TENTATIVE AGENDA (Revised 2/1/2012, 9:00 AM)
Senate Committee on Education
House Committee on Education
Meeting Jointly

Tuesday, February 07, 2012
9:00 AM
Room 171, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Jimmy Jeffress, Chair
Sen. Mary Anne Salmon, Vice Chair
Sen. Gilbert Baker
Sen. Kim Hendren
Sen. Gene Jeffress
Sen. Johnny Key
Sen. Joyce Elliott
Sen. Bruce Holland

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Rep. Les “Skip” Carnine
Rep. Robert E. Dale
Rep. Karen S. Hopper
Rep. Ann V. Clemmer
Rep. James McLean

Rep. Jody Dickinson
Rep. Jane English
Rep. Tracy Steele
Rep. Tommy Wren
Rep. James L. Word, Non-Voting
Rep. Andrea Lea, Non-Voting
Rep. Garry L. Smith, Non-Voting
Rep. Davy Carter, Non-Voting
Rep. Tiffany Rogers, Non-Voting
Rep. Henry “Hank” Wilkins, IV, Non-Voting
Rep. John Catlett, Non-Voting
Rep. Homer Lenderman, Non-Voting
Rep. Kelley Linck, Non-Voting
Rep. Gary Deffenbaugh, Non-Voting
Rep. Justin T. Harris, Non-Voting
Rep. Jeremy Gillam, Non-Voting

A. Call to Order – 9:00 A.M.
B. Remarks by the Co-Chairs
C. Discussion of Issues Related to the Arkansas Comprehensive Testing, Assessment, and Accountability Program (ACTAAP) and School Improvement
   Dr. Laura Bednar, Assistant Commissioner, Division of Learning Services, Arkansas Department of Education
   Mr. John Hoy, Assistant Commissioner, Division of Academic Accountability, Arkansas Department of Education
D. Presentation of Report, Review of School Improvement Consulting Expenditures and Results [Exhibit D]
   Ms. Nell Smith, Senior Research Specialist, Policy Analysis and Research Section, Bureau of Legislative Research
E. Preliminary Discussion of Issues Related to State’s Educational Technology Infrastructure
   Ms. Jerri Derlikowski, Administrator, Policy Analysis and Research Section, Bureau of Legislative Research
   Dr. Richard Abernathy, Executive Director, Arkansas Association of Educational Administrators
   Mr. Bill Abernathy, Executive Director, Arkansas Rural Education Association
   Dr. Diann Gathright, Superintendent, Mena School District
   Dr. David Hopkins, Superintendent, Clarksville School District

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F. Other Business

G. Adjournment