

**THIRTY-FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS  
HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

Little Rock, Arkansas  
February 11, 2015

The House was called to order at 1:33 p.m. by Mr. Gillam, the Speaker. The following members answered to the roll call:

C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, Michael Gray, Michelle Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, Mayberry, McElroy, McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Miller, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, Whitaker, Womack, Wright, Mr. Speaker.

Total .....99

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

Total .....1

A quorum was present.

Unanimous leave was granted for Representative(s) Gates.

The House stood and was led in prayer by House Chaplain, Reverend Tim Noel, Pastor, Trinity Baptist Church, Searcy, Arkansas.

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

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

COMMITTEE REPORT

	February 11, 2015
AGING, CHILDREN AND YOUTH, LEGISLATIVE AND MILITARY AFFAIRS	GEORGE MCGILL CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1007 BY REPRESENTATIVE LOVE	DO PASS
SENATE BILL NO. 210 BY SENATOR INGRAM	DO PASS

COMMITTEE REPORT

	February 11, 2015
AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	DAN DOUGLAS CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 1214 BY REPRESENTATIVE EUBANKS	DO PASS AS AMENDED #2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1278 BY REPRESENTATIVE SABIN	DO PASS AS AMENDED #1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1350 BY REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD	DO PASS

COMMITTEE REPORT

	February 11, 2015
CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS	BETTY OVERBEY CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 1106 BY REPRESENTATIVE WRIGHT	DO PASS
HOUSE BILL NO. 1246 BY REPRESENTATIVE L. FITE	DO PASS
HOUSE BILL NO. 1249 BY REPRESENTATIVE BAINE	DO PASS
HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1014 BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY	DO PASS
SENATE BILL NO. 138 BY SENATOR FILES	DO PASS
SENATE BILL NO. 202 BY SENATOR HESTER	DO PASS

COMMITTEE REPORT

	February 11, 2015
INSURANCE AND COMMERCE	CHARLIE COLLINS CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 1053	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1244	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE RUSHING	

COMMITTEE REPORT

	February 11, 2015
INSURANCE AND COMMERCE	REGINALD MURDOCK VICE CHAIRPERSON
SENATE BILL NO. 197	DO PASS
BY SENATOR COOPER	

COMMITTEE REPORT

	February 11, 2015
RULES	JOHN VINES CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 1234	DO PASS
BY REPRESENTATIVE BALTZ	AS AMENDED #1

COMMITTEE REPORT

	February 11, 2015
JOINT BUDGET	LANE JEAN CHAIRPERSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 1138	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1144	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1285	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1286	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	

COMMITTEE REPORT, CONTINUED

## JOINT BUDGET

HOUSE BILL NO. 1287	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1288	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1289	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1295	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1296	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1297	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1299	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1300	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1301	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1302	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1303	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1304	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1305	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1306	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1307	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1316	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1317	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	
HOUSE BILL NO. 1318	DO PASS
BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE	

COMMITTEE REPORT, CONTINUED

## JOINT BUDGET

HOUSE BILL NO. 1319 DO PASS  
 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1320 DO PASS  
 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

Upon motion of Representative D. Douglas, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1309** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1309

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1309** as originally introduced:  
 Add Senator Maloch as a cosponsor of the bill

/s/ Dan Douglas

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

/s/ Sherri Stacks  
 Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Womack, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1158** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1158

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1158** as engrossed,  
 H2/3/15 (version: 02/03/2015 9:05:31 AM):  
 Page 2, line 14, delete "compelling", and substitute "important"  
 AND  
 Page 3, line 29, delete "a compelling", and substitute "an important"  
 AND  
 Page 3, line 32, delete "compelling", and substitute "important"

AND

Page 3, line 36, delete "perform for compensation", and substitute "use the title  
licensed" in performing"

AND

Page 4, line 22, delete "a compelling", and substitute "an important"

AND

Page 4, line 25, delete "compelling", and substitute "important"

AND

Page 4, delete line 31, and substitute the following:

"duty on the person performing the occupation.

(e) A decision in a judicial or administrative proceeding on the validity of a  
defense asserted under this section applies only to the person who asserted the  
defense."

AND

Page 5, line 5, delete "compelling", and substitute "important"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 14 through 16, and substitute the following:

"This chapter applies only to private individuals and does not affect or  
impair a government's authority to prescribe occupational regulations with respect  
to a government contract for a person who seeks payment from the government for  
the provisions of goods, services, or both, including without limitation a government  
contractor, a government subcontractor, and a foster parent."

/s/ Richard Womack

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

/s/ Sherri Stacks  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative D. Ferguson, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1267** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1267**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1267** as originally introduced:  
Page 1, line 32, delete "odd-numbered" and substitute "even-numbered"

/s/ Deborah Ferguson

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

/s/ Sherri Stacks  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Ballinger, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1228** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1228**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1228** as originally introduced:  
Page 2, line 1, delete "burdens" and substitute "substantially burdens"  
AND

Page 2, line 4, delete "burdened" and substitute "substantially burdened"  
AND

Page 2, delete lines 9 through 36, and substitute the following:

"16-123-403. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "Compelling governmental interest" means a governmental interest of the highest magnitude that cannot otherwise be achieved without burdening the exercise of religion;

(2) "Exercise of religion" means the practice or observance of religion including without limitation the ability to act or refuse to act in a manner substantially motivated by a person's sincerely held religious beliefs, whether or not the exercise is compulsory or central to a larger system of religious belief;

(3) "Government entity" means:

(A) A branch, department, agency, board, commission, or other instrumentality of:

(i) State government; or

(ii) A political subdivision of the state, including without limitation a city or county; or

(B) An official or other person acting under color of state law;

(4) "Person" means an individual, association, partnership, corporation, church, religious institution, estate, trust, foundation, or other legal entity;

(5) "Prevails" means to obtain prevailing party status as defined by courts construing the federal Civil Rights Attorney's Fees Awards Act of 1976, 42 U.S.C. § 1988;

(6) "State action" means the implementation or application of any law, including without limitation state and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, and policies, whether statutory or otherwise, or other action by the state or any political subdivision thereof and any local government, municipality, instrumentality, or public official authorized by law in the state; and

(7)(A) "Substantial burden" means to prevent, inhibit, or curtail religiously-motivated practice consistent with a sincerely held religious belief.

(B) "Substantial burden" includes an indirect burden, including without limitation withholding benefits, assessing penalties, or an exclusion from programs or access to facilities."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 11

AND

Page 3, delete lines 14 through 17, and substitute the following:

"A state action shall not substantially burden a person's right to exercise of religion, even if the substantial burden results from a rule of general applicability, unless it is demonstrated that applying the substantial burden to the person's exercise of religion in this particular instance:"

AND

Page 3, line 25, delete "burden" and substitute "substantially burden"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 5 and substitute:

"(a) Regardless of whether the state or one of its political subdivisions is a party to the proceeding, a person whose exercise of religion has been substantially burdened, or is likely to be substantially burdened, in violation of § 16-123-404, may

assert the violation or impending violation as a claim or defense in a judicial or administrative proceeding."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 15 and 16 and substitute:

"The Department of Correction, the Department of Community Correction, a county jail, and a detention facility are exempt from this subchapter."

/s/ Bob Ballinger

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

/s/ Sherri Stacks  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Bell, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1087** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1087**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1087** as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 9 and substitute the following:

"ACCOUNTS OF CURRENT AND PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYEES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND:

AND

Page 1, delete line 16 and substitute the following:

"EMPLOYEES; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY."

AND

Page 1, delete line 21 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 11-2-124(a)(2), concerning definitions for social media accounts of current and prospective employees, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) "Employer" means a person or entity engaged in business, an industry, a profession, a trade, or other enterprise in the state or a unit of state or local government, including without limitation an agent, representative, or designee of the employer.

(B) "Employer" does not include:

(i) An entity responsible for the care and supervision of minors, including schools, daycares, summer camps, and other similar programs; or

(ii) An entity whose purpose includes the advancement of a particular religion, including a church or other similar organization with a stated purpose of promoting a particular religion or a particular set of religious beliefs; and

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 11-2-124(b)(1), concerning social media"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 24 through 36 and substitute the following:

current or prospective employee to:

(A) Disclose his or her username and password to the current or prospective employee's social media account; or

~~(B) Add an employee, supervisor, or administrator to the list of contacts associated with his or her social media account; or~~

~~(C)~~(B) Change the privacy settings associated with his or her social media account.

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 24 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that many employers serving vulnerable populations that depend on organized summer activities such as summer camps are already engaged in hiring summer workers; and that this act is immediately necessary to ensure that employers serving vulnerable populations complete the summer hiring process in time to fully staff programs for vulnerable populations. 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."

/s/ Nate Bell

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

/s/ Sherri Stacks  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative D. Whitaker, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1284** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1284**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1284** as originally introduced:  
Page 1, line 23, delete "name, age," and substitute "date of birth, home"

/s/ David Whitaker

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

/s/ Sherri Stacks  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Ballinger, **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1003** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1003**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1003** as originally introduced:  
Page 2, line 6, delete "EIGHTY-NINTH" and substitute "NINETIETH"

/s/ Bob Ballinger

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

/s/ Sherri Stacks  
Chief Clerk

Upon motion of Representative Ballinger, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1177** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 3 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1177**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1177** as engrossed,  
H2/5/15 (version: 02/05/2015 9:43:26 AM):

Add Representative Love as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete lines 14 through 22

AND

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

AND

Page 3, line 5, delete "hair follicle; or" and substitute "hair;"

AND

Page 3 delete line 7 and substitute the following:

"synthetic tape, keratin bonds, or fusion bonds; or

(iii) Embellishing or beautifying hair by cutting or  
singeing except as needed in the braiding process."

AND

Page 3, line 18, delete "licensing" and substitute "certification"

AND

Page 3, line 19, delete "(a)(1)" and substitute "(a)"

AND

Page 3, line 19, delete "practiced hair" and substitute "practiced natural hair"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "a hair" and substitute "a natural hair"

AND

Page 3, line 23, delete "(A)" and substitute "(1)"

AND

Page 3, line 24, delete "(B)" and substitute "(2)"

AND

Page 3, line 26, delete "(C)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 3, line 27, delete "practiced hair" and substitute "practiced natural hair"

AND

Page 3, line 28, delete "(D)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 3, line 30, delete "hair" and substitute "natural hair"

AND

Page 3, line 32, delete "for hair" and substitute "for natural hair"

AND

Page 4, line 1, delete "and administered"

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete "for hair" and substitute "for natural hair"

AND

Page 4, delete line 17 and substitute the following:

"every two (2) years.

(c) An individual may engage in natural hair braiding and operate an establishment where only natural hair braiding is practiced without obtaining natural hair braiding certification."

/s/ Bob Ballinger

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

/s/ Sherri Stacks  
Chief Clerk

## ENGROSSED BILL REPORTS

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JEREMY GILLIAM, CHAIRPERSON

February 11, 2015

The following bill(s) reported correctly engrossed:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1087 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE BELL  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1109 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1158 BY REPRESENTATIVE WOMACK  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1177 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE BALLINGER  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1228 BY REPRESENTATIVE BALLINGER  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1267 BY REPRESENTATIVE D. FERGUSON  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1284 BY REPRESENTATIVE D. WHITAKER  
 HOUSE BILL NO. 1309 - TITLE - BY REPRESENTATIVE D. DOUGLAS  
 HOUSE JOINT  
 RESOLUTION NO. 1003 BY REPRESENTATIVE BALLINGER

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1087

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE BELL

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING SOCIAL MEDIA *ACCOUNTS OF CURRENT AND PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYEES; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY;* AND: FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1177

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES BALLINGER, BENTLEY, RUSHING, WOMACK, VAUGHT, GONZALES, HARRIS, BROWN, GATES, HOUSE, M. HODGES, BELL, V. FLOWERS, WARDLAW, *LOVE*

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE NATURAL HAIR BRAIDING PROTECTION ACT; TO *EXEMPT CERTAIN HAIR* BRAIDING FROM THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE BILL ENGROSSED AS TITLE AMENDED  
HOUSE BILL NO. 1309

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. DOUGLAS

BY: *SENATOR MALOCH*

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE BRUCELLOSIS CONTROL AND ERADICATION PROGRAM; TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE BRUCELLOSIS CONTROL AND ERADICATION PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE FUNDING OF THE BRUCELLOSIS CONTROL AND ERADICATION PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1004

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. FITE

TO COMMEND TAIWAN AND THE STATE OF ARKANSAS FOR THEIR  
SISTER-STATE RELATIONSHIP AND TO ENCOURAGE ITS FURTHER  
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

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

Morning Hour Expired.

Upon motion of Representative Jean, **HOUSE BILL NO. 1109** was placed back on second reading for the purpose of amendment.

**AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1109**

Amend **HOUSE BILL NO. 1109** as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete line 5 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(05) BOOKS & SUBSCRIPTIONS	237,940
(06) PROMOTIONAL ITEMS	<u>    0</u> "

AND

Page 5, delete line 8 in its entirety and substitute the following:

" (02) GRANTS TO LIBRARIES	200,000
(03) PROMOTIONAL ITEMS	<u>    0</u> "

AND

Page 6, insert an additional SECTION immediately following SECTION 9 to read as follows:

" SECTION 10. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. PROMOTIONAL ITEMS. The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall establish upon request for the Department of Education - Arkansas State Library a special appropriation line item to be used in the acquisition of promotional items. When the Department of Education - Arkansas State Library wishes to transfer monies from its operating expenses appropriation to the promotional items line, the Arkansas State Library Board shall approve the request and forward it to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State for processing.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

/s/ Lane Jean

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

/s/ Sherri Stacks  
Chief Clerk

HOUSE BILL NO. 1062

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1062**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

**EMERGENCY CLAUSE**

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1088

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1088**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

EMERGENCY CLAUSE

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1089

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**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1089**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

EMERGENCY CLAUSE

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1090

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1090**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

**EMERGENCY CLAUSE**

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1099

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**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1099**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

**EMERGENCY CLAUSE**

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1102

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1102**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

**EMERGENCY CLAUSE**

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1108

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1108**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

EMERGENCY CLAUSE

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1124

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1124**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

EMERGENCY CLAUSE

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1146

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**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1146**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

EMERGENCY CLAUSE

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1153

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**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1153**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

**EMERGENCY CLAUSE**

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1167

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**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1167**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

**EMERGENCY CLAUSE**

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1170

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BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1170**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

**EMERGENCY CLAUSE**

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	97
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Miller, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	3
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	97
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	97
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1266

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**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

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

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Miller, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	98
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	2
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	98
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	98
Necessary to the passage of the bill .....	75

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

There being an Emergency Clause attached to **HOUSE BILL NO. 1266**, the Speaker ordered the clerk to call the roll upon the adoption of the Emergency Clause. The vote was as follows:

EMERGENCY CLAUSE

AFFIRMATIVE: C. Armstrong, E. Armstrong, Baine, Ballinger, Baltz, Beck, Bell, Bennett, Bentley, Blake, Boyd, Bragg, Branscum, Broadaway, Brown, Collins, Copeland, Cozart, Davis, Deffenbaugh, Della Rosa, Dotson, C. Douglas, D. Douglas, Drown, Eads, Eaves, Eubanks, Farrer, D. Ferguson, K. Ferguson, Fielding, C. Fite, L. Fite, V. Flowers, Gonzales, Gossage, M. Gray, M.J. Gray, Hammer, Harris, Henderson, K. Hendren, Hickerson, Hillman, G. Hodges, M. Hodges, Holcomb, House, Jean, Jett, Johnson, Ladyman, Lampkin, Leding, Lemons, Linck, Love, Lowery, Lundstrum, Magie, J. Mayberry, McElroy, G. McGill, McNair, D. Meeks, S. Meeks, Miller, Murdock, Neal, Nicks, B. Overbey, Payton, Petty, Pitsch, Ratliff, Richey, Richmond, Rushing, Sabin, Scott, Shepherd, B. Smith, Sorvillo, Speaks, Sturch, Sullivan, Talley, Tosh, Tucker, Vaught, Vines, Walker, Wallace, Wardlaw, D. Whitaker, Womack, Wright.

Total .....	98
NEGATIVE:	
Total .....	0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Gates, Mr. Speaker.	
Total .....	2
VOTING PRESENT:	
Total .....	0
Total number of votes cast.....	98
Total number voting in the affirmative .....	98
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause .....	67

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

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JEREMY GILLAM, SPEAKER

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Representative Jim Dotson, Co-Chairperson  
 Representative Clarke Tucker  
 Representative Charlie Collins

**FROM:** Representative Jeremy Gillam, Speaker of the House JG

**DATE:** February 11, 2015

**SUBJECT:** JOINT COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AND TAX POLICY

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In accordance with the provisions of A.C.A. 10-3-1401, I am, by this memorandum, appointing the three (3) of you, to serve on the Joint Committee on Economic and Tax Policy. I am appointing Representative Jim Dotson as Co-Chairperson.

Representative David L. Branscum, Chairperson, Legislative Council; Representative Lane Jean, Chairperson, Joint Budget; and Representative Joe Jett, Chairperson, Revenue and Taxation, will serve on the Committee by virtue of their positions.

I appreciate your willingness to serve and if there is some reason you cannot do so, please contact me or Kaye Donham at the Speaker's Office.

cc:

The Honorable Asa Hutchinson, Governor of Arkansas

The Honorable Mark Martin, Secretary of State

Senator Jonathan Dismang, President Pro Tempore of the Senate

Representative David L. Branscum, Co-Chairperson, Legislative Council

Senator Larry Teague, Co-Chairperson, Joint Budget

Representative Lane Jean, Co-Chairperson, Joint Budget

Senator Jake Files, Chairperson, Senate Revenue and Taxation

Representative Joe Jett, Chairperson, House Revenue and Taxation

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Richard Wilson, Assistant Director, Bureau of Legislative Research

## A.C.A. § 10-3-1401

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Title 10 General Assembly

Chapter 3 Committees

Subchapter 14 Office of Economic and Tax Policy

A.C.A. § 10-3-1401 (2015)

**10-3-1401. Joint Committee on Economic and Tax Policy -- Creation.**

**(a) (1)** There is hereby created the "Joint Committee on Economic and Tax Policy" which shall be composed of:

**(A)** The cochairs of the Legislative Council;

**(B)** The cochairs of the Joint Budget Committee;

**(C)** The Chair of the Senate Committee on Revenue and Taxation;

**(D)** The Chair of the House Committee on Revenue and Taxation;

**(E)** Three (3) members of the Senate appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, one (1) of whom shall be appointed Cochair of the Joint Committee on Economic and Tax Policy; and

**(F)** Three (3) members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, one (1) of whom shall be appointed Cochair of the Joint Committee on Economic and Tax Policy.

**(2)** The members shall be entitled to per diem and mileage, at the rates prescribed by law for members of interim committees of the General Assembly, to be paid from funds appropriated for paying per diem and mileage of interim committees.

**(b)** The Joint Committee on Economic and Tax Policy shall hear matters relating to the economic and revenue outlook of the state and information relating to the economic and fiscal impact of public policy measures, including the revenue forecasts as submitted by the Governor, and make such recommendations as it deems necessary.

**HISTORY:** Acts 1993, No. 1274, § 2; 1997, No. 1354, § 25; 2001, No. 160, § 1.

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 JEREMY GILLAM, SPEAKER

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Representative John T. Vines  
 Representative Matthew J. Shepherd  
**FROM:** Representative Jeremy Gillam, Speaker of the House    JG  
**DATE:** February 11, 2015  
**SUBJECT:** Arkansas Code Revision Commission

\*\*\*\*\*  
 In accordance with the provisions of A.C.A. 1-2-301 (copy enclosed), the Speaker of the House is directed to appoint two (2) members of the House of Representatives to serve on the Arkansas Code Revision Commission, for a term of two (2) years. Therefore, I am, by this letter appointing the two (2) of you to serve on this Commission.

If there is some reason you cannot serve, please let me or Kaye Donham know.

cc: The Honorable Asa Hutchinson, Governor of Arkansas  
 The Honorable Tim Griffin, Lieutenant Governor  
 The Honorable Mark Martin, Secretary of State  
 The Honorable Jonathan Dismang, President Pro Tempore of the Senate  
 Chief Justice Jim Hannah, Arkansas Supreme Court  
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## A.C.A. § 1-2-301

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Title 1 General Provisions

Chapter 2 The Code And Regulations

Subchapter 3 Arkansas Code Revision Commission

A.C.A. § 1-2-301 (2015)

**1-2-301. Creation -- Members.**

**(a) (1)** There is created within the legislative branch of government a commission to be known as the Arkansas Code Revision Commission.

**(2)** The commission shall consist of seven (7) voting members and four (4) nonvoting observer members.

**(b) (1)** The voting members shall be selected and appointed as follows:

**(A)** Two (2) members of the Senate appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate;

**(B)** Two (2) members of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives; and

**(C)** Three (3) members of the Bar of Arkansas appointed by the Supreme Court of Arkansas.

**(2) (A)** The nonvoting observer members shall be:

**(i)** The Dean of the School of Law of the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville or, if there is no such dean, the individual occupying the position of acting dean;

**(ii)** The Dean of the School of Law of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock or, if there is no such dean, the individual occupying the position of acting dean;

**(iii)** The Attorney General or his or her designee; and

**(iv)** The Director of the Bureau of Legislative Research or his or her designee.

**(B)** The nonvoting observer members of the commission shall be privileged to attend all meetings of the commission and shall enjoy the full rights of membership on the commission, including the right to discuss matters pending before the

commission and to participate in debate of issues before the commission, but shall not cast a vote on any issue pending before the commission.

(C) Each member appointed by the Supreme Court of Arkansas shall serve for a term of four (4) years, and each member appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall serve for a term of two (2) years.

(D) The appointing authorities shall have power to fill any vacancies occurring in the membership appointed by them.

(E) The commission shall meet and select a chair.

(F) (i) Nonlegislator members shall, to the extent funds are appropriated therefor, be eligible to receive reimbursement for mileage and reimbursement for expenses in accordance with § 25-16-902.

(ii) Legislator members shall be entitled to reimbursement for expenses and per diem at the same rate and from the same source as provided by law for members of the General Assembly attending meetings of interim committees.

**HISTORY:** Acts 1945, No. 50, §§ 1, 8; 1977, No. 665, § 1; 1983, No. 641, §§ 1, 3; A.S.A. 1947, §§ 1-300, 1-303; Acts 1997, No. 250, § 1; 1997, No. 533, § 1; 1999, No. 751, §§ 1, 2; 2001, No. 327, § 1.

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JEREMY GILLAM, SPEAKER

February 11, 2015

Representative Douglas House  
8923 Bridge Creek Road, CATO  
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501-590-1055

Dear Representative House:

The Arkansas Supreme Court's *per curiam* order creating the Committee on Court Security and Emergency Preparedness (copy enclosed) provides that the Speaker of the Arkansas House of Representatives is entitled to appoint a member one member of the House of Representatives to serve as a member of the Committee. Therefore, I am, by this letter, appointing you to serve on this Committee.

If there is some reason you cannot serve, please let me or Kaye Donham in the Speaker's Office know.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jeremy Gillam  
Speaker of the House

cc: The Honorable Jim Hannah, Chief Justice, Arkansas Supreme Court  
James D. Gingerich, Director, Administrative Office of the Courts  
Pete Hollingsworth, Director, Court Security and Emergency Preparedness  
Senator Jonathan Dismang, President Pro Tem of the Senate  
Robert E. Dale, House Chief of Staff  
Cecillea Pond-Mayo, House Information Officer

## SUPREME COURT OF ARKANSAS

No.

Opinion Delivered July 19, 2007

IN RE: ARKANSAS SUPREME  
COURT COMMITTEE ON  
SECURITY AND EMERGENCY  
PREPAREDNESS

## PER CURIAM

The Arkansas Task Force on Court Security was created to examine court security in Arkansas and to make recommendations to the Supreme Court. See *In re: Adoption of Recommendations from the Arkansas Task Force on Court Security*, \_\_\_\_ Ark. Appx. \_\_\_\_

(February 1, 2007). In February, we responded to certain of the recommendations submitted by the Task Force, including the adoption of minimum guidelines for court security and emergency preparedness, and discussed the current state of court security and the need for improvements.

*Id.* We are pleased to acknowledge the General Assembly's response to other recommendations of the Task Force in passing The Court Security Act (Act 576 of 2007), which created the Office of Security and Emergency Preparedness and the Director of Security and Emergency Preparedness within the Administrative Office of the Courts, created a court security grant program to provide funds to cities and counties to implement local security and emergency preparedness plans for circuit and district courts, and established standards for persons serving as court security officers.

One of the Task Force's recommendations, which was previously deferred, was the creation of the Supreme Court Committee on Security and Emergency Preparedness. The purpose of the committee is to recommend and evaluate uniform state policies on court security and emergency preparedness and assist local courts in drafting and implementing local plans. Today, we adopt this recommendation, create the Arkansas Supreme Court Committee on Security and Emergency Preparedness, and appoint the initial members. The structure of the committee is as follows:

**Arkansas Supreme Court Committee on Security and Emergency Preparedness**

A. The Arkansas Supreme Court Committee on Security and Emergency Preparedness shall consist of 17 voting members, appointed as provided herein. All subsequent appointments

of voting members shall be for a term of three years. A voting member may be

appointed to serve no more than two successive three-year terms.

B. Should any vacancy in the term of a voting member occur, the appropriate appointing authority shall appoint a successor voting member who shall serve the remainder of the term.

Any member whose term shall expire shall continue to serve until his or her successor is appointed.

C. The Arkansas Supreme Court shall appoint 15 members of the committee and the Speaker of the Arkansas House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Arkansas Senate shall each be entitled to appoint one member of their respective chambers to serve as members of the Committee.

The initial members of the committee and their terms of office are as follows:

Circuit Judge Jim Hudson of Texarkana (Chair) (September 30, 2010),

Sheriff Keith Bowers of Batesville (September 30, 2010),

Mr. Larry Burris, Chief Court Bailiff, of Fort Smith (September 30, 2008),

Hon. Sonny Cox, Arkansas County Judge (September 30, 2008),

Mr. Eddie Davis, Arkansas Supreme Court Police Chief (September 30, 2009),

Circuit Judge Tim Fox of Little Rock (September 30, 2008),

Ms. Pat Hannah of the Workers' Compensation Commission (September 30, 2009),

Hon. Mike Jacobs, Johnson County Judge (September 30, 2010),

Mr. David Maxwell, Director, Arkansas Department of Emergency Management (September 30, 2010),

Mayor James Morgan of White Hall (September 30, 2008),

Ms. Vicki Rima, Garland County Circuit Clerk (September 30, 2008),

District Court Judge David Saxon of Fort Smith (September 30, 2010),

Circuit Judge Hamilton Singleton of Camden (September 30, 2009),

Mayor Tommy Swaim of Jacksonville (September 30, 2009), and

District Court Judge Cheney Taylor of Batesville (September 30, 2009)

We thank each of these members for their willingness to serve as charter members of this undertaking. In addition to these members, we request the Speaker of the House and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate to appoint one member of their respective chambers to serve on the committee.

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JEREMY GILLAM, SPEAKER

**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Representative Camille Bennett  
**FROM:** Representative Jeremy Gillam, Speaker of the House JG  
**DATE:** February 11, 2015  
**SUBJECT:** Drug Court Advisory Committee

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 In accordance with the provisions of A.C.A. 16-98-307 (copy enclosed), I am by this memorandum, appointing you to serve on the Drug Court Advisory Committee.

If there is some reason you cannot serve, please let me or Kay Donham know.

cc: The Honorable Asa Hutchinson, Governor of Arkansas  
 The Honorable Mark Martin, Secretary of State  
 Senator Jonathan Dismang, President Pro Tempore of the Senate  
 The Honorable Jim Hannah, Chief Justice, Arkansas Supreme Court  
 James D. Gingerich, Director, Administrative Office of the Courts  
 The Honorable Robert Edwards, President, Arkansas Judicial Council  
 Sheila Sharp, Director, Department of Community Correction  
 John Selig, Director, Department of Human Services  
 Pam Dodson, Assistant Clinical Director, DHS, Division of Behavioral Services  
 Bob McMahan, Prosecutor Coordinator  
 Gregg Parrish, Executive Director, Arkansas Public Defender Commission  
 Steve Varady, Arkansas State Drug Director  
 Benny Magness, Chairperson, Board of Corrections  
 John Felts, Chairperson, Arkansas Parole Board  
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Title 16 Practice, Procedure, And Courts

Subtitle 6. Criminal Procedure Generally

Chapter 98 Treatment for Drug Abuse

Subchapter 3 Arkansas Drug Court Act

A.C.A. § 16-98-307 (2015)

**16-98-307. Drug Court Advisory Committee -- Creation.****(a)** There is created a Drug Court Advisory Committee.**(b)** The Drug Court Advisory Committee shall consist of the following members:**(1)** The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court or the Chief Justice's designee who shall serve as chair;**(2)** The Director of the Administrative Office of the Courts or the director's designee;**(3)** A judge to be appointed by the Arkansas Judicial Council;**(4)** The Director of the Department of Community Correction or the director's designee;**(5)** The Director of the Department of Human Services or the director's designee;**(6)** The Director of the Division of Behavioral Health Services or the director's designee;**(7)** A prosecutor appointed by the Prosecutor Coordinator;**(8)** A public defender appointed by the Executive Director of the Arkansas Public Defender Commission;**(9)** A member of the Senate appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate;**(10)** A member of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;**(11)** The Arkansas Drug Director or the director's designee;**(12)** The Chair of the Board of Corrections or the chair's designee; and**(13)** The Chair of the Parole Board or the chair's designee.**(c)** The chair or the chair's designee shall promptly call the first meeting after April

4, 2007.

**(d) (1)** The committee shall conduct its meetings at the State Capitol or at any place designated by the chair or the chair's designee.

**(2)** Meetings shall be held at least one (1) time every three (3) months but may occur more often at the call of the chair.

**(e)** If any vacancy occurs on the committee, the vacancy shall be filled by the same process as the original appointment.

**(f)** The committee shall establish rules and procedures for conducting its business.

**(g)** Members of the committee shall serve without compensation.

**(h)** A majority of the members of the committee shall constitute a quorum for transacting any business of the committee.

**(i) (1)** The committee is established to promote collaboration and provide recommendations on issues involving drug courts.

**(2)** The committee may provide advice and review on at least the following:

**(A)** Provisions to identify data to be collected for evaluation; and

**(B)** Provisions to ensure uniform data collection.

**HISTORY:** Acts 2007, No. 1022, § 5; 2011, No. 5, § 1; 2013, No. 1107, § 16.

HOUSE BILLS ORDERED TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1062	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1088	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1089	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1090	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1099	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1102	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1108	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1124	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1146	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1153	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1167	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1170	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1266	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

ARKANSAS SENATE

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE SENATE AS PASSED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1002	BY REPRESENTATIVE SABIN
HOUSE BILL NO. 1081	BY REPRESENTATIVE VINES
HOUSE BILL NO. 1101	BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
HOUSE BILL NO. 1118	BY REPRESENTATIVE B. OVERBEY
HOUSE BILL NO. 1191	BY REPRESENTATIVE COLLINS
HOUSE BILL NO. 1194	BY REPRESENTATIVE SPEAKS
HOUSE BILL NO. 1237	BY REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS CONCURRED IN  
AND RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1004	BY REPRESENTATIVE GILLAM
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ARKANSAS SENATE

SENATE BILLS RECEIVED FROM SENATE

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SENATE BILL NO. 7	BY SENATOR HICKEY
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1356

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE PITSCH

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCLUDE THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT WITHIN THE DEFINITION OF "CLAIMANT AGENCY" FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING A SETOFF AGAINST STATE TAX REFUNDS FOR DEBTS OWED TO THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1357

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE PITSCH**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO ENTER INTO AGREEMENTS TO EXCHANGE OR TRANSFER HIGHWAYS WITH COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL AUTHORITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1358**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE RATLIFF**

**BY: SENATOR B. PIERCE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY STATUTORY PROVISIONS RELATED TO THE ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS; TO CLARIFY REQUIREMENTS RELATED TO OATH OF OFFICE OF MEMBERS OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1359**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE JOHNSON**

**BY; SENATOR J. ENGLISH**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE TIME PERIOD OF DRIVER'S LICENSE VALIDITY AND CERTAIN ISSUANCE FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1360**

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES PAYTON, MILLER, LEDING, COLLINS, HILLMAN, GOSSAGE, C. ARMSTRONG, BALLINGER, BELL, DEFFENBAUGH, FARRER, HARRIS, LADYMAN, LEMONS, LOWERY, D. MEEKS, S. MEEKS, SCOTT, SULLIVAN, TOSH, WOMACK

BY: SENATOR IRVIN

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE NORTH CENTRAL ARKANSAS DISTRICT FAIR BOARD TO DETERMINE THE LOCATION OF THE NORTH CENTRAL ARKANSAS DISTRICT FAIR AND LIVESTOCK SHOW; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1361

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE HICKERSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING LEAVE FOR EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES; TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE UNIFORM ATTENDANCE AND LEAVE POLICY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1362

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHEPHERD

BY: SENATOR J. HUTCHINSON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE UNIFORM FIDUCIARY ACCESS TO DIGITAL ASSETS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1363

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BY: REPRESENTATIVES COPELAND, BENTLEY, M. GRAY, LEMONS, MILLER, PAYTON, RICHMOND, RUSHING, B. SMITH, SORVILLO, SPEAKS, WOMACK

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO NOTIFY ENROLLEES OF THE HEALTH CARE INDEPENDENCE PROGRAM OF ITS TERMINATION DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1364

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BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. DOUGLAS

BY: SENATOR RICE

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND OPPORTUNITIES FOR OLDER CITIZENS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE OLDER WORKER COMMUNITY SERVICE EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1365

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE VAUGHT**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN UNTIL 2017; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1366**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRANSCUM**

**BY: SENATOR B. PIERCE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO PROVISIONS OF LAW CONCERNING THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1367**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAMMER**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF DUES FOR VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1015**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE RATLIFF**

RECOGNIZING NATIONAL FFA WEEK.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1016**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE G. MCGILL**

TO RECOGNIZE THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROGRAM ON ITS 25TH ANNIVERSARY.

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1017**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE B. OVERBEY**

TO RECOGNIZE FEBRUARY 2015 AS CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION MONTH.

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

**HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1001**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHEPHERD, BAINE**

IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF FORMER NAVY SEAL JEREMY JASON WISE AND SERGEANT FIRST CLASS BENJAMIN BRIAN WISE, AND IN APPRECIATION OF THEIR SERVICE.

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

**HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1001**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVES JEAN, FIELDING, SHEPHERD**

**BY: SENATOR MALOCH**

IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF THOMAS ARCHIE MONROE AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO HIS COMMUNITY.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1006**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE BRANSCUM**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO DEFINE THE TERM "INFAMOUS CRIME" AS USED IN ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, ARTICLE 5, SECTION 9.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1007**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION REQUIRING THE PRESENTATION OF CERTAIN IDENTIFICATION WHEN CASTING A BALLOT; PROVIDING THAT A VOTER VOTING IN PERSON SHALL PRESENT VALID GOVERNMENT-ISSUED PHOTOGRAPHIC IDENTIFICATION BEFORE RECEIVING A BALLOT; PROVIDING THAT A VOTER VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT SHALL SUBMIT WITH HIS OR HER ABSENTEE BALLOT PROOF OF IDENTITY; SPECIFYING THE PROCESS FOR A VOTER WHO FAILS TO SUBMIT REQUIRED PHOTOGRAPHIC IDENTIFICATION OR PROOF OF IDENTITY TO CERTIFY HIS OR HER BALLOT SO THAT IT MAY BE COUNTED; REQUIRING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ENACT NECESSARY LAWS TO IMPLEMENT THE AMENDMENT AND AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ENACT LAWS CREATING EXCEPTIONS FROM PROVIDING GOVERNMENT-ISSUED PHOTO IDENTIFICATION AND PROOF OF IDENTITY; AND PROVIDING THAT THE STATE OF ARKANSAS SHALL ISSUE PHOTOGRAPHIC IDENTIFICATION AT NO CHARGE TO AN ELIGIBLE VOTER WHO DOES NOT HAVE A FORM OF IDENTIFICATION MEETING THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE AMENDMENT.

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

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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1008****BY: REPRESENTATIVES GATES, BROWN, COPELAND, LEMONS, RUSHING**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO REPEAL REFERENCES TO NEWSPAPER PUBLICATION IN THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; AND TO ALLOW THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO DETERMINE THE MANNER OF PUBLISHING NOTICES REQUIRED BY VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION.

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

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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1009**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ENACT LAWS CONCERNING RULES OF PLEADING, PRACTICE, AND PROCEDURE IN CIVIL CASES.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1010**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING COURT RULES AND PROCEDURES APPLICABLE TO CIVIL CLAIMS.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1011**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY ENACT LAWS REGULATING THE AWARD OF DAMAGES IN CIVIL CASES.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1012**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE BELL**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ENACT LAWS ALLOWING A CANDIDATE FOR AN OFFICE TO BE CERTIFIED AS ELECTED WITHOUT APPEARING ON THE BALLOT WHEN HE OR SHE IS THE ONLY CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE AT THE ELECTION.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1013**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE BELL**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE PROVISION OF AN ADEQUATE EDUCATION TO ARKANSAS STUDENTS; AND PROVIDING THAT STATE FUNDS EXPENDED IN SUPPORT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION SHALL NOT EXCEED A CERTAIN PERCENTAGE OF OVERALL STATE EXPENDITURES.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1014**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING JUDICIAL PROCEDURES PERTAINING TO CIVIL LITIGATION.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1015**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE ELECTION OF JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS.

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

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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1016**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE JUDICIAL BRANCH OF STATE GOVERNMENT; AND AMENDING THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION PERTAINING TO THE AWARDING OF ECONOMIC AND NONECONOMIC DAMAGES, THE ESTABLISHMENT OF LAWS RELATING TO PROCEDURAL OR EVIDENTIARY MATTERS IN CIVIL CASES, AND THE ELECTION OF JUDICIAL BRANCH OFFICIALS.

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

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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1017**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE THAT THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION SHALL BE GOVERNED IN THE SAME MANNER AS ALL OTHER STATE AGENCIES.

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

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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1018**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE GOVERNANCE OF STATE AGENCIES; TO PROVIDE THAT THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION AND ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION SHALL BE GOVERNED IN THE SAME MANNER AS ALL OTHER STATE AGENCIES.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1019**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE DOTSON**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE THAT THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION SHALL BE GOVERNED IN THE SAME MANNER AS ALL OTHER STATE AGENCIES.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1020**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEDING**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE USE OF VOTING BY MAIL AT ELECTIONS.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1021**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEDING**

PROPOSING TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO EXEMPT CERTAIN TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY FROM THE AD VALOREM TAX; AND TO EXEMPT FROM AD VALOREM TAXATION TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY THAT IS USED IN A BUSINESS'S REGULAR OPERATIONS AND HAS A LIMITED USEFUL LIFE.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1022**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE C. ARMSTRONG**

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING AN EXEMPTION FROM PROPERTY TAXES FOR CERTAIN VETERANS.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1023**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAMMER**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE PROSECUTION OF CERTAIN ALLEGED OFFENSES COMMITTED BY PUBLIC SERVANTS.

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

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1024**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR; PROVIDING THAT LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR CANDIDATES RUN JOINTLY WITH GUBERNATORIAL CANDIDATES; AMENDING THE DUTIES OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR BY PROVIDING THAT THE GOVERNOR RETAIN HIS OR HER POWERS AND DUTIES WHEN ABSENT FROM THE STATE; ALLOWING THE GOVERNOR TO ASSIGN DUTIES TO THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR; ALLOWING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO PROVIDE BY LAW FOR ADDITIONAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR; AND PROVIDING THAT THE GOVERNOR MAY FILL A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR BY APPOINTMENT.

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

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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1025**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE ELECTED POSITION OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR; AND AMENDING THE SELECTION, POWERS, AND DUTIES OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

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

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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1026**

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**BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. MAYBERRY**

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO ABOLISH THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR ON JANUARY 1, 2019; PROVIDING FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO ASSUME THE OFFICE OF GOVERNOR IN THE EVENT OF A VACANCY; PROVIDING THAT THE GOVERNOR SHALL RETAIN THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE OFFICE OF GOVERNOR WHEN ABSENT FROM THE STATE; AUTHORIZING THE GOVERNOR TO DESIGNATE THE SECRETARY OF STATE TO ACT AS GOVERNOR IF THE GOVERNOR IS ABSENT FROM THE STATE; SPECIFYING THE ROLES OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES DUE TO A VACANCY IN THE OFFICES OF GOVERNOR AND SECRETARY OF STATE OR THE ABSENCE FROM THE STATE OF BOTH OFFICIALS; AND SPECIFYING THE PROCESS FOR FILLING A VACANCY IN THE OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE DUE TO THE HOLDER OF THAT OFFICE ASSUMING THE OFFICE OF GOVERNOR AFTER A VACANCY OCCURS.

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

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**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1027**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE LADYMAN**

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING ELECTED COUNTY OFFICIALS; INCREASING THE LENGTH OF TERMS OF CIRCUIT CLERKS, COLLECTORS OF TAXES, COUNTY CLERKS, COUNTY JUDGES, COUNTY SHERIFFS, COUNTY ASSESSORS, COUNTY CORONERS, COUNTY TREASURERS, AND COUNTY SURVEYORS FROM TWO (2) YEARS TO FOUR (4) YEARS; ALLOWING THE QUORUM COURT TO REFER THE ISSUE OF TWO-YEAR OR FOUR-YEAR TERMS FOR JUSTICES OF THE PEACE TO VOTERS AT A GENERAL ELECTION; AND PROVIDING THAT CERTAIN COUNTY OFFICERS SHALL NOT BE APPOINTED OR ELECTED TO A CIVIL OFFICE DURING THEIR ELECTED TERM.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 7**

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BY: SENATOR HICKEY

BY: *REPRESENTATIVE LUNDSTRUM*

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ABOLISH THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION; TO ESTABLISH THE OFFICE OF THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY WITHIN THE MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION BY A TYPE 3 TRANSFER TO ADMINISTER THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 45

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 FAIR HOUSING COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 112

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 BUILDING AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 113

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**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 162**

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**BY: SENATOR D. SANDERS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CARRYOVER FUND REPORTS; AMENDING A PORTION OF ARKANSAS LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 163**

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**BY: SENATOR D. SANDERS**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE REVISIONS TO THE ETHICS LAWS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 216**

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**BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 220**

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**BY: SENATOR J. ENGLISH**

**BY: REPRESENTATIVE JOHNSON**

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND LAWS RELATING TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PROCUREMENT LAW AND LAWS APPLICABLE TO THE AWARD OF PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS; TO EXEMPT FROM STATE PROCUREMENT LAWS AND LAWS CONCERNING THE AWARD OF PUBLIC WORKS CONTRACTS, CONTRACTS FOR THE ACQUISITION OF SERVICES AND COMMODITIES BY A MUNICIPAL UTILITY PROVIDING UTILITY SERVICES, OPERATIONS, OR MAINTENANCE TO A MILITARY INSTALLATION WITHIN THE STATE; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 225

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BY: SENATOR IRVIN

BY: REPRESENTATIVE B. OVERBEY

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND A STATUTE CONCERNING OFFICIALS IN CERTAIN MAYOR-COUNCIL CITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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

Upon motion of Representative S. Meeks, the House adjourned at 5:21 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., Thursday, February 12, 2015.

ATTEST:

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Jeremy Gillam  
Speaker of the House of Representatives

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Sherri Stacks  
Chief Clerk

