

TENTATIVE AGENDA

Senate Committee on Education

Tuesday, November 06, 2007

01:30 PM

Room 171, State Capitol

Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Jim Argue, Chair
Sen. Dave Bisbee, Vice Chair
Sen. Gilbert Baker
Sen. Jimmy Jeffress

Sen. Steve Bryles
Sen. Kim Hendren
Sen. Shane Broadway
Sen. Gene Jeffress

- A. Call to Order.
- B. Approval of the Minutes of September 26, 27, and 28, 2007, and October 10, 2007 [**Exhibit B1 and B2**]
- C. Adoption of Interim Study Proposals [**Exhibits C1 and C2**]
1. **2007-206** (Rep. Saunders) - **REQUESTING THE HOUSE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND SENATE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION STUDY THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE PARTNERSHIPS IN COMPREHENSIVE LITERACY PROGRAM (PICL) AS IMPLEMENTED IN CENTRAL ARKANSAS, THE EXPANSION OF PICL INTO PARTNERSHIPS WITH FOUR (4) EDUCATION SERVICE COOPERATIVES, AND THE NEED FOR ADDITIONAL STATE FUNDING OF THAT EXPANSION.**
- A. Sponsor Remarks – Representative R. D. “Rick” Saunders
B. Committee Discussion and Action
2. **2007-205** (Rep. J. Johnson) - **REQUESTING THE HOUSE AND SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEES ON EDUCATION REVIEW THE ADEQUACY OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS PROVIDED IN THE STATE'S JUVENILE DETENTION CENTERS.**
- A. Sponsor Remarks - Representative Janet Johnson
B. Committee Discussion and Action
- D. Update on the State’s Pre-School Programs
Ms. Tonya Russell, Director, Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education, Department of Health and Human Services
- E. Other Business
- F. Adjournment

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