

**AGENDA**  
**Senate Committee on Education**  
**House Committee on Education**  
**Meeting Jointly**

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**Monday, August 8, 2022**  
**1:30 PM**  
**Room A, MAC**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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Sen. Missy Irvin, Chair  
Sen. Joyce Elliott, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Linda Chesterfield  
Sen. Jane English  
Sen. Greg Leding  
Sen. James Sturch  
Sen. Charles Beckham  
Sen. Colby Fulfer

Rep. Bruce Cozart, Chair  
Rep. Brian S. Evans, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Stephen Meeks  
Rep. Fredrick J. Love  
Rep. Reginald Murdock  
Rep. Gary Deffenbaugh  
Rep. Mark Lowery  
Rep. Richard Womack  
Rep. Ken Bragg  
Rep. Charlene Fite

Rep. Rick Beck  
Rep. Nelda Speaks  
Rep. Karilyn Brown  
Rep. DeAnn Vaught  
Rep. John Maddox  
Rep. Steve Hollowell  
Rep. Lee Johnson  
Rep. Gayla H. McKenzie  
Rep. Megan Godfrey  
Rep. Stu Smith

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- A. Call to Order
- B. Comments by the Committee Chairs
- C. Consideration to Approve the June 6, 2022, and the June 7, 2022, Meeting Minutes [**EXHIBITS C1-C2**]
- D. Presentation of Equity Report
  - 1. Ms. Lori Bowen, Legislative Analyst, Policy Analysis and Research Section, Bureau of Legislative Research (BLR)
  - 2. Ms. Adrienne Beck, Legislative Analyst, Policy Analysis and Research Section, BLR
  - 3. Ms. Julie Holt, Administrator, Policy Analysis and Research Section, BLR
- E. Discussion of ISP 2021-109-Requesting that the Senate Committee on Education Conduct an Interim Study Regarding the Factors, Costs, and Outcomes Related to the Recruitment and Retention of Speech-Language Pathologists in Public Schools [**EXHIBIT E**]
  - 1. Ms. Lauren Rogers – Lead Speech-Language Pathologist, Conway Public Schools
  - 2. Ms. Ellen Smith – Speech-Language Pathologist, Conway Public Schools
  - 3. Ms. Michelle Donnell – Lead Speech-Language Pathologist, Springdale Public Schools
  - 4. Ms. Wendy Roark – Lead Speech-Language Pathologist, Springdale Public Schools
  - 5. Ms. Kami Rowland – Lead Speech-Language Pathologist, Little Rock School District
- F. Other Business
- G. Adjournment

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