

AGENDA
Senate Committee on Education
House Committee on Education
Meeting Jointly

Monday, January 13, 2014

01:30 PM

Room 171, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Johnny Key, Chair
Sen. Joyce Elliott, Vice Chair
Sen. Jason Rapert
Sen. Bruce Holland
Sen. Uvalde Lindsey
Sen. Alan Clark
Sen. Jim Hendren
Sen. Eddie Cheatham

Rep. James McLean, Chair
Rep. Ann V. Clemmer, Vice Chair
Rep. Debra M. Hobbs
Rep. Les "Skip" Carnine
Rep. Robert E. Dale
Rep. Karen S. Hopper
Rep. Jody Dickinson
Rep. John Charles Edwards
Rep. Mark Biviano
Rep. John Catlett
Rep. Homer Lenderman
Rep. Gary Deffenbaugh
Rep. Jon S. Eubanks
Rep. Sheilla E. Lampkin
Rep. James Ratliff
Rep. Bruce Cozart

Rep. Charlotte Vining Douglas
Rep. Mark Lowery
Rep. Charles L. Armstrong
Rep. Brent Talley
Rep. Stephen Meeks, Non-Voting
Rep. Lane Jean, Non-Voting
Rep. Fredrick J. Love, Non-Voting
Rep. Reginald Murdock, Non-Voting
Rep. Justin T. Harris, Non-Voting
Rep. Jeff Wardlaw, Non-Voting
Rep. Andy Mayberry, Non-Voting
Rep. David Fielding, Non-Voting
Rep. Harold Copenhaver, Non-Voting
Rep. Randy Alexander, Non-Voting
Rep. Chris Richey, Non-Voting
Rep. Jim Dotson, Non-Voting

- A. Call to Order – 1:30 P.M.
- B. Remarks by the Co-Chairs
- C. Approval of the Minutes of the November 20, 2013, December 16, 2013, and December 17, 2013 Meetings
[Exhibits C1, C2, and C3]
- D. Update on *High Schools That Work* and Other Programs Offered by the Southern Regional Education Board (SREB)
Mr. Gene Bottoms, Senior Vice President, Southern Regional Education Board
- E. Update on the Activities of KIPP (Knowledge Is Power Program) Delta Public Schools
Mr. Scott Shirey, Executive Director, KIPP Delta Public Schools
- F. Initial Discussion of Interim Study Proposal 2013-160 by Representative Hutchison, REQUESTING THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO REFER TO THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION THIS PROPOSAL TO PERFORM AN INTERIM STUDY OF THE CREATION OF A SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY TO SERVE PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS IN KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE TWELVE (K-12) **[Exhibit F]**
The Honorable John Hutchison, State Representative, District 52
- G. Discussion of Issues Related to Student Achievement Statistics **[Exhibit G]**
Ms. Rebeca Whorton, Legislative Analyst, Policy Analysis and Research Section, Bureau of Legislative Research

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H. Other Business

I. Adjournment