AGENDA Senate Committee on Judiciary

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Number	Sponsor	CONCUR IN HOUSE AMENDMENT Subtitle			
<u>SB183</u>	A. Clark	TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN REGISTERED SEX OFFENDERS FROM HOLDING A POSITION OF PUBLIC TRUST.			
<u>SB451</u>	J. Cooper	TO AMEND THE LAWS REGARDING CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS TO OBTAIN CONSISTENCY REGARDING CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS AND DISQUALIFYING OFFENSES FOR LICENSURE.			
RE-REFERRED TO COMMITTEE					
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle			
<u>SB545</u>	Irvin	TO ESTABLISH RECOVERY OF DAMAGES FOR NECESSARY MEDICAL CARE, TREATMENT, OR SERVICES RENDERED.			
		REGULAR AGENDA			
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle			
<u>SB12</u>	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "NEGLECT" AND THE LAW CONCERNING CLOSURES OF CHILD MALTREATMENT INVESTIGATIONS; AND TO MAKE CERTAIN ACTS OF A PARENT, GUARDIAN, CUSTODIAN, OR FOSTER PARENT NONCRIMINAL.			
<u>SB13</u>	A. Clark	CONCERNING DRUG TESTING UNDER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; CONCERNING CHILD MALTREATMENT INVESTIGATION REPORTS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "NEGLECT"; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING INVESTIGATIVE DETERMINATIONS.			
<u>SB88</u>	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PETITIONS TO REINSTATE PARENTAL RIGHTS.			
<u>SB89</u>	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CLOSED AND CONFIDENTIAL NATURE OF RECORDS UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989.			
<u>SB139</u>	M. Johnson	TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING VENUE IN THE JUDICIARY; TO PROMOTE EFFICIENT VENUE TRANSFER; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.			
<u>SB352</u>	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PROTECTIONS FOR CHILD WELFARE AGENCIES.			
<u>SB378</u>	Elliott	TO BE KNOWN AS THE "PAROLE EQUITY ACT.			

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<u>SB484</u>	B. Ballinger	CONCERNING THE DEFENSE OF A PERSON WITH THE USE OF PHYSICAL FORCE OR DEADLY FORCE.			
SB496	B. Ballinger	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE LAW CONCERNING ALIMONY SUPPORT.			
<u>SB507</u>	L. Chesterfield	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CONSIDERATION OF THE PREFERENCE OF A CHILD IN A CHILD CUSTODY PROCEEDING.			
<u>SB517</u>	Bond	CONCERNING LIFE SENTENCES IMPOSED FOR NONVIOLENT FELONY OFFENSES INVOLVING A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE; CONCERNING CRIMINAL SENTENCES; ESTABLISHING RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY FOR CERTAIN SENTENCES.			
<u>SB280</u>	M. Pitsch	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COMPENSATION AWARDED IN A CONDEMNATION ACTION.			
<u>SB279</u>	M. Pitsch	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONDEMNATION ACTIONS; AND TO AUTHORIZE THE CALCULATION OF ATTORNEY'S FEES ON AN HOURLY BASIS.			
<u>SB570</u>	Hester	TO PROVIDE FOR ADDITIONAL CIRCUIT JUDGESHIPS FOR CERTAIN JUDICIAL DISTRICTS.			
<u>HB1488</u>	Penzo	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ADOPTION PROCESS WHEN A LICENSED CHILD PLACEMENT AGENCY IS NOT USED; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.			
SB609	Irvin	TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF CHILD LABOR TRAFFICKING.			
SB230	K. Hammer	CREATING A STATUTORY CIVIL ACTION FOR INVASION OF PRIVACY.			
<u>SB630</u>	G. Stubblefield	CONCERNING THE COMPENSATION OF A RETIRED JUDGE APPOINTED TO TEMPORARY SERVICE; CONCERNING THE RECUSAL OF A CIRCUIT COURT JUDGE; AND CONCERNING THE JUDICIARY.			
<u>SB661</u>	Bond	CONCERNING THE POSSESSION OF MARIJUANA BY A FIRST-TIME OFFENDER; AND CONCERNING THE POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE.			
<u>SB674</u>	A. Clark	TO REDUCE THE SENTENCE CLASSIFICATIONS FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES FROM A FELONY TO A MISDEMEANOR.			
<u>SB682</u>	K. Ingram	CONCERNING THE SENTENCING AND PAROLE ELIGIBILITY OF A DEFENDANT WHO ENTERS INTO A NEGOTIATED PLEA WITH THE STATE; AND CONCERNING THE DUTIES OF THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY.			
DEFERRED BILLS					
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle			
<u>SB78</u>	L. Chesterfield	CONCERNING THE FEE TO ATTEND A VICTIM IMPACT PANEL THAT IS REQUIRED BY LAW OF ANY PERSON CONVICTED OF DRIVING OR BOATING WHILE INTOXICATED, REFUSAL TO SUBMIT TO A CHEMICAL TEST, OR POSSESSION OF ALCOHOL BY A MINOR.			
HB1235	Petty	CONCERNING THE PAYMENT OF COSTS AND FEES ORDERED BY A COURT.			
<u>SB198</u>	B. Ballinger	REQUIRING THAT THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT BEING ALLOWED TO ESTABLISH ITS OWN LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY.			
<u>HB1238</u>	Petty	CONCERNING THE TIME PERIOD APPLICABLE FOR AN APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE OF A SENTENCE.			
<u>SB251</u>	Irvin	CONCERNING THE PAROLE OF A PERSON WHO WAS RELEASED OR IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED UNDER THE FAIR SENTENCING FOR MINORS ACT OF 2017.			
SB254	Irvin	CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF IMPROPER USE OF THE STATE SEAL; AND TO			

		PROHIBIT THE USE OF THE STATE SEAL IN A CAMPAIGN.
SB608	Irvin	TO AMEND THE FAIR SENTENCING FOR MINORS ACT OF 2017.
<u>SB607</u>	Irvin	CONCERNING THE SENTENCING OF A JUVENILE OFFENDER.
<u>SB610</u>	Irvin	TO BE KNOWN AS "SARA'S LAW"; CONCERNING THE SENTENCING OF A JUVENILE.
<u>SB283</u>	T. Garner	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PARTITION AND SALE OF LAND; AND TO REPEAL THE UNIFORM PARTITION OF HEIRS PROPERTY ACT.
<u>SB350</u>	T. Garner	CONCERNING THE PENALTY FOR AN UNLAWFUL AUTOMATED TELEPHONE SOLICITATION
<u>SB474</u>	T. Garner	CREATING A CIVIL CAUSE OF ACTION AGAINST A PERSON THAT ENGAGES IN TELEPHONE CALLER IDENTIFICATION SPOOFING.
<u>SB578</u>	A. Clark	TO REMOVE A DRIVER'S LICENSE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION AS AN AVAILABLE PENALTY FOR OFFENSES NOT RELATED TO DRIVING A MOTOR VEHICLE.
<u>SB558</u>	G. Stubblefield	TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE § 16-30-104 CONCERNING THE CONTRACTUAL WAIVER OF A JURY TRIAL; TO MAKE THE REPEAL OF ARKANSAS CODE § 16-30-104 RETROACTIVE; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1732</u>	Womack	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING GARNISHMENT AGAINST THE STATE OR A SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE; AND TO ALLOW FOR INCOME TAX REFUNDS TO BE SUBJECT TO GARNISHMENT BY JUDGMENT CREDITORS.
<u>SB500</u>	G. Leding	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CUSTODIAL INTERROGATION OF MINORS.