

**AGENDA (Revised 02/20/2013, 4:45 p.m.)**  
**House Committee on Education**  
**89th General Assembly**  
**Regular Session, 2013**

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**Thursday, February 21, 2013**  
**10:00 AM**  
**Room 138, State Capitol**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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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

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Rep. John Charles Edwards  
Rep. Mark Biviano  
Rep. John Catlett  
Rep. Homer Lenderman  
Rep. Gary Deffenbaugh  
Rep. Jon S. Eubanks

Rep. Sheilla E. Lampkin  
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Rep. Bruce Cozart  
Rep. Charlotte Vining Douglas  
Rep. Mark Lowery  
Rep. Charles L. Armstrong  
Rep. Brent Talley

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**PRESENTATION REGARDING**  
**THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS'S OFFICE FOR EDUCATION POLICY (OEP)**  
**Dr. Gary Ritter, Endowed Chair in Education Policy, University of Arkansas**

**REGULAR AGENDA**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Subtitle</b>
<a href="#">HB1248</a>	Hobbs	TO EXEMPT HOME ADDRESSES OF NONELECTED SCHOOL EMPLOYEES FROM DISCLOSURE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT.
<a href="#">HB1297</a>	Gillam	ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR ESTABLISHING A HIGHER EDUCATION ACCREDITING AGENCY IN ARKANSAS.
<a href="#">HB1310</a>	Linck	TO ALLOW SCHOOL DISTRICTS THAT HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED TO SELL, PRESERVE, LEASE, OR DONATE REAL PROPERTY THAT IS NO LONGER UTILIZED BY THE SCHOOL DISTRICTS.
<a href="#">HB1327</a>	Wright	TO CREATE AN EXEMPTION FROM THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND TO KEEP SCHOOLS SAFE AND SECURE.
<a href="#">HB1352</a>	Alexander	TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS FOR PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY IN THE ARKANSAS BETTER CHANCE PROGRAM AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

**PENDING FISCAL IMPACT**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Subtitle</b>
<a href="#">HB1040</a>	Biviano	TO CREATE THE STATE PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL COMMISSION.
<a href="#">HB1231</a>	Lenderman	CONCERNING SCHOOL SECURITY AND SCHOOL CRISIS RESPONSE TRAINING; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<a href="#">HB1410</a>	Mayberry	TO PROVIDE AUTHORITY FOR ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO OFFER AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE AS A CREDIT-BEARING MODERN LANGUAGE OR FOREIGN LANGUAGE.
<a href="#">HB1411</a>	Mayberry	TO PROTECT THE HEALTH AND WELL-BEING OF STUDENTS IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS BY ENSURING ADEQUATE AND APPROPRIATE HEALTH CARE WORKERS ON SITE TO ATTEND TO STUDENTS' NEEDS.

**DEFERRED**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Subtitle</b>
<a href="#">HB1035</a>	D. Altus	TO ALLOW TRAINED AND LICENSED STAFF AND FACULTY TO CARRY A CONCEALED

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HANDGUN ON A UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, OR COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.

[HB1076](#)

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TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATIVE CONSOLIDATION OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

[HB1181](#)

Hammer

TO AMEND THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE LAW AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.