

**AGENDA**  
**House Committee on Insurance and Commerce**

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**Wednesday, February 22, 2023**  
**10:00 AM**  
**Room 149, State Capitol**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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Rep. John Maddox, Chair  
Rep. Karilyn Brown, Vice-Chair  
Rep. Jon S. Eubanks  
Rep. Deborah Ferguson  
Rep. Les D. Eaves  
Rep. Jack Ladyman  
Rep. Robin Lundstrum

Rep. Kenneth B. Ferguson  
Rep. Vivian Flowers  
Rep. Fred Allen  
Rep. Les Warren  
Rep. Jim Wooten  
Rep. Mark Perry  
Rep. Lee Johnson

Rep. Jay Richardson  
Rep. Brian S. Evans  
Rep. Denise Jones Ennett  
Rep. Grant Hodges  
Rep. Steven Walker  
Rep. Ryan A. Rose

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**REGULAR AGENDA**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Subtitle</b>
<a href="#">HB1313</a>	Hudson	TO AMEND THE EXEMPTIONS OF LIFE INSURANCE PROCEEDS FROM ACTIONS BY CREDITORS AND REPRESENTATIVES.
<a href="#">HB1361</a>	McGrew	TO AMEND THE REAL ESTATE LICENSE LAW; TO CREATE A PROPERTY MANAGER LICENSE REQUIREMENT; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS REAL ESTATE COMMISSION.
<a href="#">HB1370</a>	L. Fite	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2001; TO PREVENT COST-SHIFTING AND ENSURE FAIRNESS TO ALL RATEPAYERS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<a href="#">HB1160</a>	Wardlaw	TO REGULATE COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES; AND TO CLARIFY SUPERVISION OF VOLUNTARY PRODUCTS UNDER THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM.
<a href="#">HB1338</a>	B. McKenzie	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS VIDEO SERVICE ACT; AND TO PROVIDE CLARITY CONCERNING THE USE OF A PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY.
<a href="#">HB1349</a>	Ray	CONCERNING PAID ESPORTS TOURNAMENTS.
<a href="#">HB1436</a>	Maddox	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS SECURITIES ACT; AND TO MODIFY CERTAIN ACTIONS AGAINST A REGISTRATION UNDER THE ARKANSAS SECURITIES ACT.
<a href="#">HB1438</a>	Maddox	TO AMEND THE UNIFORM MONEY SERVICES ACT.
<a href="#">HB1439</a>	Maddox	TO MODIFY THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; TO CLARIFY THE PROCESS OF SPONSORSHIP UNDER THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; AND TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A LICENSE UNDER THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT.

**PENDING FISCAL IMPACT**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Subtitle</b>
<a href="#">HB1034</a>	Pilkington	TO REGULATE THE REIMBURSEMENT RATE OF A BIRTH UNDER AN INSURANCE POLICY IN THIS STATE; AND TO ESTABLISH THE REIMBURSEMENT RATE FOR A BIRTH TO BE AT LEAST THE SAME AS THE REIMBURSEMENT RATE FOR A BIRTH BY CESAREAN SECTION.

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<a href="#">HB1121</a>	F. Allen	CONCERNING COVERAGE FOR BIOMARKER TESTING FOR EARLY DETECTION AND MANAGEMENT FOR CANCER DIAGNOSES.
<a href="#">HB1252</a>	L. Johnson	TO MODIFY THE ARKANSAS HEALTH CARE CONSUMER ACT; AND TO REQUIRE COVERAGE FOR PROSTHETIC DEVICES FOR ATHLETICS OR RECREATION AND PROSTHETIC DEVICES FOR SHOWERING OR BATHING.
<a href="#">HB1257</a>	Achor	TO EXPAND ELIGIBILITY FOR COVERAGE UNDER THE STATE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM TO CERTAIN MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY POLICE OFFICERS; AND TO AMEND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS OF CERTAIN RETIREES.
<a href="#">HB1259</a>	L. Johnson	TO CREATE THE HEALTHCARE COST-SHARING COLLECTIONS ACT.
<a href="#">HB1271</a>	L. Johnson	TO AMEND THE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION TRANSPARENCY ACT; AND TO EXEMPT CERTAIN HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS THAT PROVIDE CERTAIN HEALTHCARE SERVICES FROM PRIOR AUTHORIZATION REQUIREMENTS.
<a href="#">HB1274</a>	L. Johnson	TO MODIFY THE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION TRANSPARENCY ACT; AND TO AMEND THE APPEAL PROCESS FOR A DENIAL UNDER THE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION TRANSPARENCY ACT.
<a href="#">HB1276</a>	L. Johnson	TO EXEMPT ANTIPSYCHOTIC PRESCRIPTION DRUGS FROM REGULATION UNDER STEP THERAPY PROTOCOLS.
<a href="#">HB1304</a>	Ennett	TO MANDATE COVERAGE FOR PRENATAL VITAMINS.

#### **DEFERRED BILLS**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Subtitle</b>
<a href="#">HB1020</a>	Maddox	TO AMEND THE UNIFORM LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ACT; AND TO REVISE CHARGING ORDERS UNDER THE UNIFORM LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ACT.
<a href="#">HB1037</a>	Pilkington	TO ESTABLISH THE RIGHT TO START PILOT PROGRAM FOR HEALTHCARE PORTABILITY.
<a href="#">HB1047</a>	S. Meeks	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RENEWABLE ENERGY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2001; AND TO PROVIDE REQUIREMENTS FOR PAYING A RESIDENTIAL NET-METERING CUSTOMER FOR NET EXCESS GENERATION.
<a href="#">HB1049</a>	S. Meeks	TO ESTABLISH THE FAIR ACCESS TO FINANCIAL SERVICES ACT; AND TO PROTECT THE FINANCIAL FREEDOM OF ARKANSAS CITIZENS AND BUSINESSES.
<a href="#">HB1130</a>	L. Johnson	TO CLARIFY THAT A COVENANT NOT TO COMPETE AGREEMENT IS UNENFORCEABLE FOR CERTAIN LICENSED MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS.
<a href="#">HB1272</a>	L. Johnson	TO AMEND THE HEALTHCARE CONTRACTING SIMPLIFICATION ACT; AND TO PROHIBIT A HEALTHCARE INSURER FROM LEASING A HEALTHCARE CONTRACT OR PROVIDER NETWORK.
<a href="#">HB1273</a>	L. Johnson	TO AMEND THE HEALTHCARE PAYOR IDENTIFICATION CARD ACT; AND TO DEFINE A LIMITED BENEFIT PLAN.
<a href="#">HB1275</a>	L. Johnson	TO REGULATE ELECTRONIC MEDICAL RECORDS; AND TO PROHIBIT A HEALTHCARE PAYOR THAT HAS ELECTRONIC ACCESS TO MEDICAL RECORDS FROM REQUESTING MEDICAL RECORDS IN A DIFFERENT FORMAT FROM A HEALTHCARE PROVIDER.
<a href="#">HB1277</a>	L. Johnson	TO REGULATE A PRUDENT LAY PERSON REVIEW PROCESS BY AN INSURER; AND TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF A LICENSED MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL TO REVIEW A PRUDENT LAY PERSON DECISION.

[HB1348](#)

L. Johnson

TO ESTABLISH A STATE AUDIT PROCESS CONCERNING QUALIFIED PAYMENT AMOUNTS; AND TO ENHANCE TRANSPARENCY BY RELEASING STATE AUDIT RESULTS.

[HB1356](#)

L. Johnson

CONCERNING THE PRACTICES OF CERTAIN HEALTHCARE INSURERS; AND TO CLARIFY THE PROCESS TO DETERMINE IF A PROPOSED RATE IS EXCESSIVE.