termination statement, or a continuation statement to extend the effectiveness of the financing statement is ineffective.

(3) The effectiveness of a financing statement that perfects an agricultural lien or a security interest in equipment used in farming operations, farm products, or accounts arising from the sale of farm products may be continued by filing a continuation statement with the Secretary of State before the financing statement expires."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 14

AND

Delete Section 3 in its entirety

AND

Page 4, line 27, delete "SECTION 4" and substitute "SECTION 3"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 3 through 7 and substitute the following:

"consists of one (1) page;

(2) Records filed with the circuit clerks pursuant to § 4-9-501(a)(2) — twelve dollars (\$12.00), for filing and indexing the initial financing statement and termination statements, if the record consists of one (1) page; and"

AND

Page 5, line 8, delete "~~(3)~~" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 6, line 2, delete "SECTION 5" and substitute "SECTION 4"

AND

Appropriately number the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1984 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, the rules were suspended in considering **House Bill No. 1706** at this time.

On motion of Senator Thompson, **House Bill No. 1706** was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1706

Amend **House Bill No. 1706** as engrossed, H3/9/09:

Page 2, line 12, delete “(5)” and substitute “(5)(A)”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 16 and 17 and substitute:

“Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

(B) The policies and procedures for carrying out the sentence of death and any and all matters related to the policies and procedures for the sentence of death are not subject to the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq., except for the choice of chemical or chemicals that may be injected, including the quantity, method, and order of the administration of the chemical or chemicals.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1706 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 23, BY SENATOR ALTES,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, **Senate Bill No. 23** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 3
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF GEORGE CLYDE KELL AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL.

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

On motion of Senator Salmon, the rules were suspended in considering **Senate Bill No. 839** at this time.

On motion of Senator Salmon, **Senate Bill No. 839** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 839

Amend **Senate Bill No. 839** as engrossed, S3/26/09:

Page 4, line 19, delete "pregnant, including during" and substitute "pregnant during"

AND

Page 5, line 21, delete "without the prisoner's or"

AND

Page 5, line 22, delete "detainee's prior written consent"

(SIGNED) SENATOR M. A. SALMON

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 839 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 846** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 846
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE SIZE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF A PUBLIC CORPORATION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; TO CLARIFY THE POWERS OF A PUBLIC CORPORATION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; TO CHANGE THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH A JOB TRAINING EXPENDITURE MAY BE MADE BY A PUBLIC CORPORATION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 846 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 846 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 440** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 440
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN AND PRACTICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 440 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 440 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 790** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 790
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PER DIEM STIPENDS AND EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 790 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 790**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total35

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 790 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Broadway, **Senate Bill No. 921** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 921
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM FOR STATE AGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 921 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 921 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, **Senate Bill No. 867** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 867

As Engrossed: S3/11/09 S3/23/09 S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

**BY: SENATORS FARIS, G. BAKER, GLOVER, P. MALONE, R. THOMPSON,
WILKINSON & D. JOHNSON**

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCLEAN, NICKELS & J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ETHICS REQUIREMENTS FOR LOBBYISTS AND PUBLIC OFFICIALS; 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.

Senate Bill No. 867 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total35

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill24

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 867 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, **Senate Bill No. 868** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 868
As Engrossed: S3/16/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SIMPLIFY AND CLARIFY THE METHOD OF DISTRIBUTION OF MONEYS RECEIVED BY THE TREASURER OF STATE FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FOR A SALE, LEASE, ROYALTY, BONUS, OR RENTAL OF OIL, GAS, OR MINERAL LANDS BELONGING TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND LOCATED IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 868 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 868 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, **Senate Bill No. 1005** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1005
As Engrossed: S3/25/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR MINORITY BUSINESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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

On motion of Senator Whitaker, **Senate Bill No. 820** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 820
As Engrossed: S3/18/09 S3/19/09 S3/25/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CORRECT REFERENCES TO BIENNIAL SESSIONS IN THE ARKANSAS CODE TO CONFORM TO ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 86; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 820 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Lavery, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	35
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:	
Total	0
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	35
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 820 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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

On motion of Senator Elliott, **Senate Bill No. 799** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 799

As Engrossed: S3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, MADISON, SALMON & H. WILKINS

BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAINEY, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, CARROLL & L. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE ACCESS TO POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Madison spoke for the Bill.

Senator Jimmy Jeffress spoke for the Bill.

Senator Altes spoke against the Bill.

Senator Salmon spoke for the Bill.

Senator Taylor spoke against the Bill.

Senator Wilkins spoke for the Bill.

Senator Lavery spoke for the Bill.

Senator Elliott closed for the Bill.

Senate Bill No. 799 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Bryles, Capps, Elliott, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, Lavery, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Salmon, Steele, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total13

NEGATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, D. Wyatt.

Total21

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Crumbly.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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

The record pertaining to the vote by which **Senate Bill No. 799** failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 30, 2009.

Senator Elliott moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which **Senate Bill No. 799** failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Faris, **Senate Bill No. 871** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 871
As Engrossed: S3/25/09 S3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ELECTRONIC RECORDS STUDY COMMISSION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON AMENDING THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO SPECIFICALLY ADDRESS THE ISSUE OF BULK COMMERCIAL ACCESS TO ELECTRONIC OR COMPUTERIZED RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 871 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 871 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER
TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN, JO RENSHAW, CLERK

March 30, 2009

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

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 1393.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

JLR/jb

On motion of Senator Madison, **House Bill No. 1393** was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 1393 was ordered immediately returned to the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Bryles, **House Bill No. 2007** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2007
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: THE ARKANSAS CLEAN AIR ON CAMPUS ACT OF 2009; AN ACT TO PROTECT STUDENTS, EMPLOYEES, AND VISITORS AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FROM SECONDHAND SMOKE ON CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2007 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.	
Total	1
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2007 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1808
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY, T. BAKER,
BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, CARNINE, CHEATHAM, COLE, COOK, DAVIS,
J. DICKINSON, GREENBERG, HARDY, D. HUTCHINSON, W. LEWELLEN,
SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER & WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS PLANNING PROGRAM ACT; TO LOWER EDUCATIONAL COSTS, SHORTEN A STUDENT'S TIME TO DEGREE COMPLETION, AND INCREASE THE OVERALL SUCCESS RATE OF ARKANSAS STUDENTS BY REDUCING THE NEED FOR REMEDIATION; TO ENSURE THAT STUDENTS HAVE THE CAREER READINESS SKILLS TO COMPETE IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1808 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34
 Necessary to the passage of the bill18
 So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1990 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1990

As Engrossed: H3/13/09 S3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, D. HUTCHINSON, M. BURRIS,
CARNINE, CLEMMER, COLE, NICKELS, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, STEWART &
ABERNATHY

BY: SENATORS G. BAKER AND MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE CLEAR EXIT STANDARDS FOR ALL REMEDIAL COURSES TAKEN AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO IMPROVE THE TEACHING TECHNIQUES OF REMEDIAL COURSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1990 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Lavery, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1990 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 2014 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2014
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE DISCLOSURE OF CONTRACTS BETWEEN STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER

EDUCATION AND EMPLOYEES HAVING A FINANCIAL INTEREST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2014 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2014 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, **House Bill No. 1996** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1996
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, J. BURRIS, T. BRADFORD, CHEATHAM,
J. DICKINSON, NIX & STEWART**

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS AND BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE OPPORTUNITY FOR SCHOOL COUNSELORS TO BECOME SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1996 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1996 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, **House Bill No. 2256** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2256
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.

House Bill No. 2256 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2256 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, **House Bill No. 1881** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1881
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, § 23-39-501 ET SEQ.; TO REVISE BONDING, REPORTING, RECORDS, PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES, PENALTIES, AND OTHER PROVISIONS OF THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, § 23-39-501 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1881 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.	
Total	1
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	34
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1881 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, **House Bill No. 1646** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1646
As Engrossed: H3/12/09 S3/25/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE AT LEAST ONE (1) POLLING PLACE IN EACH COUNTY FOR SCHOOL ELECTIONS WHEN A SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS TERRITORY IN MULTIPLE COUNTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1646 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1646 held in the Chamber.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, **House Bill No. 1848** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1848
As Engrossed: S3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ENHANCED PENALTIES FOR OFFENSES COMMITTED IN THE PRESENCE OF A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1848 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1848 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Luker, **House Bill No. 1256** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1256
As Engrossed: H3/16/09 S3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RACING MOTOR VEHICLES ON PUBLIC HIGHWAYS, OBSERVING A RACE AS A SPECTATOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1256 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	33
NEGATIVE: Altes.	
Total	1
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.	
Total	1
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1256 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Elliott, **House Bill No. 1273** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1273

As Engrossed: H2/18/09 H2/27/09 S3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, CASH, DAVIS, HARDY, HOUSE, HOYT, W. LEWELLEN, J. ROEBUCK, SHELBY, STEWART & PIERCE

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ELLIOTT AND STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A PILOT PROGRAM FOR MOBILE LEARNING TECHNOLOGY IN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1273 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.	
Total	1
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	34
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1273 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Luker, **House Bill No. 1942** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1942
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A CITY THAT ADJOINS A BORDER CITY THAT IS SEPARATED BY A NAVIGABLE RIVER FROM A CITY IN ANOTHER STATE TO SELL CIGARETTES AT THE RATE USED BY THE BORDER CITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Luker, **House Bill No. 1942** was pulled down.

On motion of Senator Luker, **House Bill No. 1955** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1955
As Engrossed: H3/11/09 H3/17/09 H3/19/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORIZATION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE SALES FOR CERTAIN LARGE ATTENDANCE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Luker, **House Bill No. 1955** was pulled down.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, **House Bill No. 1680** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1680
As Engrossed: S3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A STATE EMPLOYEE WHO PREVIOUSLY WORKED FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR INSTITUTION OF HIGHER LEARNING IS ELIGIBLE FOR CATASTROPHIC LEAVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1680 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.	
Total	1
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	34
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1680 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Key, **House Bill No. 2201** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2201
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.

House Bill No. 2201 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Lavery, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2201 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, **House Bill No. 2230** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 2230
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.

House Bill No. 2230 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.	
Total	1
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast.....	34
Necessary to the passage of the bill	18

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2230 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 205** was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 205

JBC 03/26/09(1)

Amend **Senate Bill No. 205** as engrossed, S3/23/09:

Page 2, line 14, delete " 2 " and substitute " 3 "
 AND

Page 2, line 18, delete " 17 " and substitute " 20 "
 AND

Page 2, delete line 19 and insert therefore:

"(16) D052C SOFTWARE SUPPORT ANALYST	4	GRADE C121
"(17) A052C ACCOUNTING COORDINATOR	1	GRADE C121"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "48" and substitute "54"
 AND

Appropriately renumber the Item Numbers in Section 1
 AND

Immediately following Section 13, insert the following new sections:

" SECTION 14. APPROPRIATION - WEB BASED APPLICATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses associated with web based applications of the Department of Higher Education for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01) WEB BASED APPLICATIONS PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSE	<u>\$ 800,000</u>

SECTION 15. APPROPRIATION - SCHOLARSHIP ADMINISTRATION.

There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Higher Education - Scholarship Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 296,917
(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	111,359
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	315,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 723,276</u>

SECTION 16. APPROPRIATION - SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

CONTINGENCY. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, for transfer to the various scholarship and grant appropriations authorized in this act, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the sum of \$20,000,000.

SECTION 17. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. HIGHER EDUCATION GRANTS FUND ACCOUNT SET-ASIDE. Immediately upon the effective date of this act, the Director of the Department of Higher Education shall set-aside in reserve twenty million dollars (\$20,000,000), or so much thereof as is available, of the un-obligated balance in the Department of Higher Education Grants Fund Account, for the sole purpose of funding lottery scholarship and grant programs administered by the department in the event the department determines that less than a sufficient amount of moneys are available from the net lottery proceeds to fund such scholarships or grants or both.

Any moneys set-aside in the Department of Higher Education Grants Fund Account that are utilized to fund scholarships or grants or both as authorized herein shall be reimbursed by the Arkansas Lottery Commission from the net lottery proceeds and credited to the Department of Higher Education Grants Fund Account.

SECTION 18. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS CONTINGENCY APPROPRIATION TRANSFER. In the event the Director of the Department of Higher Education determines that the dollar amount of scholarships or grants or both committed by the Department of Higher Education makes it necessary for the Director to request approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State to transfer an amount of appropriation from the Scholarships and Grants Contingency Appropriation authorized in this act, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall, upon recommendation of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee and review by the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee, transfer on his or her books and those of the State Treasurer and Auditor of State the amount of appropriation from the Scholarships and Grants Contingency Appropriation to the appropriate scholarship or grant, or both, appropriation authorized by this act."

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 291** was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 291

JBC 03/26/09(1)

Amend **Senate Bill No. 291** as engrossed, S3/23/09:

Page 2, line 4, delete "1,618,030" and substitute "5,118,030"

And

Page 2, line 19, delete "15,316,744" and substitute "15,623,079"

And

Page 2, line 29, delete "137,000" and substitute "227,000"

And

Page 2, line 34, delete "6,093,500" and substitute "7,475,840"

And

Page 2, line 35, delete "158,642,907" and substitute "161,071,480"

And

Page 3, line 1, delete "23,079,074" and substitute "23,279,850"

And

Page 3, line 4, delete "13,516,231" and substitute "15,188,254"

And

Page 3, line 17, delete "780,000" and substitute "1,027,858"

And

Page 3, delete line 27 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(65) YOUTH SHELTERS	165,000
(66) COORDINATED SCHOOL HEALTH	3,000,000
(67) SCHOOL FACILITY JOINT USE SUPPORT	1,000,000
(68) SMART CORE INCENTIVE FUNDING PROGRAM	<u>3,000,000</u>

And

Page 3, line 28, delete "\$2,598,705,721" and substitute "\$2,615,533,626"

And

Add the following new SECTIONS immediately following SECTION 5 to read as follows:

"SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - SUPPLEMENTAL - AT RISK. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education, to be payable from the Department of Education Public School Fund Account, for At Risk Program grants and aid to local school districts by the Department of Education which shall be supplemental and in addition to those funds appropriated in Section 1, of Act 229 of 2007, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009
(01) AT RISK	<u>\$ 3,500,000</u>

SECTION 7. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUNDING TRANSFER. On the effective date of this act the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall transfer on his books and those of the State Treasurer and the State Auditor, the sum of seven million dollars (\$7,000,000) from the General Revenue Allotment Reserve Fund to the Department of Education Public School Fund Account. The amount transferred shall be made available by the Department of Education during the 2009-2010 fiscal year to provide additional funding for expansion of the College Preparatory Enrichment Program."

And

Page 10, line 9, delete "ten" and substitute "one hundred"

And

Page 10, line 9, delete "(\$10,000)" and substitute "(\$100,000)"

And

Page 10, line 11, delete "one hundred thirty ~~two~~ seven" and substitute "~~one hundred thirty two~~ two hundred twenty-seven"

And

Page 10, line 12, delete "(\$137,000)" and substitute "(\$227,000)"

And

Delete SECTION 31 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 33. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2009 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided; with the exception that SECTION 6 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2009, with the exception that SECTION 6 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval, could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision

of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2009; with the exception that SECTION 6 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval."

And

Appropriately renumber the SECTIONS of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 298

JBC 03/26/09(71)

Amend Senate Bill No. 298 as engrossed, S2/23/09:

Page 3, line 30, delete "\$ 0" and substitute "\$ 2,200,000"
And

Page 4, line 1, delete "\$ 490,255,904" and substitute "\$ 492,455,904"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 417** was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 5.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 5 to SENATE BILL NO. 417

JBC 03/26/09(1)

Amend **Senate Bill No. 417** as engrossed, S3/25/09:

Following Section 17, insert a new section:

" SECTION 18. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. UAMS - CENTER FOR DENTAL EDUCATION. There is hereby established a new center in Arkansas for Dental Education in cooperation with the University of Tennessee Dental School, the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences and Arkansas Children's Hospital. The Center Shall be known as the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences Center for Dental Education.

The Center will facilitate the continued development of dental education, its specialties and services for the citizens of Arkansas.

No appropriation is requested at this time and UAMS will not assume responsibility for its funding until such time as the General Assembly appropriates and funds the Center."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 418** was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 418

JBC 03/26/09(1)

Amend **Senate Bill No. 418** as engrossed, S3/10/09:

Page 11, line 11, delete the underline

AND

Page 11, delete line 12 and insert therefore:

"(06) HEMINGWAY-PFEIFER HOUSE,	
TENANT FARMERS MUSEUM,	
LAKEPORT PLANTATION, AND	
THE HERITAGE CENTER EXPENSES	350,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 65,678,281"</u>

AND

Page 11, delete line 22 and insert therefore:

"(1) JONESBORO CAMPUS	\$63,084,200"
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AND

Page 11, delete line 24 and insert therefore:

" TOTAL AMOUNT ALLOCATED	<u>\$65,678,281"</u>
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AND

Following SECTION 5, insert a new section:

" SECTION 6. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. Any additional funds received by ASU - Jonesboro may be utilized to fund the appropriation authorized for Hemingway-Pfeifer House, Tenant Farmers Museum, Lakeport Plantation, and the Heritage Center expenses.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, [Senate Bill No. 478](#) was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
[Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 478](#)

Amend [Senate Bill No. 478](#) as engrossed, S3/3/09:

Page 1, line 28, between the words "updates," and "equipment" insert "operations, personal services, construction, renovations, furnishings, capital outlay, maintenance,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

[Senate Bill No. 478](#) was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, [Senate Bill No. 630](#) was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
[Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 630](#)

Amend [Senate Bill No. 630](#) as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 29, delete "\$500,000" and substitute "\$2,000,000"

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 630 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 488** was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 488

JBC 03/26/09(74)

Amend **Senate Bill No. 488** as engrossed, S2/26/09:

Add Representatives Ragland and King as co-sponsors

AND

Page 1, line 11, between the words "FOR" and "CONSTRUCTION", insert "PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATIONS,"

AND

Page 1, line 12, between the words "CENTER" and "AND", insert ", VARIOUS CAMPUSES, THE AGRICULTURE AND RODEO PROGRAM,"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT FOR THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE - CAMPUS CENTER, VARIOUS CAMPUSES, AGRICULTURE/RODEO PROGRAM EXPENSES, AND CAMPUS TOWER ENERGY UPGRADES GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 32 and 33 entirely and substitute:

" (B) For construction, renovation, equipment, acquisition, furnishing, personal services, maintenance and operations expenses of the Searcy county campuses, the sum of \$50,000.

(C) For personal services, operations and equipment acquisition expenses of the Northark Agriculture and Rodeo Program, the sum of \$25,000."

AND

Insert a new section following Section 1:

" SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - CASH FUNDS - AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT. There is hereby appropriated, to the North Arkansas College, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the North Arkansas College, for the Center Campus Tower - HVAC Energy Efficiency Upgrades of the North Arkansas College for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01) CENTER CAMPUS TOWER - HVAC ENERGY EFFICIENCY UPGRADES	<u>\$ 2,000,000"</u>

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 488 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

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

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering **Senate Bill No. 246** at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 246** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 246
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 246 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 246**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 246 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering **Senate Bill No. 643** at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 643** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 643
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 643 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total	34
NEGATIVE:	
Total	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.	
Total	1
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total	0
Total number of votes cast	34
Necessary to the passage of the bill	27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 643**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 643 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Madison and without objection, the Governor requested to return **Senate Bill No. 77** for further consideration.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering **Senate Bill No. 671** at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 671** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 671
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 117 OF 2009, THE ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - AND ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 671 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 671**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 671 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering **Senate Bill No. 710** at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 710** was called up for third reading and final disposition.

**SENATE BILL NO. 710
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES**

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1242 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 710 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast34

Necessary to the passage of the bill27

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

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to **Senate Bill No. 710**, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

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

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total34

NEGATIVE:

Total0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 710 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 27, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 27, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Resolution 013

- Senate Bill 003 - **ACT 651**
- Senate Bill 054 - **ACT 652**
- Senate Bill 064 - **ACT 653**
- Senate Bill 072 - **ACT 654**
- Senate Bill 073 - **ACT 655**
- Senate Bill 093 - **ACT 656**
- Senate Bill 140 - **ACT 657**
- Senate Bill 192 - **ACT 658**
- Senate Bill 353 - **ACT 659**
- Senate Bill 379 - **ACT 660**
- Senate Bill 396 - **ACT 661**
- Senate Bill 412 - **ACT 662**
- Senate Bill 413 - **ACT 663**
- Senate Bill 414 - **ACT 664**
- Senate Bill 415 - **ACT 665**

Senate Bill 420 - ACT 666
Senate Bill 421 - ACT 667
Senate Bill 422 - ACT 668
Senate Bill 423 - ACT 669
Senate Bill 424 - ACT 670
Senate Bill 425 - ACT 671
Senate Bill 446 - ACT 672
Senate Bill 447 - ACT 673
Senate Bill 493 - ACT 674
Senate Bill 494 - ACT 675
Senate Bill 663 - ACT 676
Senate Bill 767 - ACT 677
Senate Bill 773 - ACT 678
Senate Bill 780 - ACT 679
Senate Bill 810 - ACT 680
Senate Bill 830 - ACT 681
Senate Bill 836 - ACT 682
Senate Bill 878 - ACT 683
Senate Bill 961 - ACT 684
Senate Bill 437 - ACT 688
Senate Bill 143 - ACT 689

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 30, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 30, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill 038 - **ACT 693**

Senate Bill 841 - **ACT 694**

Senate Bill 875 - **ACT 695**

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 26
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN AND YOUTH CONDUCT AN INTERIM STUDY ON THE ISSUE OF GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN AND THE FEASIBILITY OF PROVIDING A SUBSIDY TO LOW TO MODERATE INCOME GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN.

Senate Resolution No. 26. was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

Senate BILL NO. 839, BY SENATOR SALMON,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Upon motion of Senator Salmon, **Senate Bill No. 839** was re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

SENATE BILL NO. 932, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 938, BY SENATORS D. JOHNSON AND SALMON

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1485, REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS ET AL,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, **House Bill No. 1485** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1706, REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1706 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 776 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 776 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 847 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 847 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Senate Bill No. 41 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 87 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 144 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 567 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 744 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 746 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 399 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 410 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 464 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 702 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 786 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 788 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 801 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 882 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 942 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 526 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 163 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 165 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 190 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 243 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 373 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 769 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 781 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 785 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 809 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 819 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 923 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 936 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 937 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 975 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 1001 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

House Bill 1852, BY REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 918 BY SENATOR SALMON

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

House Bill 2114, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK,
House Bill 2170, BY REPRESENTATIVE CARNINE,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill 958, BY SENATOR CAPPS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE
VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

Senate BILL NO. 205, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 291, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 298, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 417, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 418, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 478, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 630, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 205** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 291** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 298** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 417** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 418** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 478** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, **Senate Bill No. 630** was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

**ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION**

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

Senate BILL NO. 488, BY SENATORS J. KEY AND LAVERTY,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

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

House BILL NO. 1984, BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN,

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

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 402, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE
VICE CHAIRMAN

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1079
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1079 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1448
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS COMMISSION FOR THE NEWBORN UMBILICAL CORD BLOOD INITIATIVE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1448 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1486
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS FOR THE EMERGENCY SHELTER VOUCHER PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1486 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1574
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS, T. ROGERS, CASH & BAIRD
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES, GRANTS AND OTHER ASSOCIATED COSTS OF THE ARKANSAS CIVIL WAR SESQUICENTENNIAL PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1574 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1615
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

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

House Bill No. 1615 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1616
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION FOR THE NEWBORN UMBILICAL CORD BLOOD INITIATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1616 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1617
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR COMMUNICATION CENTER TECHNOLOGY GRANTS, TRUNKING RADIO SYSTEM GRANTS, AND MOBILE DATA COMPUTER SYSTEMS GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1617 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1618
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

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

House Bill No. 1618 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1639
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS, CARNINE & HOUSE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR BUILDING AND PARKING LOT REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS AND TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1639 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1651
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

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

House Bill No. 1651 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1652
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS VILLAGE AND CONFERENCE CENTER CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1652 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1657
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, M. BURRIS, SAMPLE & SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND THE ARTS FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, MAJOR MAINTENANCE, PROFESSIONAL FEES & SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1657 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1669
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WORD, BLOUNT, RAINEY & WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR CONSTRUCTING, RENOVATING AND ASSOCIATED COST FOR EXPANSION OF THE LIBRARY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1669 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1670
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WORD, BLOUNT, RAINEY & WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

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

House Bill No. 1670 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1689
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING PRODUCTION REBATES FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1689 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1697
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE FOR THE LONOKE FARM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1697 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1698
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE DONALD REYNOLDS INSTITUTE ON AGING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1698 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1699
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS CEMETERY BOARD FOR CEMETERY MAINTENANCE AND RESTORATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1699 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1702
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHELBY AND REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE INSTITUTE ON AGING - DRIVING SIMULATOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1702 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1708
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE PURCHASE OF DRAGON TECHNOLOGY FOR MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTION OF THE JAMES L. DENNIS DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1708 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1709
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR JAMES L. DENNIS DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATIONS EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1709 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1718
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DAVENPORT & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR PORTABLE DOPPLER ECHOCARDIOGRAM EQUIPMENT FOR THE INSTITUTE ON AGING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1718 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1757
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

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

House Bill No. 1757 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1758
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVERETT, COOK, COOPER & DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OZARKA COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1758 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1759
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

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

House Bill No. 1759 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1765
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR GRANTS FOR RESTORATION, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING OF ARKANSAS'S BLACK BAPTIST INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1765 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1766
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - INSTITUTE ON AGING FOR TELEMEDICINE EQUIPMENT FOR NURSING HOME PATIENT CONSULTS AND EVALUATIONS BY PHYSICIANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1766 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1767
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING OF JOB TRAINING PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1767 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1768
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FOR DEVELOPMENT OF A STUDENT SUCCESS AND WORKFORCE RESOURCE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1768 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1779
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR GRANTS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT FOR ADULT EDUCATION AND SENIOR CLINIC SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1779 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1809
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GREENBERG AND PIERCE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR EXPENSES OF AN INPATIENT CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND FOR THE PSYCHIATRIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1809 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1810
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - PARTNERS FOR INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES FOR THE SICKLE CELL ANEMIA TASK FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1810 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1811
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - PARTNERS FOR INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES FOR SICKLE CELL ANEMIA OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1811 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1815
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAINEY & WORD
BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS & CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR 1890 RESEARCH AND EXTENSION PROGRAMS MATCHING FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1815 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1818
As Engrossed: H3/24/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR DAIRY STABILIZATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1818 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1829
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1829 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1963
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, RAGLAND, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, GEORGE, HOYT, LINDSEY, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, REEP, REYNOLDS, WELLS, WILLIAMS & WORD
BY: SENATORS CAPPS, B. JOHNSON, ALTES, G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, ELLIOTT, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LUKER, MADISON, P. MALONE, SALMON, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY & WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RISK CAPITAL MATCHING FUND ACT OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1963 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1172
As Engrossed H2/5/09 H3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES R. GREEN & J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO HELP REDUCE CIGARETTE LITTER IN ARKANSAS BY PROVIDING AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A BUSINESS THAT PURCHASES A CIGARETTE RECEPTACLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1172 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1378

As Engrossed: H2/24/09 H3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KING, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, M. MARTIN, MCCRARY, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WOODS & WORD

BY: SENATORS G. BAKER, BROADWAY, ELLIOTT, D. JOHNSON, TEAGUE, D. WYATT, BLEDSOE, MILLER, B. JOHNSON & J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INCOME TAX RELIEF TO HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD TAXPAYERS WITH TWO OR MORE DEPENDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1378 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1555
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BETTS & COOK
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY STUDENT GROWTH FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1555 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1581
As Engrossed: H3/24/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS, HARRELSON & SAUNDERS
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ENHANCE SAFE AND RESPONSIBLE PASSENGER TRANSPORTATION OF CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1581 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1606
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY FOR EDUCATION SERVICE COOPERATIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1606 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1745
As Engrossed: H3/19/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO MAKE A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE OF PRACTICING AS A COUNSELOR WITHOUT A LICENSE A CLASS D FELONY; TO CREATE A CIVIL PENALTY FOR PRACTICING AS A COUNSELOR WITHOUT A LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1745 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1746

As Engrossed: H3/11/09 H3/13/09 H3/16/09 H3/24/09 H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS, WILLS, HOYT, WEBB & DALE

BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON & STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO CREATE THE TASK FORCE ON WATER SOURCE PROTECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1746 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1859

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY & BLOUNT

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS & BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS AND PROCEDURES RELATING TO CODE OF ETHICS PROCEEDINGS OF THE PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE STANDARDS BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1859 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1927
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD TO DISCIPLINE PHYSICIANS FOR ETHICAL VIOLATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1927 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1940
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 RELATED TO SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1940 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1951
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE MASSAGE THERAPY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1951 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1956
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PROJECT GRADUATION COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1956 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1959
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY, BARNETT, BETTS, T. BRADFORD,
BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, J. BURRIS, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARTER, COOK, L.
COWLING, DALE, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, HOPPER, D.
HUTCHINSON, LINDSEY, RAGLAND, REEP, J. ROGERS, SAUNDERS,
SLINKARD, SUMMERS, TYLER, B. WILKINS & WOODS
BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BROADWAY,
BRYLES, CRUMBLY, HENDREN, G. JEFFRESS, SALMON, STEELE & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS
FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL END-OF-COURSE ASSESSMENTS; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1959 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1986
As Engrossed: H3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK AND HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR ALTERNATIVE
METHODS FOR PROVIDING TESTIMONY UNDER SUBPOENA FROM A STATE
AGENCY; TO PROVIDE A METHOD TO CHALLENGE A SUBPOENA; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1986 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the
second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES &
GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1995
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GIVE THE SELLER OF A MANUFACTURED HOME PARK AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A SALE OF THE MANUFACTURED HOME PARK TO A RESIDENT BUYER'S ASSOCIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1995 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1999
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CREDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1999 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2004

As Engrossed: H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOPPER, *BETTS, COOK, J. EDWARDS, D.*

HUTCHINSON & STEWART

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ELIMINATE THE REQUIREMENT THAT MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL GUARD OR RESERVE WHO ARE TEACHERS OR ADMINISTRATORS PAY FOR THE COST OF A SUBSTITUTE EMPLOYEE WHEN THE MEMBER IS ON MILITARY LEAVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2004 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2011

As Engrossed: H3/13/09 H3/19/09 H3/24/09 H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS, RAINEY, M. MARTIN, *MOORE, WEBB,*

GARNER, HOUSE, PENNARTZ, GLIDEWELL & RAGLAND

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CYBERINFRASTRUCTURE TASK FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2011 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2045
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.

House Bill No. 2045 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2066
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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

House Bill No. 2066 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2071
As Engrossed: H3/17/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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 TO THE BUYER AN INTEREST IN THE MINERAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE REAL PROPERTY UNTIL THE REAL PROPERTY IS CONVEYED BY DEED OR UNLESS AGREED OTHERWISE IN WRITING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2071 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2163
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.*

House Bill No. 2163 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2191
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.

House Bill No. 2191 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2208
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.

House Bill No. 2208 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2244
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.

House Bill No. 2244 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2250
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.

House Bill No. 2250 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2266
 EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 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.

House Bill No. 2266 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1582
As Engrossed: H3/20/09
 EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS AND SAUNDERS
 BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CITY AND COUNTY TAXES ON AVIATION FUEL BE REMITTED DIRECTLY TO THE PUBLICLY-OWNED AIRPORT WHERE THE AVIATION FUEL WAS SOLD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1582 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1713
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PENALTY CLASSIFICATION FOR INDECENT EXPOSURE FOR A PERSON IN A POSITION OF TRUST OR AUTHORITY OVER THE VICTIM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1713 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1796
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ALTERNATIVE ENERGY COMMISSION; TO STUDY THE NEEDS AND IMPACTS OF VARIOUS FORMS OF ALTERNATIVE ENERGY ON THE ECONOMIC FUTURE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1796 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2057
 EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION
 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.

House Bill No. 2057 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2105
As Engrossed: H3/12/09
 EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
 REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, NIX, B. WILKINS, HOBBS, G. SMITH, KERR, LEA, DALE, BETTS, PENNARTZ, CARNINE, STEWART, GASKILL, COOK, D. HUTCHINSON, POWERS, WEBB, J. DICKINSON, CARROLL, BREEDLOVE, HARRELSON, MCLEAN, MCCRARY, WAGNER, DUNN, BARNETT, CASH, PYLE, M. BURRIS, GLIDEWELL, SLINKARD, T. ROGERS, SHELBY, ABERNATHY, EVERETT, INGRAM, BAIRD, HYDE, RICE, J. EDWARDS, R. GREEN, HOUSE, D. CREEKMORE, BLOUNT, ADCOCK, PIERCE, DAVIS, L. SMITH, RAINEY, J. BROWN, KIDD, PERRY, OVERBEY, LOVELL, T. BAKER
 BY: SENATORS GLOVER & P. MALONE

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.

House Bill No. 2105 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2195
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
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.

House Bill No. 2195 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2224

As Engrossed: H3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

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 CLARIFY CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS FOR PERMITS AND INSPECTIONS OF FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS; TO ENSURE THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE PUBLIC; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2224 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2260

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

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.

House Bill No. 2260 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2265

As Engrossed: H3/27/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES NICKELS, CARTER & 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.

House Bill No. 2265 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2274

As Engrossed: H3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTIVE HEAD OF THE ARKANSAS FORESTRY COMMISSION TO APPOINT AN INSTITUTIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2274 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSEAS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 246
SENATE BILL NO. 342
SENATE BILL NO. 440
SENATE BILL NO. 643
SENATE BILL NO. 671
SENATE BILL NO. 710
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SENATE BILL NO. 871
SENATE BILL NO. 876
SENATE BILL NO. 921
SENATE BILL NO. 980
SENATE BILL NO. 1005

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1808

HOUSE BILL NO. 1881

HOUSE BILL NO. 1996

HOUSE BILL NO. 2007

HOUSE BILL NO. 2014

HOUSE BILL NO. 2201

HOUSE BILL NO. 2230

HOUSE BILL NO. 2256

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1256 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL NO. 1273 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL NO. 1680 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL NO. 1848 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL NO. 1990 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED

TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1023

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS REQUESTED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1393

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 41
SENATE BILL NO. 87
SENATE BILL NO. 144
SENATE BILL NO. 163
SENATE BILL NO. 165
SENATE BILL NO. 190
SENATE BILL NO. 243
SENATE BILL NO. 373
SENATE BILL NO. 399
SENATE BILL NO. 410
SENATE BILL NO. 464
SENATE BILL NO. 526
SENATE BILL NO. 567
SENATE BILL NO. 702
SENATE BILL NO. 744
SENATE BILL NO. 746
SENATE BILL NO. 769
SENATE BILL NO. 781
SENATE BILL NO. 785
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SENATE BILL NO. 801
SENATE BILL NO. 809
SENATE BILL NO. 819
SENATE BILL NO. 882
SENATE BILL NO. 923
SENATE BILL NO. 936
SENATE BILL NO. 937
SENATE BILL NO. 942
SENATE BILL NO. 975
SENATE BILL NO. 1001

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL 776 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILL 847 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO 1079

HOUSE BILL NO 1172

HOUSE BILL NO 1378

HOUSE BILL NO 1448

HOUSE BILL NO 1486

HOUSE BILL NO 1555

HOUSE BILL NO 1574

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On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday,
March 31, 2009.

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE